

REGULAR COUNCIL

DAYTON LEGAL BLANK, INC., FORM NO. 10148

Held FEBRUARY 21 2017

Council met in regular session at 7:00 P.M. in council chambers at city hall, 28 W. Friend Street, Columbiana, Ohio 44408 with Mayor Bryan Blakeman presiding. Clerk of Council Deann L. Davis gave the invocation. Blakeman led the pledge of allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

The following members of council answered roll call:

Dan Bekar	Ted Souder
Richard McBane	Richard Liston
Crystal Siembida-Boggs	

Also answering roll call were City Manager Lance Willard and Municipal Attorney Daniel A. Blasdell. Council member Rick Noel was absent.

Each member of council had a copy of the agenda for this regular council meeting.

Each member of council had a copy of the minutes of the regular council meeting held on February 7, 2017. The minutes stand as presented.

Blakeman read a letter from the Fairfield Ruritan Club requesting permission to hold their annual classic, custom, and antique car show on Sunday, July 16, 2017, from 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on South Main Street.

Blakeman read a letter from the Columbiana Softball Association requesting permission to hold a tag day on April 29, 2017, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Blakeman read a letter from American Legion Post 290 requesting permission to hold the annual Memorial Day parade on Monday, May 29, 2017, at 10:00 a.m. and the Columbiana Street Fair on September 7, 8, and 9, 2017, with the parade on September 7 at 6:30 p.m.

Blakeman read a letter from American Legion Post 290 requesting permission to place a banner across North Main Street for the street fair from August 15 to September 9.

McBane moved to grant permission to hold the annual Memorial Day parade on Monday, May 29, 2017, at 10:00 a.m. and the Columbiana Street Fair on September 7, 8, and 9, 2017, with the parade on September 7 at 6:30 p.m. and to place a banner across North Main Street for the street fair from August 15 to September 9. Bekar seconded the motion and on roll call: Bekar, yea; Souder, yea; McBane, yea; Liston, yea; and Boggs, yea. (Motion Passed.)

Council members received a copy of the Columbiana City Board of Zoning Appeals meeting minutes of February 9, 2017; and the Columbiana City Planning Commission meeting minutes of February 14, 2017.

Diane Less of Angels for Animals appeared before council and asked council to consider an ordinance to control cats.

Willard presented council members with the manager's update.

Willard presented council members with the building/zoning department reports for December 2016 and January 2017, the mayor's court report for January 2017, and the EMS department reports for December 2016 and January 2017.

Finance Director Mike Harold reviewed the 2017 budget.

Harold stated he would research the deadline to place the EMS levy renewal on the ballot. Council members reviewed the bill list of February 21, 2017.

Blakeman noted under old business there was one resolution and under new business there were three ordinances. Liston moved that, due to the length of the resolution and ordinances, and because each member of council had a copy in his or her possession, Blakeman read the resolution and ordinances by title only. Boggs seconded the motion and on roll call: Souder, yea; McBane, yea; Liston, yea; Boggs, yea; and Bekar, yea. (Motion Passed.)

Blakeman read Resolution 17-R-504 by title only-----  
 "A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING MONIES FROM THE COLUMBIANA COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS TO BE USED EXCLUSIVELY FOR WAGES AND RELATED BENEFITS TO PERMIT THE CITY OF COLUMBIANA POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ASSIGN AN OFFICER TO THE COLUMBIANA COUNTY DRUG TASK FORCE."

Souder moved to approve Resolution 17-R-504 under SECOND READING. Liston seconded the motion and on roll call: McBane, yea; Liston, yea; Boggs, yea; Bekar, yea; and Souder, yea. (Motion Passed.)

Bekar moved to grant permission for the Fairfield Ruritan Club to hold their annual classic, custom, and antique car show on Sunday, July 16, 2017, from 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on South Main Street. Souder seconded the motion and on roll call: Liston, yea; Boggs, yea; Bekar, yea; Souder, yea; and McBane, yea. (Motion Passed.)

Souder moved to grant permission for the Columbiana Softball Association to hold a tag day on April 29, 2017, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Liston seconded the motion and on roll call: Boggs, yea; Bekar, yea; Souder, yea; McBane, yea; and Liston, yea. (Motion Passed.)

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Blakeman read Ordinance 17-O-2900 by title only-----  
"AN ORDINANCE TO MAKE APPROPRIATIONS FOR CURRENT EXPENSES AND OTHER EXPENDITURES OF THE CITY OF COLUMBIANA, STATE OF OHIO, FOR THE YEAR 2017 AND ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2017."

Souder moved to approve Ordinance 17-O-2900 under FIRST READING. Liston seconded the motion and on roll call: Bekar, yea; Souder, yea; McBane, yea; Liston, yea; and Boggs, yea. (Motion Passed.)

Blakeman read Ordinance 17-O-2901 by title only-----  
"AN ORDINANCE TRANSFERRING TWO MILLION TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS FROM THE INCOME TAX FUND: ONE MILLION ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS TO THE GENERAL FUND AND ONE MILLION ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS TO THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND ALL FOR THE PAYMENT OF CURRENT EXPENSES AS THEY MAY ARISE."

Boggs moved to approve Ordinance 17-O-2901 under FIRST READING. McBane seconded the motion and on roll call: Souder, yea; McBane, yea; Liston, yea; Boggs, yea; and Bekar, yea. (Motion Passed.)

Blakeman read Ordinance 17-O-2902 by title only-----  
"AN ORDINANCE TRANSFERRING FOUR HUNDRED EIGHTY THOUSAND DOLLARS FROM THE GENERAL FUND: ONE HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS TO THE CEMETERY FUND AND ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS TO THE PARK FUND AND EIGHTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS TO THE POLICE PENSION FUND AND SIXTY THOUSAND DOLLARS TO THE SPECIAL ASSESSMENT BOND RETIREMENT FUND ALL FOR THE PAYMENT OF CURRENT EXPENSES AS THEY MAY ARISE."

Souder moved to approve Ordinance 17-O-2902 under FIRST READING. Bekar seconded the motion and on roll call: McBane, yea; Liston, yea; Boggs, yea; Bekar, yea; and Souder, yea. (Motion Passed.)

Bekar moved to put the question of whether to allow chickens in the city on the November ballot. Souder seconded the motion.

Liston stated he feels council should decide what regulations would be necessary on chickens and he presented a list of items for consideration.

McBane stated he would prefer everyone on council be present to decide whether to put the issues on the ballot or to let council make the decision.

McBane moved to table the motion to put the issue on the November ballot. Boggs seconded the motion and on roll call: Liston, yea; Boggs, yea; Bekar, yea; Souder, yea; and McBane, yea. (Motion Passed.)

McBane moved to consider the list of items presented by Liston. Boggs seconded the motion and on roll call: Boggs, yea; Bekar, yea; Souder, yea; McBane, yea; and Liston, yea. (Motion Passed.)

Discussion followed on the list of items presented by Liston. Council concurred to consider the list at the next meeting.

McBane moved to adjourn this regular meeting at 9:15 P.M. and all members of council concurred.

ATTEST: Deann L. Davis  
Deann L. Davis, Clerk of Council

Bryan Blakeman  
Bryan Blakeman, Presiding Officer