

CITY OF BRUNSWICK, OHIO

MINUTES OF COUNCIL

MONDAY, JANUARY 24, 2022

Prayer and Pledge of Allegiance The regular meeting of Brunswick City Council was called to order by Mayor Ron Falconi at 7:00 p.m. at the Municipal Complex.

Roll Call of Members Nicholas Hanek, Brandon Lambert, Michael Abella Jr., Joseph Delsanter, Tim Smith, Kristy Piper.

Others Present: Mayor Ron Falconi, City Manager/Safety Director Carl DeForest, Law Director Ken Fisher, Clerk of Council Laura Timura

Nicholas Hanek made a motion to excuse Anthony Capretta from tonight's Council meeting for just cause, seconded by Tim Smith. Roll Call - Ayes - 6, Tim Smith, Joseph Delsanter, Kristy Piper, Nicholas Hanek, Michael Abella Jr., Brandon Lambert. - Nays - 0. Motion Carried.

Correspondence There was none.

Approval of Regular Council Meeting Minutes dated January 10, 2022. Nicholas Hanek moved to approve the Council Meeting Minutes dated January 10, 2022, as written, seconded by Kristy Piper. Roll Call - Ayes - 6, Tim Smith, Joseph Delsanter, Kristy Piper, Nicholas Hanek, Michael Abella Jr., Brandon Lambert. Nays - 0. Motion Carried.

Mayor's Report:

Mayor's Update:

There was none.

Motion to approve the Mayor's recommendation to reappoint Lisa Jackson-Clements to the Board of Zoning Appeals.:

Tim Smith made a motion to reappoint Lisa Jackson-Clements to the Board of Zoning Appeals, seconded by Joseph Delsanter. Roll Call - Ayes - 6, Michael Abella Jr., Tim Smith, Kristy Piper, Nicholas Hanek, Brandon Lambert, Joseph Delsanter. Nays - 0. Motion Carried.

Motion to approve the Mayor's recommendation to reappoint Abbas Hasan to the Planning Commission. :

Joseph Delsanter made a motion to reappoint Abbas Hasan to the Planning Commission, seconded by Nicholas Hanek. Roll Call - Ayes - 6, Nicholas Hanek, Kristy Piper, Michael Abella Jr., Brandon Lambert, Joseph Delsanter, Tim Smith. - Nays - 0. Motion Carried.

Mayor's recommendation to consider Millie Manning and Andrea Mullen for the Financial Audit, Review & Advisory Committee:

Clerk of Council's Report There was none.

Council Committee Reports:

Economic Development Committee.....Mr. Lambert:

Economic Development Committee Minutes dated December 20, 2021:

Brandon Lambert moved to approve the Economic Development Committee formal report dated December 20, 2021 as written, seconded by Nicholas Hanek. Roll Call - Ayes - 6, Brandon Lambert, Kristy Piper, Nicholas Hanek, Joseph Delsanter, Michael Abella Jr., Tim Smith. Nays - 0. Motion Carried.

Services, Utilities, Technology & Cable Committee.....Mr. Smith :

There was no formal report.

Finance Committee.....Mr. Hanek:

There was no formal report.

Safety & Environment Committee.....Mr. Capretta:

There was no formal report.

Planning & Zoning Committee.....Mr. Delsanter:

There was no formal report.

Parks, Recreation & Community Committee.....Mrs. Piper:

There was no formal report.

Building & Building Code Committee.....Mr. Abella:

Building and Building Code Committee Minutes dated December 20, 2021:

Michael Abella Jr. moved to approve the Building and Building Code Committee formal report dated December 20, 2021 as written, seconded by Nicholas Hanek. Roll Call - Ayes - 6, Nicholas Hanek, Kristy Piper, Michael Abella Jr., Brandon Lambert, Joseph Delsanter, Tim Smith.- Nays - 0. Motion Carried.

Other Committees, Boards and Commissions

Committee-of-the-Whole Minutes dated January 10, 2022:

Nicholas Hanek moved to approve the Committee-of-the-Whole minutes dated January 10, 2022 as written, seconded by Joseph Delsanter. Roll Call - Ayes - 6, Kristy Piper, Tim Smith, Joseph Delsanter, Michael Abella Jr., Brandon Lambert, Nicholas Hanek. - Nays - 0. Motion Carried.

Petitions from the Public on Legislation There was none.

Reading of Legislation and Action on Legislation:

3rd Reading(s) There was none.

2nd Reading(s) There was none.

