**REGULAR MEETING**

**September 27, 2023**

**Struthers, Ohio 44471**

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**General Session 7:00 pm**

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The Regular Meeting of the Council of the City of Struthers, Ohio, was held on Wednesday, September 27, 2023 at roughly 7:00 p.m. with the following members present at Roll Call: Baluck, Bayus, Bigley (absent), Burnside, Carcelli, Greenwood, Pingley.

President of Council, Michael S. Patrick was present at the Meeting.

President of Council, asked everyone to stand for the Pledge.

Pledge was recited.

President of Council, Michael S. Patrick thanked everyone for coming this evening.

President of Council, Michael S. Patrick asked for a motion to excuse Councilman-At-Large, Mr. Dallas A. Bigley from the meeting due to surgical procedure.

Carcelli moved seconded by Pingley to excuse Mr. Dallas A. Bigley form the 2nd Regular Meeting Dated September 27, 2023 due to surgical procedure.

Roll Call: Voting yea: Baluck, Bayus, Bigley (absent), Burnside, Carcelli, Greenwood, Pingley.

Motion carried 6-0.

Mr. Richard S. Bayus excused by 6-0 vote.

President of Council, Michael S. Patrick recognized the invited guest in attendance at the Regular Council Meeting: Safety Service Director, Robert F. Benson and Law Director, John N. Zomoida Jr.

President of Council, Mr. Michael S. Patrick asked for a motion to dispense with the reading of the minutes of 1st Regular Meeting Dated Wednesday, September 13, 2023 and accept the minutes. Do I have a motion? A second?

Burnside moved seconded by Baluck to dispense with the reading of the minutes of the 1st Regular Meeting Dated Wednesday, September 13, 2023 and accept them as prepared by the Clerk.

Roll Call: Voting Yea: Baluck, Bayus, Bigley (absent), Burnside, Carcelli, Greenwood, Pingley.

No Remarks.

Motion Carried 6-0.

Meeting minutes approved and accepted by 6-0 vote.

President of Council, Michael S. Patrick stated that there were no communications this evening.

**COMMUNICATIONS**

**NO COMMUNICATIONS FOR REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL ON SEPTEMBER 27, 2023**

**MAYOR’S REPORT**

Mayor was not present and had no said report for Council.

There were no remarks or comments under Mayor’s Report.

**REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES (On Audio)**

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2023**

**NOTICE OF COUNCIL- AS- A -WHOLE COMMITTEE MEETINGS- SCHEDULED ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2023 AT 6:00 P.M. IN COUNCIL CAUCUS ROOM #11.**

**6:00 P.M.**

**FINANCE & LEGISLATION COMMITTEE**

Finance & Legislation Committee Chairman Dallas A. Bigley & Members: Richard S. Bayus, James E. Baluck. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss pending legislation.

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**ANYONE WISHING TO ADDRESS COUNCIL ON PENDING LEGISLATION**

There were no remarks or comments under Anyone Wishing To Address Council On Pending Legislation.

There were no remarks or comments under Addressing Council on Pending Legislation.

President of Council, Michael S. Patrick stated that there were (5) five pieces of legislation this evening for the Regular Meeting of Council.

**LEGISLATION**

**23-027**

**AN ORDINANCE CREATING THE POSITION OF PART-TIME STREET LABORER, AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO HIRE SAID PERSONS, ESTABLISHING COMPENSATION, REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 22-031 AND ANY ORDINANCE INCOSISTENT HEREWITH AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

Carcelli moved seconded by Pingley that the rules of Council be suspended and the ordinance be placed upon its passage.

Roll Call: Voting Yea: Baluck, Bayus, Bigley (absent), Burnside, Carcelli, Greenwood, Pingley.

No Remarks.

Carcelli moved seconded by Pingley that the ordinance be passed as read.

Roll Call: Voting Yea: Baluck, Bayus, Bigley (absent), Burnside, Carcelli, Greenwood, Pingley.

No Remarks.

Motion Carried 6-0.

Legislation passed by 6-0 vote.

**23-028**

**AN ORDINANCE CREATING THE POSITION OF PART-TIME PARK LABORER, AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO HIRE SAID PERSONS ESTABLISHING COMPENSATION, REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 22-034 AND ANY ORDINANCE INCOSISTENT HEREWITH AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

Bayus moved seconded by Greenwood that the rules of Council be suspended and the ordinance be placed upon its passage.

Roll Call: Voting Yea: Baluck, Bayus, Bigley (absent), Burnside, Carcelli, Greenwood, Pingley.

