

REGULAR MEETING

April 24, 2019

Struthers, Ohio 44471

The Regular Meeting of the Council of the City of Struthers, Ohio, was held on Wednesday, April 24, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. in Council Chambers with the following members present at Roll Call: Bayus, Bigley, Burnside, Carcelli, Fire, Patrick, Rudzik.

President of Council, Henry D. Franceschelli, Sr., was present at the Meeting.

President of Council, Henry D. Franceschelli, Sr., asked everyone to stand for the Pledge and for the gentlemen to remove their hats.

Pledge was recited.

President of Council, Henry D. Franceschelli, Sr., thanked everyone for coming this evening.

President of Council, Henry D. Franceschelli, Sr., recognized the invited guest in attendance at the Regular Council Meeting: Mayor Terry P. Stocker, Safety Service Director, Robert (Bob) Norris and Law Director, John N. Zomoida Jr. (Auditor, Christina Bohl/Jackson, Judge Dominic Leone, Tax Commissioner, James Bertrando and Treasurer, Robert D. Carcelli, III –not present.) Also present: Former President of Council & Councilman, Robert (Bob) Carcelli, Former 2nd Ward Councilwoman, Carol A. Crytzer, Police Chief Roddy and Struthers Police Officer Present: Cramer, Ritter and Fedorek.

President of Council, Henry D. Franceschelli, Sr., asked for a motion to dispense with the reading of the minutes and to accept the minutes. Do I have a motion? A second?

Fire moved seconded by Burnside to dispense with the reading of the minutes of 1st Regular Meeting dated April 10, 2019 and Special Meeting minutes dated April 17, 2019 and accept them as prepared by the Clerk.

Roll Call: Voting yea: Bayus, Bigley, Burnside, Carcelli, Fire, Patrick, Rudzik.
Motion carried 7-0.

Meeting minutes accepted by 7-0 vote.

COMMUNICATIONS (On File)

- 1. STRUTHERS MUNICIPAL COURT REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH 2019 SUBMITTED BY LORRAINE SCIORTINO, CLERK OF COURTS.**
- 2. STRUTHERS MUNICIPAL TREASURER'S CASH TRANSACTION REPORTS FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH 2019 SUBMITTED BY ROBERT D. CARCELLI, STRUTHERS CITY TREASURER.**
- 3. STRUTHERS CITY AUDITOR'S MONTHLY STATEMENT OF CASH POSITION, REVENUE REPORT WITH TRANSFER IN & OUT, AND EXPENSE TRANSACTION LEDGER REPORTS FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH 2019, SUBMITTED BY CHRISTINA S. BOHL, STRUTHERS CITY AUDITOR.**

President of Council, Henry D. Franceschelli, Sr., asked for a motion to receive and file communications.

Bayus motioned seconded by Bigley to receive and file said communications.
Roll Call: Voting Yea: Bayus, Bigley, Burnside, Carcelli, Fire, Patrick, Rudzik.
Motion Carried 7-0.

Communications accepted and filed by 7-0 vote.

MAYOR'S REPORT (ON AUDIO)

Mayor was present at the meeting and had no said report for Council this evening. Mayor Stocker gave a verbal report to Council: 1) Thanked all the Businesses for their donations for the Easter Egg Hunt, 2) Congratulated CASTLO for securing \$10,000.00 Planning Grant from East Gate Council of Government, 3) Sent a Thank you letter to the Mayor of Akron, who sponsored the Dam Removal Project this will need approval from the EPA, 4) Accepted the Resignation letter from Officer Tyler George- He accepted a position with Trumble County Police Department and 5) WWTP, SSD and Mayor went to a meeting that was hosted by Mahoning County for the replacement of the Bridge in Lowellville.

There were no remarks or comments for the Mayor.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES (On Audio) May 1, 2019

Robert D. Burnside, Chairman of the Finance & Legislation Committee scheduled a meeting for Wednesday, May 1, 2019 at 6:15 p.m. in Council Caucus Room. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss pending Legislation. (Called for during the Regular Meeting of Council.)

