

COMMON COUNCIL

June 19, 2017 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:**

Mary Abbott	Present
Jeff Hancock	Present
Jerry Walden	Present
Aaron Dicken	Present
Mark Koger	Present
Lynn Perdue	Present
Rex Peckinpaugh	Present

**ORDER OF BUSINESS:**

- Councilman Hancock moved to suspend the reading of the minutes of the last meeting and approve. Councilman Peck seconded. Motion carried 7-0

Mary Brewington	Jeff Hancock	Jerry Walden	Aaron Dicken	Mark Koger	Lynn Perdue	Rex Peckinpaugh
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

**PUBLIC HEARING:**

Opened: 7:07pm      Closed: 7:08pm

- Ordinance #3769 was opened for public hearing by Attorney Crider. No citizens appeared before Council. Public hearing was closed by Attorney Crider.
- Attorney Crider presented Ordinance #3769 for second reading. President Koger moved to approve. Council-lady Brewington seconded. Motion carried 7-0.
- Attorney Crider recommended suspending the rules and reading Ordinance #3769 on third and final reading. Councilman Hancock moved to suspend the rules. President Koger seconded. Motion carried 7-0
- Attorney Crider presented Ordinance #3769 for third and final reading. President Koger moved to approve. Councilman Perdue seconded. Motion carried 7-0

**PROCLAMATIONS:**

- No Proclamations

**RESOLUTIONS:**

- #06192017-1 Authorizing a Certain Lease Purchase Agreement  
President Koger read Resolution #06192017-1. Clerk Treasurer York requested the resolution be amended to remove Citizens and replace with lowest rate bidder.
  - President Koger moved to amend Resolution #06192017-1 as noted. Councilman Walden seconded. Motion carried 7-0

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- Councilman Hancock moved to approve Resolution #06192017-1 as amended. Councilman Peckinpaugh seconded. Motion carried 7-0

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**ORDINANCES:**

- Ordinance #3769 passed in Public Hearing section above.

**OTHER BUSINESS:**

No other business was presented to Council.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

- Council-lady Abbott:** Noted;
  - Troy Avenue, Old Sandpaper Building, loading dock holding water and attracting mosquitos.
- Councilman Hancock:** Noted;
  - Commended Police and Fire on a great job regarding fires.
- Councilman Walden:** Noted;
  - Amazing job on fires.
  - Thanked Administration for signage around Harvest Grocery.
  - Suggested a sidewalk care notification in utility bills.
    - Informed by Clerk Treasurer of flyer cost.
    - Mayor requests that residents aid in curb appeal.
    - Mayor York informed Council of bulk trash solution in other towns and cities and requested Council revisit.
- Councilman Dicken:** Noted;
  - REMC Ordinance vote was a hard vote for him and requested budget estimates on renovation and increased budget costs.
- President Koger:** Noted;
  - No report.
- Councilman Perdue:** Noted;
  - No report.
- Councilman Peckinpaugh:** Noted;
  - Suggested type of playground sand and/or mulch requirements for Parks be passed on to Mr. Leduc.
  - Broad Street signage doesn't note St. Rd. 38
  - Commended administration on acquiring an OCRA Grant to complete the city Comprehensive Plan.

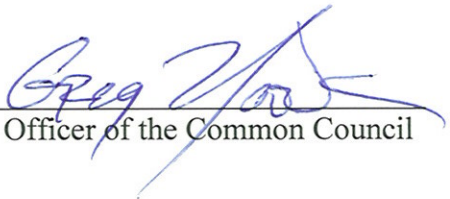
**ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS:**

- Mayor York informed Council EPA had scheduled an exit meeting for next week.
- Director Barker informed all in attendance that Main and Broad Street intersection would be closed by INDOT on July 5<sup>th</sup> for 1 week.
- Director Barker informed Council the Railroad had been contacted about the decision of D Avenue crossing.

**CITIZENS APPEARING BEFORE THE COUNCIL:**

- Alan LeDuke, New Castle presented a handout regarding his concerns of 1400 Plaza.
- Robert Dye, city employee, thanked Mayor York for being pro-active in his efforts to run the city.

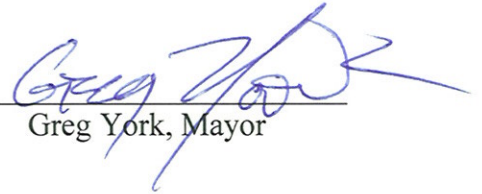
Councilman Peckinpaugh moved to adjourn. Meeting adjourned.

  
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Presiding Officer of the Common Council

ATTEST:

  
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Christy York, Clerk Treasurer

Approved by me this 19th day of June, 2017.

  
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Greg York, Mayor

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Christy York, Clerk Treasurer