

City of Deer Park
City Council Meeting
Municipal Building
November 9, 2020

President Daily opened the meeting at 7:00 pm with the Pledge of Allegiance and Prayer.

The Clerk of Council read the roll. Mr. Camp, Ms. Downs, Mr. Feldhaus, Mr. Lehane, Ms. Newsom, Mr. Rapp, Mr. Tolliver. Mr. Tolliver motioned to excuse Mr. Lehane. Mr. Feldhaus seconded the motion. Motion carried by a unanimous voice vote.

Approval of Minutes

Mr. Tolliver motioned to approve the minutes from the October 26, 2020 Council Meeting and the November 2, 2020 Committee Meeting. Motion seconded by Ms. Downs. Motion carried by a unanimous voice vote.

Public Comment – Citizens and Guests – None

Standing Committee Reports

Legislative and Finance Committee *Chairman Ron Tolliver

October 2020 JEDZ Report

Mr. Tolliver reported that the October 2020 JEDZ report is filed as reported.

ORDINANCE NO. 2020-33 AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE, OHIO LABOR COUNCIL, INC., AND THE CITY OF DEER PARK, AND AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF SAFETY-SERVICES TO EXECUTE THE AGREEMENT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY Mr. Tolliver asked the clerk to read by title only Ordinance 2020-33. So read. Mr. Tolliver motioned to move Ordinance 2020-33 to the second reading. Mr. Rapp seconded the motion. Mr. Camp – yes, Ms. Downs – yes, Mr. Feldhaus – yes, Ms. Newsom – yes, Mr. Rapp – yes, Mr. Tolliver - yes. Motion carried.

ORDINANCE NO. 2020-34 AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A NEW HOURLY WAGE FOR THE CITY'S ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY Mr. Tolliver asked the clerk to read by title only Ordinance 2020-34. So read. Mr. Tolliver motioned to move Ordinance 2020-34 to the second reading. Mr. Camp seconded the motion. Mr. Camp – yes, Ms. Downs – yes, Mr. Feldhaus – yes, Ms. Newsom – yes, Mr. Rapp – yes, Mr. Tolliver - yes. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-35 A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING CITY OF DEER PARK POLICE PERSONNEL AS SUBSTANTIALLY DEDICATED TO MITIGATING OR RESPONDING TO THE COVID-19 PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY, AND AUTHORIZING THE USE OF FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$201,524.42 FROM THE CITY OF DEER PARK CORONAVIRUS RELIEF FUND TO COVER THE PAYROLL AND BENEFITS EXPENSES FOR SUCH PUBLIC SAFETY PERSONNEL FROM THE TIME PERIOD BEGINNING ON MARCH 22, 2020 AND ENDING ON DECEMBER 30, 2020 AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY Mr. Tolliver asked the clerk to read by title only Resolution 2020-35. So read. Mr. Tolliver motioned to waive the three reading rule on Resolution 2020-35. Ms. Downs seconded the motion. Mr. Camp – yes, Ms. Downs – yes, Mr. Feldhaus – yes, Ms. Newsom – yes, Mr. Rapp – yes, Mr. Tolliver - yes. Motion carried. Mr. Tolliver motioned to adopt by emergency Resolution 2020-35. Ms. Downs seconded the motion. Discussion ensued. Mr. Camp – yes, Ms.

Downs – yes, Mr. Feldhaus – yes, Ms. Newsom – yes, Mr. Rapp – yes, Mr. Tolliver - yes. Motion carried.

ORDINANCE 2020-36 AN ORDINANCE TO SUPPLEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR CURRENT EXPENSES AND OTHER EXPENDITURES OF THE CITY OF DEER PARK, OHIO, DURING THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2020 AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

Mr. Tolliver asked the clerk to read by title only Ordinance 2020-36. So read. Mr. Tolliver motioned to waive the three reading rule on Ordinance 2020-36. Mr. Rapp seconded the motion. Mr. Camp – yes, Ms. Downs – yes, Mr. Feldhaus – yes, Ms. Newsom – yes, Mr. Rapp – yes, Mr. Tolliver - yes. Motion carried. Mr. Tolliver motioned to amend Ordinance 2020-36 to include the following: Object: Personnel Serv. (Salaries) \$171,524.42; Object: Other \$128,456.06 and Lucas Machines - \$30,000. This amendment is due to the fact that the fire district is not available for these funds. Funds have been reallocated so that less contact with patients will take place and to keep all safe during the pandemic. Mr. Rapp seconded the motion. Mr. Camp – abstain, Ms. Downs – yes, Mr. Feldhaus – yes, Ms. Newsom – yes, Mr. Rapp – yes, Mr. Tolliver - yes. Motion carried. Mr. Tolliver motioned to adopt Ordinance 2020-36. Mr. Feldhaus seconded the motion. Discussion ensued. Mr. Camp – abstain, Ms. Downs – yes, Mr. Feldhaus – yes, Ms. Newsom – yes, Mr. Rapp – yes, Mr. Tolliver - yes. Motion carried.

Safety Committee *Chairman Tom Camp

October 2020 Police Report

Mr. Camp stated that the police report is delayed due to Chief Schlie being out on medical leave.

October 2020 Fire Report

Mr. Camp reported that in October 2020 there were 55 EMS runs and 7 fire runs for a total of 62 runs. In the total district there were 172 in October and 1761 for the year so far.

Public Works Committee *Chairman Dan Lehane

There is no report this evening.

Correspondence (Clerk of Council) & Miscellaneous – Ms. Perin read a letter from OKI requesting a new representative be named for 2021. Mr. Charles Tassell used to be our representative. Mr. Feldhaus motioned to appoint Mr. Tolliver as the new OKI representative for 2021. Mr. Camp seconded the motion. Mr. Camp – yes, Ms. Downs – yes, Mr. Feldhaus – yes, Ms. Newsom – yes, Mr. Rapp – yes. Motion carried.

Citizen Questions or Comments on Agenda Thus Far – None

New Business – None

Reports from other City Officials

Treasurer – None

Law Director – None

Auditor – None

Safety Service Director – Mr. Jetter went over the map for road closures on Blue Ash Road and advised that he has talked to the businesses this will affect. Mr. Jetter also announced that there were some complaints recently from residents regarding the leaf collectors not wearing masks while working. Mr. Jetter stated that when the city maintenance team is working hard and moving around, it is not as easy to breathe.

Mayor – Mayor Donnellon announced that we will still be implementing the Beautification Awards for Christmas decorations. The deadline will be in December and will be announced soon. Due to

social distancing concerns we will not be having crowds attend the annual Christmas Tree Lighting however one child will be selected to light up the tree in a contest. Santa Dash will take place on November 28 as well from 12 – 3 pm.

Schedule

November 9, 2020 Council Meeting at 7:00pm
November 23, 2020 Council Meeting at 7:00pm
November 26 & 27 Thanksgiving City Offices Closed.
November 30, 2020 Planning and Zoning 5:00pm.
November 30, 2020 Council Committee Meeting
December 7, 2020 Council Meeting at 7:00pm
December 10th, 2020 WTC Meeting at 4:00pm

Community Events

We Thrive TBA
November 17, 2020 Block Watch Meeting has been cancelled due to COVID Restrictions.

Adjournment

Mr. Tolliver motioned to adjourn. Mr. Feldhaus seconded the motion. Motion carried by a unanimous voice vote. Meeting adjourned at 8:07 pm.

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President of Council

Joan E. Perin
Clerk of Council