

**City of Trenton**  
**REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA**  
**VIA ZOOM**

March 18th, 2021 - 7:30 p.m.

**CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor Calvin Woodrey called the regular Council meeting to order at 7:36pm.

**PRAYER**

City Treasurer Mike Engel led everyone in prayer followed by the pledge of allegiance.

**ROLL CALL**

Council Clerk Laura Daley took roll call. Councilwoman Harris was not in attendance. Vice Mayor Perry made a motion to excuse Ms. Harris, followed by a second by Councilman Agee. Roll call was taken; 6 ayes, 0 nays, 1 absent.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

1. Minutes of the March 4th, 2021 Work Session.
2. Minutes of the March 4th, 2021 Council Meeting.  
Vice Mayor Perry made a motion to approve the minutes, followed by a second by Councilman Agee. Roll call was taken; 6 ayes, 0 nays, 1 absent.

**CORRESPONDENCE**

1. Statement of Cash Position
2. Treasury Investment Report
3. Fund Balance Status Report  
City Treasurer Mike Engel explained that the correspondence were discussed during work session yet for those watching all fund balances are within their fund balance policy, which is our fiscal responsibility to protect our funds.

**PRESENTATIONS**

1. None.

**AUDIENCE OF PUBLIC**

1. Comments can be submitted via email to the clerk of Council at [ldaley@ci.trenton.oh.us](mailto:ldaley@ci.trenton.oh.us) before meeting and will be answered during audience of Public.  
There were no comments submitted.

## **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

1. None.

## **PUBLIC HEARINGS**

1. None.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

1. None.

## **LEGISLATION**

A motion was made to read items 1-3 under legislation by title only, pausing after number 1 to take a vote on the Ordinance. City attorney Nick Ziepfel read items 1 – 3 by title only, allowing Council to vote on item #1.

1. AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ANNEXATION OF 199.858 ACRES OF LAND OWNED BY THE CITY OF TRENTON TO THE CITY AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO PROSECUTE SUCH ACTION. **(Third Reading)**  
Vice Mayor Perry made a motion to authorize, followed by a second by Councilman Nichols. Roll call was taken; 6 ayes, 0 nays, 1 absent.
2. AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 250, EMPLOYEES GENERALLY OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF TRENTON. **(Second Reading)**  
The third reading will be at the April 1<sup>st</sup> meeting.
3. AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 18-2013 AND ORDINANCE NO. 38-2019, FUND CASH BALANCE POLICY, FOR THE CITY OF TRENTON, AND ADDITIONALLY AMENDING SECTION 222.18 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. **(Second Reading)**  
The third reading will be at the April 1<sup>st</sup> meeting.
4. AN ORDINANCE TO REPEAL CERTAIN PARTS OF THE EMPLOYEE CLASSIFICATION AND WAGE PLAN, FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, OHIO, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. **(First Reading)**  
City Attorney Nick Ziepfel read this Ordinance in its entirety. The second reading will be at the April 1<sup>st</sup> meeting.
5. AN ORDINANCE REPEALING SECTION 280.05 ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES. **(First Reading)**  
City Attorney Nick Ziepfel read this Ordinance in its entirety. The second reading will be at the April 1<sup>st</sup> meeting.

## **REPORTS**

City Attorney Nick Ziepfel had no reports.

Council Clerk Laura Daley had no reports.

City Treasurer Mike Engel reported the IRS has postponed the April 15<sup>th</sup> deadline until May 17<sup>th</sup>. The City will look into doing the same.

City Manager Marcos Nichols reported as weather changes our community will revamp their projects, adding decks, pools, fences and so-on. He explained that all permit applications are on our webpage where they can be filled out and submitted to the appropriate people online. Also code enforcement reporting and non-emergency reports can also be submitted online as well.

## **AUDIENCE OF COUNCIL**

Councilwoman Combs had no reports.

Councilman Montgomery stated that he had already filed his City taxes, he was able to make an appointment and it went very smoothly. He wanted to remind the public that closer to the deadline, the City typically offers extended hours to accommodate all. Finally with the warmer weather coming to please to be very cautious of the kids playing outdoors.

Councilman Nichols stated he had spoken with Bill Jones our Zoning administrator and he stated that things are already picking up as the weather changes. So please consider the option of applying for permits online.

Councilman Agee stated he had some things he could report on but his most important report is to wish his daughter an early 15<sup>th</sup> birthday, her birthday is Saturday.

Vice Mayor Perry had no reports.

Mayor Woodrey reported that the City building is opened back up to the public as of March 15<sup>th</sup>. He too reminded everyone to be watchful of our children as the weather gets warmer and they begin to play outdoors again. Finally he stated that a member of our community, Tom Burwick passed away. He was a very nice man and will be missed by many.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Vice Mayor Perry made a motion to adjourn, followed by a second by Councilman Agee. Roll call was taken; 6 ayes, 0 nays, 1 absent.