

The Council of the City of North Royalton caucused in the North Royalton City Hall Council Chambers, 14600 State Road on **February 2, 2021 at 7:46 p.m.**

**PRESENT: Council:** President of Council Paul Marnecheck, Council Representatives Jessica Fenos, Linda Barath, Joanne Krejci, Jeremy Dietrich, Vincent Weimer, Michael Vos, Legislative Services Director Dana Schroeder; **Administration:** Mayor Larry Antoskiewicz, Law Director Thomas Kelly

Agenda reviewed.

The Council of the City of North Royalton met in the North Royalton City Hall Council Chambers, 14600 State Road on **February 2, 2021 in regular session.** The meeting was called to order at **7:48 p.m.** by President of Council Paul Marnecheck and opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

**PRESENT: Council:** President of Council Paul Marnecheck, Council Representatives Jessica Fenos, Linda Barath, Joanne Krejci, Jeremy Dietrich, Vincent Weimer, Michael Vos, Legislative Services Director Dana Schroeder; **Administration:** Mayor Larry Antoskiewicz, Law Director Thomas Kelly

### **CONSENT AGENDA**

- a. Approval of Minutes: January 19, 2021
- b. Authorize the Mayor and Service Director to advertise for bids for the 2021 Road Maintenance Program.
- c. Legislation:

#### **RESOLUTION 21-18**

Introduced by: Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos, Mayor Antoskiewicz. **A RESOLUTION ACKNOWLEDGING THE COMMUNITY SERVICE OF MARK SCHMITZER.** Title read.

#### **RESOLUTION 21-19**

Introduced by: Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos, Mayor Antoskiewicz. **A RESOLUTION ACKNOWLEDGING THE COMMUNITY SERVICE OF DANIEL COLLINS.** Title read.

- No one on Council wished to have an item removed from the Consent Agenda for discussion.
- No one in the audience wished to have a legislative item removed from the Consent Agenda for discussion.

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Ms. Barath to **suspend the rules requiring three readings and referral to committee for those legislative items on the Consent Agenda.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None.** **Motion carried.** Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Mr. Weimer to **adopt the Consent Agenda as presented and read.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None.** **Motion carried.**

**COMMUNICATIONS:** None

**MAYOR'S REPORT:** No report.

**DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS:** No report.

**PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL'S REPORT:** Mr. Marnecheck stated that we are working on the technology to better stream the meetings. We are currently looking at the system capabilities to make sure everything works together. Hopefully we will have an update soon.

Mr. Marnecheck stated in everyone's life there are some moments we wish could be avoided, or wish we could get a do over. I had such a moment in late November, which is a topic of a letter you all received at our last Council meeting. I was frustrated and inappropriately raised my voice to some local business owners. Nearly immediately, I realized my misguided nature and sincerely apologized to them. They were very gracious and they did accept my apology. I also contacted them the following days and apologized again and they again accepted my apology. I again tonight apologize to them, to anyone who was offended and of course, to you, my colleagues. I'm very sorry for this, I do apology to everybody. If anyone would like to discuss this with me, I'm of

course available. Is there a motion to direct the investigation of the content of that complaint? PAUSE Hearing none, as there is no motion to take up the investigation, this matter is concluded.

#### COMMITTEE REPORTS:

All Committees, Boards, and Commissions announced the dates and times of their next regularly scheduled meetings and reviewed items currently on their agendas. All meetings are held at City Hall, 14600 State Road, unless otherwise noted. A complete meeting schedule is available from the Council Office. **Any changes to the regular schedule of Council or committee meetings are noted below.**

#### LEGISLATION

##### FIRST READING CONSIDERATION:

##### ORDINANCE 21-20

Introduced by: Mayor Antoskiewicz. **AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A COMMUNITY COST-SHARE AGREEMENT WITH THE NORTHEAST OHIO REGIONAL SEWER DISTRICT FOR THE PINESTREAM SUBDIVISION STORM SEWER IMPROVEMENT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.** Title read.

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Mr. Vos to **suspend the rules requiring three readings and referral to committee.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None.** **Motion carried.** Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Ms. Barath to **adopt Ordinance 21-20.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None.** **Motion carried.**

##### ORDINANCE 21-21

Introduced by: Mayor Antoskiewicz. **AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A SIXTH AMENDMENT TO THE AGREEMENT FOR PUBLIC SAFETY DISPATCH SERVICES BETWEEN THE CITY OF STRONGSVILLE, OHIO AND THE CITY OF NORTH ROYALTON, OHIO TO AMEND THE PROVISION RELATING TO PAYMENT FOR DISPATCH SERVICES, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.** Title read.

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Mr. Dietrich to **suspend the rules requiring three readings and referral to committee.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). **Motion carried.** Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Ms. Krejci to **adopt Ordinance 21-21.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None.** **Motion carried.**

##### ORDINANCE 21-22

Introduced by: Weimer, Marnecheck, Fenos. **AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FOR THE PURCHASE OF ONE (1) DUMP BODY AND ACCESSORIES PACKAGE FOR THE NORTH ROYALTON SERVICE DEPARTMENT THROUGH THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES, OHIO COOPERATIVE PURCHASING PROGRAM, VENDOR CONCORD ROAD EQUIPMENT, MFG., INC. FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$21,692.19, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.** Title read.

