

April 19, 2022
City Council, Cheviot, Ohio

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President Smyth called the meeting to order at 7:30PM with the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silent prayer.

Roll was then called, and the following members were in attendance:

Mayor	Sam Keller
President of Council	Kerry Smyth
Safety Services Director	Tom Braun
Law Director	Kimberlee Rohr
Council Ward 1	David Voss
Council Ward 2	John Hardig
Council Ward 3	Brian Smyth
Council Ward 4	Lindsay Jones
Council At Large	Stefanie Hawk
Council At Large	Kitty Zech

Mrs. Richter was absent due to illness. D. Voss motioned to excuse her. The motion was seconded by B. Smyth, and carried unanimously.

Motion to approve the minutes of the April 5 meeting was made by S. Hawk, second by D. Voss. Motion carried unanimously.

Reports of Standing Committees: D. Voss read into record his report from the 4/5/22 Finance Department. Motion to receive and file was made by D. Voss, second by J. Hardig. A. Richter's report from the Parks & Playgrounds committee will be presented at the May 3 meeting.

Public Recognition on Agenda Items: No one from the public addressed Council.

Legislation:

Ordinance 22-12 To Increase The Pay Rate For Certain City Employees, And To Declare An Emergency. (Ton increase pay rate for Swimming Pool Manager and Assistant Manager) Motion to introduce made by D. Voss, second by B. Smyth. There was no discussion, other than Mrs. Zech announcing that she would be abstaining due to the fact that two of her family members are employed at the pool. Motion to suspend the rules made by S. Hawk, second by D. Voss. Motion to adopt made by J. Hardig, second by S. Hawk. All motions carried unanimously.

Administrative Reports:

Mayor Keller had no report.

Safety Service Director Braun reported that electrical vehicle chargers will be installed this week. Herbert & Alta Vista reconstruction project will begin within the next week or so.

Law Director Rohr had no report.

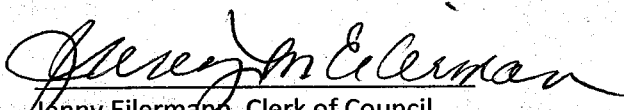
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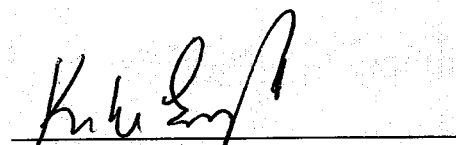
Public Recognition on Non-Agenda Items:

Maria & Bill Westrich, owners of the business at 3901 Harrison Ave. addressed council regarding an email they had received from the Cheviot Business Alliance announcing an upcoming grant for business property façade improvements. They had contacted the Economic Developer and were told that their business was located outside of the area being targeted by the grant. This same information was given to owners of another business located off the main corridor, but still in the business zone. There was brief discussion, during which the Mr. Braun accepted the Westrich's application expressing their interest in the grant and Mayor Keller stating that he would contact the county administrators for clarification regarding businesses that are outside of the Business B Zone but still along the Harrison Avenue corridor, as well as the business on Woodbine Avenue.

Other Business: Financial Disclosures due May 16. B. Smyth called a meeting of the Police & Fire Committee for Tuesday, May 3, immediately following the regular council meeting, to discuss public safety.

Seeing no further business before this council, K. Zech motioned for adjournment. B. Smyth seconded, and the meeting adjourned at 8PM. .


Jenny Eilermann, Clerk of Council


Kerry Smyth, President of Council