

COMMON COUNCIL

February 27, 2017

6:25 P.M.

The City of Lawrenceburg Common Council meeting was called to order by Mayor Kelly Mollaun, Clerk- Treasurer Tyler Rainey read roll call. Present were Board members Anthony Abbott, Aaron Cook, and Randy Abner, City Attorney Del Weldon, Police Chief Donnie Combs, EMS Director Bobby Mills, Fire Chief Johnnie Tremain, Mayor Kelly Mollaun and Clerk- Treasurer Tyler Rainey.

Board members Mel Davis and Paul Seymour JR were both absent, as well as Utility Director Olin Clawson.

ADMINISTRATIVE

Motion to approve minutes from the previous meeting.

Motion: Anthony Abbott

Second: Aaron Cook

Motion carried.

Board Reports

Streets, Alleys, Curbs—Aaron Cook stated that he had no report.

Finance—Anthony Abbott stated that everything looked good.

Parks and Playgrounds—no report

Fire—Randy Abner said that the fire rescue boat has been out, is registered and is running great.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mayor Mollaun had several announcements:

1. He stated that the parking garage has been taken back by the City, and if any non-profits would like to run it as a fundraiser, he asked that they please contact his office.
2. The donation committee requests have been distributed to Council for their approval.
3. A Work Session will be held on March 6 at 5:00PM
4. The poles at Center and Walnut are rusted out, and they are working on a permanent solution to the stop sign issue.
5. The Agner Hall walk in cooler will be demolished soon. Mario Todd said that this will be done in house, but that an outside vendor would be putting the panels in.

Member Aaron Cook asked why bids were not being open in public anymore. Mr. Clark said that they are advertised, opened at a public meeting and recorded.

(Discussion ensued.)

It was decided that from here on out bids will go back to being opened at the Council meetings.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Fire: Fire Chief Johnnie Tremain had no report.

Police: Police Chief Donnie Combs stated that: the firearm safety course would be advertised soon; the quick response team had met in Cincinnati this past week to share data; K9 activity is going well, and that he had not heard from anyone regarding the 5K –Voice for Kids.

EMS: EMS Director Bobby Mills distributed the total January run statistics as well as the overdose rate for the month.

Building Department: No report.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Denise Sedler

Dearborn Community Foundation 5K

Ms. Sedler introduced student Youth Council Tyler Schwarz to the Board. Ms. Schwarz stated that she is seeking permission from the Board to have a 5K on April 30th 1:00PM at the Dearborn Trail. She added that half of the proceeds would go to Special Olympics and half would go to the Foundation Endowment Board.

Ms. Sedler also asked for use of the gator and if an ambulance could possibly be on standby.

Motion to approve.

Motion: Randy Abner

Second: Anthony Abbott

Motion carried.

2. Del Weldon

Interlocal Bike Share Program and Resolution

Mr. Weldon explained the need for both an Interlocal and a Resolution with the City of Aurora for the rentable bikes. Maintenance would be performed by local businesses in each city.

Motion to approve the Interlocal.

Motion: Anthony Abbott

Second: Aaron Cook

Motion carried.

Motion to approve Resolution 2-2017.

Motion: Randy Abner

Second: Anthony Abbott

Motion carried.

3. Del Weldon

Retiree Supplement Back-Pay

Mr. Weldon explained that there had been an issue with the amount paid to a retiree for his Supplemental Insurance in the years 2013-2015.

Motion to permit back-pay for the individual.

Motion: Anthony Abbott

Second: Aaron Cook

Motion carried.

4. Del Weldon

Tri State Parking

City Attorney Del Weldon said that there had been some damage to equipment from the previous parking garage management. An arrest was made and restitution has been requested. Mr. Weldon advised that the City short pay Tri State Parking on their final bill for the costs of repairing the equipment. Then, if restitution is made, it will go directly to Tri State Parking.

Motion to short pay Tri State Parking for the cost of equipment repair.

Motion: Anthony Abbott

Second: Randy Abner

Motion carried.

5. Del Weldon

119 Short, 37 East High, 111-115 Short

Mr. Weldon explained that a motion had been made in Redevelopment for the joint project to be passed on to Council. He, however, advised that Council pass this back to Redevelopment for review of additional steps needed.

Motion to pass back to Redevelopment for review.

Motion: Randy Abner

Second: Anthony Abbott

Motion carried.

6. Del Weldon

Advanced Payment Ordinance

Mr. Weldon stated that the State Board of Accounts requires that no advanced payments be made. To remedy this, Mr. Weldon advised that Council can create a local ordinance that authorizes advanced payments on a case by case basis.

Mr. Weldon read Ordinance 2-2017 in full.

Motion to approve.

Motion: Anthony Abbott Second: Randy Abner

Motion carried.

Motion to suspend the rules and read by title only.

Motion: Anthony Abbott Second: Aaron Cook

Motion carried.

Motion to approve for the second reading.

Motion: Randy Abner Second: Anthony Abbott

Motion carried.

Motion to suspend the rules and read by title only.

Motion: Anthony Abbott Second: Randy Abner

Motion carried.

Motion to approve for the third and final reading.

Motion: Anthony Abbott Second: Aaron Cook

Motion carried.

-----PAUSE FOR PUBLIC HEARING (7:04PM)-----

Mr. Weldon read totals on Ordinance 3-2017 for Additional Appropriations.

Motion to approve.

Motion: Anthony Abbott Second: Aaron Cook

Motion carried.

Motion to suspend the rules and read by title only.

Motion: Aaron Cook Second: Anthony Abbott

Motion carried.

Motion to approve for the second reading.

Motion: Aaron Cook Second: Anthony Abbott

Motion carried.

Motion to suspend the rules and read by title only.

Motion: Aaron Cook Second: Anthony Abbott

Motion carried.

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Motion: Randy Abner Second: Anthony Abbott

Motion carried.

~~PUBLIC HEARING CLOSED~~

7. Mayor Mollaun

Advanced Payment List

Mayor Mollaun read this meeting's advanced payment list and asked for a motion for approval from Council.

Motion to approve advanced payment list.

Motion: Aaron Cook Second: Anthony Abbott

Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS

No Old or Unfinished Business.

Review and discussion of claims for Board approval.

Motion: Aaron Cook

Second: Anthony Abbott

Motion carried.

Comments from the Audience

--Allen Callaway asked if skateboards or bicycles were allowed on the sidewalks.

Police Chief Don Combs said that they are not, and that the police would be monitoring this more carefully.

--Anthony Abbott stated that people are driving too fast in the alleys. He asked if speed tables could be installed in order to slow people down. After some conversation, Mayor Mollaun asked that Mr. Abbott meet with Mr. Abdon and Mr. Todd to discuss different options.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn.

Motion: Anthony Abbott

Second: Aaron Cook

Motion carried.