1st Reading(s)

RES. NO. 4-2022 - An emergency resolution authorizing the City Manager to purchase three (3) 2022 Ford Police Interceptor Utility police cruisers with police equipment installed for the Division of Police from Montrose Ford in an amount not to exceed \$140,000. - **1st Reading** - (To be brought from Committee-of-the-Whole, *Administration/Brian Ohlin*):

RES. NO. 4-2022 - Nicholas Hanek made a motion to suspend the rules, seconded by Joseph Delsanter. Roll Call - Ayes - 6, Tim Smith, Brandon Lambert, Kristy Piper, Nicholas Hanek, Michael Abella Jr., Joseph Delsanter. - Nays - 0. Motion Carried.

Nicholas Hanek made a motion to adopt Resolution Number 4-2022, seconded by Kristy Piper. Roll Call - Ayes - 6, Nicholas Hanek, Brandon Lambert, Michael Abella Jr., Joseph Delsanter, Tim Smith, Kristy Piper. - Nays - 0. Motion Carried.

RES. NO. 5-2022 - An emergency resolution authorizing the City Manager to purchase a 2022 Ford Transit van with police equipment installed for the Division of Police from Montrose Ford in an amount not to exceed \$35,000. - **1st Reading** - (To be brought from Committee-of-the-Whole, *Administration/Brian Ohlin*):

RES. NO. 5-2022 - Nicholas Hanek made a motion to suspend the rules, seconded by Brandon Lambert. Roll Call - Ayes - 6, Tim Smith, Joseph Delsanter, Kristy Piper, Nicholas Hanek, Michael Abella Jr., Brandon Lambert. - Nays - 0. Motion Carried.

Nicholas Hanek made a motion to adopt Resolution Number 5-2022, seconded by Joseph Delsanter. Roll Call - Ayes - 6, Michael Abella Jr., Tim Smith, Kristy Piper, Nicholas Hanek, Brandon Lambert, Joseph Delsanter. - Nays - 0. Motion Carried.

RES. NO. 6-2022- An emergency resolution authorizing the City manager to enter into a one (1) year contract for property, automobile, inland marine, general liability, public officials liability, police liability, boiler and machines, crime coverage, cyber coverage, employment practice and umbrella insurance coverage. - **1st Reading** (To be brought from Committee-of-the-Whole, *Administration/Jim Foster*):

RES. NO. 6-2022 - Nicholas Hanek made a motion to suspend the rules, seconded by Kristy Piper. Roll Call - Ayes - 6, Nicholas Hanek, Brandon Lambert, Joseph Delsanter, Tim Smith, Kristy Piper, Michael Abella Jr. - Nay - 0. Motion Carried.

Nicholas Hanek made a motion to adopt Resolution Number 6-2022, seconded by Brandon Lambert. Roll Call - Ayes - 6, Nicholas Hanek, Brandon Lambert, Joseph Delsanter, Tim Smith, Michael Abella Jr., Kristy Piper. - Nays - 0. Motion Carried.

RES. NO. 7-2022 - A resolution authorizing the City Manager to enter into agreement with NOPEC to accept a 2022 Energized Community Grant in the amount of \$85,836.00.- **1st Reading** (To be brought from Committee-of-the-Whole, *Administration/Paul Barnett*):

RES. NO. 7-2022- Mr. Hanek moved this resolution to second reading.

RES. NO. 8-2022 - A resolution authorizing the City Manager to purchase one (1) new stormwater camera system from Best Equipment in an amount not to exceed \$99,692.00. - **1st Reading** (To be brought from Committee-of-the-Whole, *Administration/Paul Barnett*):

RES. NO. 8-2022 - Mr. Hanek moved this resolution to second reading.

RES. NO. 9-2022 - An emergency resolution for the purchase of one (1) new 8 ton truck body and snow and ice package from Henderson Products in an amount not to exceed \$87,711.00. - **1st Reading** (To be brought from Committee-of-the-Whole, *Administration/Paul Barnett*):

RES. NO. 9-2022 - Nicholas Hanek made a motion to suspend the rules, seconded by Tim Smith. Roll Call - Ayes - 6, Kristy Piper, Tim Smith, Joseph Delsanter, Michael Abella Jr., Brandon Lambert, Nicholas Hanek. - Nays - 0. Motion Carried.

Nicholas Hanek made a motion to adopt Resolution Number 9-2022, seconded by Kristy Piper. Roll Call - Ayes - 6, Tim Smith, Brandon Lambert, Kristy Piper, Nicholas Hanek, Michael Abella Jr., Joseph Delsanter. - Nays - 0. Motion Carried.

