

COMMON COUNCIL

November 15, 2021 at 6:30 p.m.

Meeting was called to order by President Peckinpaugh

ROLL CALL:

Mike Guffey	Present
Jeff Hancock	Present
Jerry Walden	Present
Aaron Dicken	Present
Mark Koger	Present
Lynn Perdue	Present
Rex Peckinpaugh	Present

ORDER OF BUSINESS:

- Vice President Hancock moved to accept the minutes from the former meeting.
Councilman Walden seconded. Motion carried 7-0.

Mike Guffey	Jeff Hancock	Jerry Walden	Aaron Dicken	Mark Koger	Lynn Perdue	Rex Peckinpaugh
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

PUBLIC HEARING:

- No Public Hearing

PROCLAMATIONS:

- No Proclamations

RESOLUTIONS:

- #11012021-1 CONSOLIDATION OF TIF AREAS IS STILL ON THE TABLE

ORDINANCES:

- #3876 AMENDING SECTION 130.01 OF CITY CODE (DISCHARGE OF FIREARMS – BOW AND ARROWS) President Peckinpaugh moved to approve on first reading. Vice President Hancock seconded. Motion carried 7-0.

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OTHER BUSINESS:

- No Other Business

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Councilman Guffey: Noted;

- No Comments

Vice-President Hancock: Noted;

- Thanked the Street Department for working Veteran's Day as to not interrupt trash pick-up.

Councilman Walden: Noted;

- Updated Council on the Landbank. They have order blue and white signs and a few properties will be going up for sale in the near future.

Councilman Dicken: Noted;

- No Comments

Councilman Koger: Noted;

- No Comments

Councilman Perdue: Noted;

- No Comments

President Peckinpaugh: Noted;

- No Comments

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS:

- Clerk Treasurer Grider announced that Santa’s Mailbox would be going out on November 20th on the corner of Main and Broad Street for the Christmas Parade. After the Parade it will be moved in front of the Fire Station on 227 N Main Street where it will remain until December 12th.
- Transit Manager Sloan stated that the Tour of Lights would be December 20th, 21st and 22nd.
- Superintendent Walker stated that the Sanitation Department would be working on Thanksgiving morning picking up trash.
- Mayor York stated that City had a busy weekend. There was a house fire which resulted in a water main break and a tree fell on a car. Mayor York expressed the need for homeowners to take care of the trees in their yard as this tree could have fallen on someone. It is the homeowner’s responsibility to take care of the trees not the cities.
- Director Barker stated that all the Community Crossings Grant paving has been completed. The long-term control plan is still working on getting the roads they have been working on taken care of before the asphalt companies close.

CITIZENS APPEARING BEFORE THE COUNCIL:

- Patty Broyles stated that Covid is still out there and everyone needs to be proactive and the City needs to step up and take care of the employees who are already vaccinated.
- Scott Frost and Carrie Barrett, with the 200th Bicentennial Committee asked for financial help from the City for the celebration. They are going to try to get the Guinness Book of World Records with a knockout tournament. Henry Community Hospital is a Corporate Sponsor for the events. President Peckinpaugh moved to give \$15,000.00 out of Riverboat for sponsorship. Councilman Dicken seconded. Motion carried 7-0.

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- Val McNelis 801 Hawthorne questions people burning leaves in her area and was this legal. Street Superintendent Walker stated that they were within ordinance by the way it was being done. Ms. McNelis thanked him for the clarification.
- Mike Broyles asked Council why the resolution regarding the TIF Districts was still being tabled. President Peckinpaugh explained they were still waiting on Corey Murphy with the EDC to set up a phone conversation with Lisa Lee of Ice Miller to answer some questions Council had regarding the TIF’s.

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- Meeting Adjourned Vice President Hancock


Presiding Officer of the Common Council

ATTEST:


Brenda Grider, Clerk Treasurer

Approved by me this 15th, Day of November 2021.


Greg York, Mayor

ATTEST:


Brenda Grider, Clerk Treasurer