ANYONE WISHING TO ADDRESS COUNCIL ON PENDING LEGISLATION

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

LEGISLATION

19-015

AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF \$1,000.00 TO BOB CENE PARK FOR AN OUTFIELD ADVERTISEMENT SIGN FOR THE CITY OF STRUTHERS FOR THE YEAR 2019 AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

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

Roll Call: Voting Yea: Bayus, Bigley, Burnside, Carcelli, Fire, Patrick, Rudzik.
No Remarks.

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

Roll Call: Voting Yea: Bayus, Bigley, Bunside, Carcelli, Fire, Patrick, Rudzik.
No Remarks.

Motion Carried 7-0.

Legislation passed by 7-0 vote.

19-016

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND SAFETY SERVICE DIRECTOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE BOARD OF MAHONING COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR THE REUSE AND RECYCLING DIVISION OF MAHONING COUNTY FOR THE PERIOD COMMENCING JANUARY 1, 2019 AND ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2019 AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

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

Roll Call: Voting Yea: Bayus, Bigley, Burnside, Carcelli, Fire, Patrick, Rudzik.
No Remarks.

Burnside moved seconded by Patrick that the resolution be passed as read.

Roll Call: Voting Yea: Bayus, Bigley, Bunside, Carcelli, Fire, Patrick, Rudzik.
No Remarks.

Motion Carried 7-0.

Legislation passed by 7-0 vote.

19-017

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND SAFETY SERVICE DIRECTOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE BOARD OF MAHONING COUNTY COMMISISONERS FOR THE REUSE AND RECYCLING DIVISION OF MAHONING COUNTY TO CONDUCT AN APPLIANCE & ELECTRONICS DRIVE AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

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

Roll Call: Voting Yea: Bayus, Bigley, Burnside, Carcelli, Fire, Patrick, Rudzik.
No Remarks.

Bayus moved seconded by Rudzik that the resolution be passed as read.

Roll Call: Voting Yea: Bayus, Bigley, Bunside, Carcelli, Fire, Patrick, Rudzik.
No Remarks.

Motion Carried 7-0.

Legislation passed by 7-0 vote.

19-018

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO APPLY FOR, ACCEPT, AND SUBMIT APPLICATIONS FOR A 20 PERCENT MACTHING FUND LITTER CLEAN UP GRANT THROUGH THE OHIO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (OHIO EPA) NOT TO EXCEED \$4,000.00 FOR FISCAL YEAR STARTING JULY 1, 2019 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2020 AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Rudzik moved seconded by Bigley that the rules of Council be suspended and the resolution be placed upon its passage.

Roll Call: Voting Yea: Bayus, Bigley, Burnside, Carcelli, Fire, Patrick, Rudzik.
No Remarks.

Rudzik moved seconded by Bigley that the resolution be passed as read.

Roll Call: Voting Yea: Bayus, Bigley, Bunside, Carcelli, Fire, Patrick, Rudzik.
No Remarks.

Motion Carried 7-0.

Legislation passed by 7-0 vote.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

There were no remarks or comments under Unfinished Business.

NEW BUSINESS

There were no remarks or comments under New Business.

REPORT OF LAW DIRECTOR (On Audio)

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

There were no remarks or comments for the Law Director.

REPORT OF AUDITOR (Report On File)

Auditor Christina Bohl was not present at the meeting and had no said report for Council this evening. Auditor's Report: Struthers City Auditor's Monthly Statement Of Cash Position, Revenue Report With Transfer In & Out, And Expense Transaction Ledger Reports For The Month Of March 2019, Submitted By Christina S. Bohl, Struthers City Auditor. (On File)

There were no remarks or comments for the Auditor.

REPORT OF SAFETY SERVICE DIRECTOR (On Audio)

Safety Service Director was present at the meeting and had no said report for Council this evening. Mr. Norris reported: 1) AQUA is replacing waterline on North

Bridge Street one lane traffic, 2) Lowellville Bridge, 3) 616 Repaved - one lane open for 45 days and 4) Youngstown Poland Road will be paved later on this year.

There were no remarks or comments for the Safety Service Director.

ADDRESSING OF COUNCIL (On Audio)

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

Mr. Robert (Bob) Carcelli, 409 Edison Street, Struthers, Ohio 44471. He wanted to address to concerns: 1) Property Maintenance, Occupancy and Landlord Ordinances all need looked at. The city will need a Full-Time Enforcement Officer. He wants to know what the current status is on the Ordinance. 2) Grants and funding for the Police & Fire Station. He wanted to get copies of all the denial letters from the organizations that the City has sent letters to and wants the copies of those along with all denial letters sent back to the City saying that there is no funding and 3) He spoke about CASTLO at length. He said that for 10 years there has be no signs of jobs from CASTLO. No Jobs-No Towns. He asked about the 1 acre of property for the mini park when CASTLO has 135 acres of property

Point-Of-Order called by Mr. Dallas A. Bigley. He named all business in CASTLO: AQUA, Flying J, Pilot, IPS and \$700,000.00 was just put into a building that Penn Ohio owns, so he's confused by the fact of him saying that nothing has been done down there in 10 years is wrong to say. He totally disagrees with his statements, because the City also entered into a TIF agreement with CASTLO.

Mr. Robert D. Carcelli made additional comments. He wanted to know how many jobs they brought in. How many jobs are we looking at?

Mr. Bigley made additional comments.

Mr. Bigley and Mr. Carcelli went back and forth.

President of Council shut down Mr. Robert (Bob) Carcelli.

Mr. Carcelli continued to speak.

Presidnet of Council, Henry D. Franceschelli, Sr. pounded the gaval three times and stated that this is over. It's over. Thank you!

Miss. Ruth Charles, 151 Woodbine, Struthers, Ohio 44471. She stated that with all this talk about the NEW Fire Station, she hopes they don't plan on shutting down the North Side Fire Station. She stated that the Station was put there to respond to fire on the North Side because of the train tracks and the time it would take to respond to a fire call. She doesn't want to lose her house should a fire happen. She spoke at length about the trains in downtown Struthers especially when they back up those trains. I don't want to see anyone lose their house because the fire truck can't get through. Please don't close that Fire Station! Thank you!

Ms. Linda Sheevetz, 65 Perry Street, Struthers, Ohio 44471. She stated that she agrees with Mr. Robert Carcelli about the rental Property Ordinance that is needed here in the City. She would also like to know the status on the Landlord Ordinance. She also stated that she doesn't want the North Side Fire Station to close. Finally, she would like to see something done to the car lot on Lowellville road.

Remarks/Comments:

Burnside, Fire, and Bigley addressed the questions and concerns of Miss Charles and Ms. Sheevetz.

President of Council, Henry D. Franceschelli, Sr., announced the Committee Meetings scheduled for Wednesday, May 1, 2019 is as follows:

Finance & Legislation Committee Meeting at 6:15 p.m. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss pending Legislation.

ELECTRONIC DAY- SATURDAY, MAY 4, 2019 FROM 8-12

STRUTHERS CLEAN-UP DAY- SATURDAY, MAY 18, 2019 FROM 8-12

STRUTHERS CIVIC DAY- FRIDAY, APRIL 26, 2019 8:00 A.M.

ADJOURNMENT

Bigley moved seconded by Fire that the meeting be adjourned.

Roll Call: Voting yea: Bayus, Bigley, Burnside, Carcelli, Fire, Patrick, Rudzik.

Motion Carried 7-0.

President of Council, Henry D. Franceschelli, Sr., declared the meeting be adjourned and thanks for coming.

CLERK OF COUNCIL

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL