

## COMMON COUNCIL

December 21, 2015 at 7:00 p.m.

The Pledge of Allegiance was given by everyone in attendance.

Prayer was given by Councilman Peckinpaugh

Meeting was called to order by Mayor York.

### **ROLL CALL:**

Sandy Bertram	Present
Jeff Hancock	Present
Jimmy Kidd	Present @ 7:08
Mary Malone	Present
Mark Koger	Present
Vaughn Reid III	Present
Rex Peckinpaugh	Present

### **ORDER OF BUSINESS:**

- Councilman Reid requested the minutes be amended in Committee Reports to reflect his request of 2 citizens from the North end of town and 1 citizen from the South end of town, Councilman Peckinpaugh and moved to approve with noted amendment. Council-lady Bertram seconded. Motion carried 6-0

Sandy Bertram	Jeff Hancock	Jimmy Kidd	Mary Malone	Mark Koger	Vaughn Reid	Rex Peckinpaugh
Yes	Yes	Absent	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

### **PROCLAMATIONS:**

- No Proclamations were read.

### **RESOLUTIONS:**

- **Resolution #12212015-1 – Transferring of Funds within a Fund**  
President Koger read Resolution #12212015-1 and moved to approve. Councilman Hancock seconded. Motion carried 6-0

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### **ORDINANCES:**

No Ordinances were presented.

### **OTHER BUSINESS:**

President Koger presented and read an Encumbrance request from Clerk Treasurer York requesting to encumber \$3,000.00 from Police 101-005-212. Councilman Reid moved to approve the request. Councilman Hancock seconded. Motion carried 7-0

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### **COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

- Council-lady Bertram:** Noted;
- Thanked everyone for a great time, noting this would be her last meeting and she wished Mary Pierce Abbott as great a term as all of hers.
- Councilman Hancock:** Noted;
- Thanked the leaving members of Council and welcomed the newcomers.
- Councilman Kidd:** Noted;
- Thanked everyone and noted to newcomers “it’s yours.”
- Council-lady Malone:** Noted;
- Reminded new members and administration of the issue of heavy equipment parked in residential areas and yards.
  - Thanked everyone noting leaving was bittersweet but she knew Aaron Dicken would do a great job.
- President Koger:** Noted;
- Thanked the 4 members leaving noting when he was new they were very supportive, informative and kind, he hoped to pass that welcome on to the new members.
- Councilman Reid:** Noted;
- Thanked Greg Phipps, Water Superintendent for quickly returning his call and explaining the Lead Notice sent out in water bills.
  - Thanked current Council members for their assistance and wished new comers good luck and to ask questions.
  - Recommended Council consider doing the Umbaugh budget class again, that it was worth the cost to understand budgeting.
- Councilman Peckinpaugh:** Noted;
- Stated he echoed what President Koger and Councilman Hancock expressed in thanks to the outgoing members and incoming members.

### **ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS:**

- Mayor York informed Council that EMS Chief Ron Burns had submitted his request to retire after 27 years of service, noting he had accepted another job. Everyone in attendance stood and applauded Chief Burns on his great service to the community.

### **CITIZENS APPEARING BEFORE THE COUNCIL:**

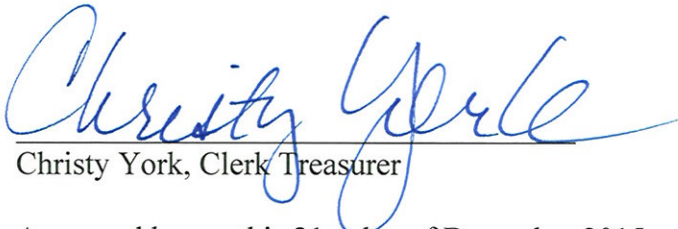
No citizens appeared before the Council

- 2/11/16 HOPE meeting scheduled to discuss grants to assist in the drug issue.
- Praised the storefront work done for the Christmas Walk and hopes that it encourages business use.

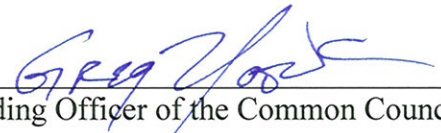
### **DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS:**

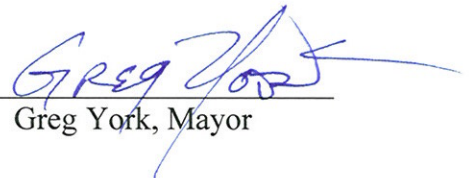
- No report.

Councilman Peckinpaugh moved to adjourn. Council-lady Bertram seconded. Meeting adjourned.

  
Christy York, Clerk Treasurer

Approved by me this 21st day of December 2015.

  
Presiding Officer of the Common Council

  
Greg York, Mayor