RES. NO. 10-2022 - An emergency resolution for the purchase of one(1) new 8 ton truck cab and chassis from Northern Ohio Peterbilt of Cleveland in an amount not to exceed \$116,604. - **1st Reading** (To be brought from Committee-of-the-Whole, *Administration/Paul Barnett*):

RES. NO. 10-2022 - Nicholas Hanek made a motion to suspend the rules, seconded by Joseph Delsanter. Roll Call - Ayes - 6, Nicholas Hanek, Brandon Lambert, Michael Abella Jr., Joseph Delsanter, Tim Smith, Kristy Piper. - Nays - 0. Motion Carried.

Nicholas Hanek made a motion to adopt Resolution Number 10-2022, seconded by Kristy Piper. Roll Call - Ayes - 6, Tim Smith, Joseph Delsanter, Kristy Piper, Nicholas Hanek, Michael Abella Jr., Brandon Lambert. - Nays - 0. Motion Carried.

RES. NO. 11-2022 - An emergency resolution authorizing the City Manager to enter into agreements with Comdoc Inc., A Xerox Company and Xerox Financial Services for the lease, service and supply of copier equipment. - **1st Reading** (To be brought from Committee-of-the-Whole, *Administration/Robert Marok*):

RES. NO. 11-2022 - Nicholas Hanek made a motion to suspend the rules, seconded by Brandon Lambert. Roll Call - Ayes - 6, Nicholas Hanek, Brandon Lambert, Joseph Delsanter, Tim Smith, Kristy Piper, Michael Abella Jr. - Nays - 0. Motion Carried.

Nicholas Hanek made a motion to adopt Resolution Number 11-2022, seconded by Tim Smith. Roll Call - Ayes - 6, Nicholas Hanek, Brandon Lambert, Joseph Delsanter, Tim Smith, Michael Abella Jr., Kristy Piper. - Nays - 0. Motion Carried.

RES. NO. 12-2022 - An emergency resolution giving consent to the Director of the Ohio Department of Transportation to perform route sign replacements on State Route 303. - **1st Reading** (To be brought from Committee-of-the-Whole, *Administration/Matt Jones*):

RES. NO. 12-2022 - Nicholas Hanek made a motion to suspend the rules, seconded by Kristy Piper. Roll Call - Ayes - 6, Nicholas Hanek, Kristy Piper, Michael Abella Jr., Brandon Lambert, Joseph Delsanter, Tim Smith. - Nays - 0. Motion Carried.

Nicholas Hanek made a motion to adopt Resolution Number 12-2022, seconded by Tim Smith. Roll Call - Ayes - 6, Kristy Piper, Tim Smith, Joseph Delsanter, Michael Abella Jr., Brandon Lambert, Nicholas Hanek. - Nays - 0. Motion Carried.

City Manager's Report City Manager Carl DeForest reminded residents not to park on the road, when we are expecting 2 or more inches of snow. Snow bans are put in place to allow snow plows to clear the roads. He said if residents are uncertain about whether or not a snow ban is in place, they can check the

City's website or contact the Police Department at the non-emergency number. Mr. DeForest asked that fire hydrants be kept clear of snow, so that they are visible to the Fire Department.

He reminded residents that smoke detectors are available from the Police Department. They are available based on need, not income. The City will not only provide detectors, but will also install them.

Mr. DeForest said the City's goal is to raise \$400,000 by May of 2022 for the Inclusive Playground project. This would allow them to go to bid in the Spring and start construction over the summer. He would like to have a ribbon cutting for the Inclusive Playground at Neura Park in the fall. If anyone would like more information or to get involved in any way, shape, or form, please contact the City Manager's office.

Administrative Departments There was none.

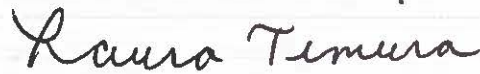
Open Forum There was none.

Unfinished Business There was none.

New Business Mr. Smith thanked the neighbors in his neighborhood for helping clear snow from the driveways of the elderly. He said that if residents would help their elderly neighbors clear their driveways, it would be greatly appreciated.

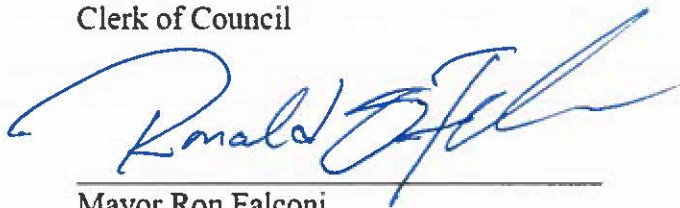
Adjournment There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 7:18 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Laura Timura

Clerk of Council



Mayor Ron Falconi

2-14-2022

Adopted