No Remarks.

Bayus moved seconded by Greenwood that the ordinance be passed as read.

Roll Call: Voting Yea: Baluck, Bayus, Bigley (absent), Burnside, Carcelli, Greenwood, Pingley.

No Remarks.

Motion Carried 6-0.

Legislation passed by 6-0 vote.

**23-029**

**AN ORDINANCE GRANTING AND ESTABLISHING AN HOURLY RATE FOR PART TIME PAID FIREMEN AND SETTING AN AMOUNT TO BE PAID TO PART TIME PAID FIREMEN FOR ATTENDANCE AT TRAINING MEETINGS; AND REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 22-028 AND ANY ORDINANCE INCONSISTENT HEREWITH AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

Burnside moved seconded by Carcelli that the rules of Council be suspended and the ordinance be placed upon its passage.

Roll Call: Voting Yea: Baluck, Bayus, Bigley (absent), Burnside, Carcelli, Greenwood, Pingley.

No Remarks.

Burnside moved seconded by Carcelli that the ordinance be passed as read.

Roll Call: Voting Yea: Baluck, Bayus, Bigley (absent), Burnside, Carcelli, Greenwood, Pingley.

No Remarks.

Motion Carried 6-0.

Legislation passed by 6-0 vote.

**23-030**

**AN ORDINANCE CREATING THE POSITION OF A NON-CLASSIFIED PART-TIME DISPATCHER OBSERVER/TRAINEE, SETTING HOURS AND WAGES FOR SAID POSITITION AND REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 22-030 AND ANY ORDINANCE INCOSISTANT HEREWITH AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

Bayus moved seconded by Greenwood that the rules of Council be suspended and the ordinance be placed upon its passage.

Roll Call: Voting Yea: Baluck, Bayus, Bigley (absent), Burnside, Carcelli, Greenwood, Pingley.

No Remarks.

Bayus moved seconded by Greenwood that the ordinance be passed as read.

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Mr. Robert D. Burnside asked if this for our station or for someone else.

SSD, Mr. Bob Benson said that it is for our dispatchers and it is only to bring up them up to minimum wage.

Motion Carried 6-0.

Legislation passed by 6-0 vote.

**2ND**

**READING**

**A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN (DISCOVER STRUTHERS).**

Pingley moved seconded by Baluck that the resolution be passed to a third reading.

Roll Call: Voting Yea: Baluck, Bayus, Bigley (absent), Burnside, Carcelli, Greenwood, Pingley.

No Remarks.

Motion Carried 6-0.

Legislation passed to a third reading by 6-0 vote.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

There were no remarks or comments under Unfinished Business.

**NEW BUSINESS**

Miss. Megan Pingley announced (SHP) Build-A -Bed on Saturday, September 30th at 8:00 am Struthers Street Department Garage. Trunk-or-Treat will be held on Monday, October 30th at NEBO Baseball Fields 100 Katerine Street, Struthers, Ohio 4447, between 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm.

**REPORT OF LAW DIRECTOR**

Law Director, John N. Zomoida, Jr. was present and had no said report for Council this evening.

There were no remarks or comments for Law Director.

**REPORT OF AUDITOR**

Auditor, Christina S. Bohl was not present and had no report for Council this evening.

There were no remarks or comments for the Auditor.

**REPORT OF SAFETY SERVICE DIRECTOR**

Safety Service Director was present at the meeting and had no report for Council this evening.

There were no remarks or comments for Safety Service Director.

**ADDRESSING OF COUNCIL (On Audio)**

**(On Audio - These minutes are a summarization of the Regular Meeting and not verbatim.)**

President of Council, Michael S. Patrick announced if anyone in the audience would like to address council, please come to the podium and state your name and address for the record. You will have three (3) minutes to speak. Thank you!

President of Council, Michael S. Patrick asked again that the audience come forward if they wish to speak. The following spoke:

There were no remarks or comments for Addressing of Council.

**President of Council, Michael S. Patrick** **announced the following:**

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**ADJOURNMENT**

Carcelli moved seconded by Bayus that the meeting be adjourned.

Roll Call: Voting Yea: Baluck, Bayus, Bigley (absent), Burnside, Carcelli, Greenwood, Pingley.

Motion Carried 6-0.

Meeting Adjourned.

President of Council, Mr. Michael S. Patrick declared the meeting be adjourned and thanked everyone for coming to the meeting.

\_*Megan R. Shorthouse*\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_*Michael S. Patrick*\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

CLERK OF COUNCIL PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL