

CITY COUNCIL

September 8, 2009

The September 8, 2009 City Council meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. in Council Chambers by Gary Veith, President. A moment of silence was observed followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America. City Council members present were Evie Hall-Case, Mike Kuenzli, Bud Miller, Chad Smith, Scot Swinehart, and Gary Veith. Paul Wagner was absent.

Others present included: Scott Washburn, Mayor; Michelle Wagner, Ohio Regional Development; and Sarah Molnar, Clerk.

The minutes of the August 17, 2009 City Council meeting, having been mailed to each City Council member, were approved as amended.

The minutes of the August 17, 2009 Tree Commission meeting, having been mailed to each City Council member, were reviewed.

The minutes of the August 25, 2009 Service Committee meeting, having been mailed to each City Council member, were reviewed.

The minutes of the September 1, 2009 Safety Committee meeting, having been mailed to each City Council member, were reviewed.

Mrs. Michelle Wagner, Ohio Regional Development Housing Specialist, addressed City Council concerning the possibility of administering a Community Housing Improvement Program (CHIP) grant for the City. Mrs. Wagner indicated that she currently administers the Wyandot County CHIP grant. The City could apply for a CHIP grant of \$500,000.00 at no cost to the City. Mrs. Wagner explained what the CHIP has to offer residents.

A motion was made by Mr. Veith, seconded by Mr. Swinehart, for the City to proceed with a Community Housing Improvement Strategy (CHIS) in order to receive a CHIP grant. Upon Roll Call, all members voted Yes. The President declared the motion carried.

Mr. Veith reported that painting of the new water tower located along Malabar Drive will resume tomorrow, weather permitting.

There being no further business, the President declared the meeting adjourned.

Sarah J. Molnar, Clerk

Gary Veith, President