

CITY COUNCIL

December 21, 2015

The December 21, 2015 City Council meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. in Council Chambers by Rick Roberts, 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 Bob Blocksom, Roxie Karg, Rick Roberts, Tom Shumaker, Don Spiegel, and Bill Thornton. Scot Swinehart was absent.

Others present included: Scott Washburn, Mayor; Mark Ellis, Law Director; Alissa Paoella, Daily Chief Union; and Sarah Bennett, Clerk.

The minutes of the December 7, 2015 City Council meeting, having been mailed to each City Council member, were approved as received.

The minutes of the December 7, 2015 Service Committee meeting, having been mailed to each City Council member, were reviewed.

The minutes of the December 7, 2015 Safety Committee meeting, having been mailed to each City Council member, were reviewed.

A motion was made by Mr. Blocksom, seconded by Mr. Spiegel, to place Ordinance No. 214-12 entitled, "AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTIONS 191.014 AND 191.02 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF UPPER SANDUSKY, OHIO AND DECLARING THIS ACT AN EMERGENCY.", on its second reading by title only. Upon Roll Call, all members voted as follows:

Mr. Blocksom	-	Yes
Ms. Karg	-	Yes
Mr. Roberts	-	Yes
Mr. Shumaker	-	No
Mr. Spiegel	-	Yes
Mr. Thornton	-	Yes

The President declared the motion carried by a 5-1 vote. The Clerk read Ordinance No. 214-12 for the second time by title only.

A motion was made by Mr. Spiegel, seconded by Mr. Roberts, for the adoption of Ordinance No. 214-12. Upon Roll Call, all members voted as follows:

Mr. Blocksom	-	Yes
Ms. Karg	-	Yes
Mr. Roberts	-	Yes
Mr. Shumaker	-	No
Mr. Spiegel	-	Yes
Mr. Thornton	-	Yes

The President declared the motion carried by a 5-1 vote and Ordinance No. 214-12 was duly adopted.

A motion was made by Mr. Thornton, seconded by Mr. Spiegel, to accept the recommendation of the Safety Committee made at their December 7, 2015 meeting to amend the City's 2016 Wage and Salary Ordinance and set a pay range of \$10.00 to \$13.50 for Police Auxiliary. Upon Roll Call, all members voted Yes. The President declared the motion carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Blocksom, seconded by Mr. Thornton, to place Ordinance No. 215-12 entitled, "AN ORDINANCE FIXING SALARIES, WAGES AND THE RATES OF PAY FOR THE EMPLOYEES OF THE CITY OF UPPER SANDUSKY, OHIO, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2016 AND DESIGNATING THE POSITIONS FOR VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS OF THE CITY OF UPPER SANDUSKY AND DECLARING THIS ACT AN EMERGENCY.", on its second reading by title only as amended. Upon Roll Call, all members voted Yes; the President declared the motion carried. The Clerk read Ordinance No. 215-12 for the second time by title only.

A motion was made by Mr. Spiegel, seconded by Mr. Blocksom, for the adoption of Ordinance No. 215-12 as amended. Upon Roll Call, all members voted Yes. The President declared the motion carried and Ordinance No. 215-12 was duly adopted.

A motion was made by Mr. Blocksom, seconded by Mr. Thornton, to place Ordinance No. 216-12 entitled, "AN ORDINANCE TO MAKE THE APPROPRIATIONS FOR CURRENT EXPENSES AND OTHER EXPENDITURES OF THE CITY OF UPPER SANDUSKY, STATE OF OHIO, DURING THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2016, AND DECLARING THIS ACT AN EMERGENCY.", on its second reading by title only. Upon Roll Call, all members voted Yes; the President declared the motion carried. The Clerk read Ordinance No. 216-12 for the second time by title only.

A motion was made by Mr. Thornton, seconded by Mr. Spiegel, for the adoption of Ordinance No. 216-12. Upon Roll Call, all members voted Yes. The President declared the motion carried and Ordinance No. 216-12 was duly adopted.

A motion was made Mr. Spiegel, seconded by Mr. Roberts, to place Resolution No. 217-12 entitled, "A RESOLUTION AMENDING, IN PART, RESOLUTION NO. 63-12, AND MODIFYING THE CITY'S POLICIES FOR CERTAIN PURCHASE ORDERS, AND DECLARING THIS ACT AN EMERGENCY.", on its second reading by title only. Upon Roll Call, all members voted Yes; the President declared the motion carried. The Clerk read Resolution No. 217-12 for the second time by title only.

A motion was made by Mr. Blocksom, seconded by Mr. Thornton, for the adoption of Resolution No. 217-12. Upon Roll Call, all members voted Yes. The President declared the motion carried and Resolution No. 217-12 was duly adopted.

A motion was made by Mr. Blocksom, seconded by Ms. Karg, to place Ordinance No. 218-12 entitled, "AN ORDINANCE TO MAKE SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS TO THE ANNUAL APPROPRIATIONS ORDINANCE NO. 184-12, TO MAKE APPROPRIATIONS FOR CURRENT EXPENSES AND OTHER EXPENDITURES OF THE CITY OF UPPER SANDUSKY, STATE OF OHIO, DURING THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2015, AND DECLARING THIS ACT AN EMERGENCY.", on its first reading by title only. Upon Roll Call, all members voted Yes; the President declared the motion carried. The Clerk read Ordinance No. 218-12 for the first time by title only.

A motion was made by Mr. Thornton, seconded by Mr. Blocksom, to suspend the rules of the Municipal Charter calling for separate readings on different days. Upon Roll Call, all members voted Yes. The President declared the motion carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Blocksom, seconded by Ms. Karg, to place Ordinance No. 218-12 on its second reading by title only. Upon Roll Call, all members voted Yes; the President declared the motion carried. The Clerk read Ordinance No. 218-12 for the second time by title only.

A motion was made by Mr. Spiegel, seconded by Mr. Thornton, for the adoption of Ordinance No. 218-12. Upon Roll Call, all members voted Yes. The President declared the motion carried and Ordinance No. 218-12 was duly adopted.

It was decided that City Council will hold their reorganizational meeting on Saturday, January 2, 2015 at 10:00 a.m. in Council Chambers.

Mayor Washburn reported on concerns received about dogs. Residents were reminded that their dogs should be confined or leashed at all times.

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

Sarah J. Bennett, Clerk

Rick Roberts, President