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Ms. Barath to **suspend the rules requiring three readings and referral to committee.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None.** **Motion carried.** Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Mr. Dietrich to **adopt Ordinance 21-22.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None.** **Motion carried.**

##### ORDINANCE 21-23

Introduced by: Weimer, Marnecheck, Fenos. **AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FOR THE PURCHASE OF ONE (1) 2022 FORD F450 CREW CAB AND CHASSIS FOR THE NORTH ROYALTON SERVICE DEPARTMENT THROUGH THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES, OHIO COOPERATIVE PURCHASING PROGRAM, VENDOR VALLEY FORD TRUCK FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$44,682.00, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.** Title read.

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Mr. Weimer to **suspend the rules requiring three readings and referral to committee.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None.** **Motion carried.** Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Mr.

Wos **to adopt Ordinance 21-23**. Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Wos). Nays: **None**. **Motion carried**.

#### **ORDINANCE 21-24**

Introduced by: Weimer, Marnecheck, Fenos. **AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FOR THE PURCHASE OF ONE (1) CATERPILLAR MODEL 305E2 MINI HYDRAULIC EXCAVATOR FOR THE NORTH ROYALTON SERVICE DEPARTMENT THROUGH SOURCEWELL, FORMERLY NJPA, COOPERATIVE PURCHASING PROGRAM, VENDOR OHIO CAT FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$63,196.00, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**. Title read.

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Mr. Dietrich to **suspend the rules requiring three readings and referral to committee**. Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Wos). Nays: **None**. **Motion carried**. Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Mr. Weimer **to adopt Ordinance 21-24**. Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Wos). Nays: **None**. **Motion carried**.

#### **ORDINANCE 21-25**

Introduced by: Weimer, Marnecheck, Fenos. **AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FOR THE PURCHASE OF ONE (1) CATERPILLAR MODEL 272D3 SKID STEER WITH PC306 COLD PLANER ATTACHMENT FOR THE NORTH ROYALTON SERVICE DEPARTMENT THROUGH SOURCEWELL, FORMERLY NJPA, COOPERATIVE PURCHASING PROGRAM, VENDOR OHIO CAT FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$73,085.04, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**. Title read.

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Mr. Wos to **suspend the rules requiring three readings and referral to committee**. Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Wos). Nays: **None**. **Motion carried**. Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Mr. Dietrich **to adopt Ordinance 21-25**. Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Wos). Nays: **None**. **Motion carried**.

#### **ORDINANCE 21-26**

Introduced by: Krejci, Dietrich, Wos. **AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FOR THE PURCHASE OF ONE (1) SINGLE AND TANDEM AXLE CAB AND CHASSIS FOR THE NORTH ROYALTON WASTEWATER DEPARTMENT THROUGH THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION PURCHASING CONTRACT FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$99,000.00, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**. Title read.

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Ms. Barath to **suspend the rules requiring three readings and referral to committee**. Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Wos). Nays: **None**. **Motion carried**. Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Mr. Dietrich **to adopt Ordinance 21-26**. Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Wos). Nays: **None**. **Motion carried**.

#### **ORDINANCE 21-27**

Introduced by: Krejci, Dietrich, Wos. **AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FOR THE PURCHASE OF ONE (1) GAPVAX COMBINATION JET/VACCUM MACHINE FOR THE NORTH ROYALTON WASTEWATER DEPARTMENT THROUGH THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES, OHIO COOPERATIVE PURCHASING PROGRAM, VENDOR MTECH FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$289,643.00, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**. Title read.

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Mr. Weimer to **suspend the rules requiring three readings and referral to committee**. Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Wos). Nays: **None**. **Motion carried**. Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Mr. Wos **to adopt Ordinance 21-27**. Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Wos). Nays: **None**. **Motion carried**.

#### **ORDINANCE 21-28**

Introduced by: Mayor Antoskiewicz. **AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT AND A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE AMERICAN FEDERATION OF STATE, COUNTY, AND MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES, OHIO COUNCIL 8, LOCAL 3410 (AFSCME), AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**. Title read.

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Mr. Wos to **suspend the rules requiring three readings and referral to committee**. Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich,

Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None. Motion carried.** Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Ms. Fenos **to adopt Ordinance 21-28.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None. Motion carried.**

#### **ORDINANCE 21-29**

Introduced by: Mayor Antoskiewicz. **AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT AND A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE, LODGE #15 (POLICE DEPARTMENT RECORDS ROOM CLERICAL STAFF, MAINTENANCE STAFF, AND ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICERS), AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.** Title read.

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Ms. Barath to **suspend the rules requiring three readings and referral to committee.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None. Motion carried.** Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Mr. Dietrich **to adopt Ordinance 21-29.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None. Motion carried.**

#### **ORDINANCE 21-30**

Introduced by: Mayor Antoskiewicz. **AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT AND A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE, LODGE #15 (CORRECTIONS), AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.** Title read.

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Mr. Weimer to **suspend the rules requiring three readings and referral to committee.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None. Motion carried.** Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Ms. Barath **to adopt Ordinance 21-30.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None. Motion carried.**

#### **ORDINANCE 21-31**

Introduced by: Mayor Antoskiewicz. **AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT AND A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE LODGE #15 (PATROL OFFICERS), AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.** Title read.

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Mr. Vos to **suspend the rules requiring three readings and referral to committee.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None. Motion carried.** Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Ms. Barath **to adopt Ordinance 21-31.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None. Motion carried.**

#### **ORDINANCE 21-32**

Introduced by: Mayor Antoskiewicz. **AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT AND A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE LODGE #15 (SERGEANTS), AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.** Title read.

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Mr. Dietrich to **suspend the rules requiring three readings and referral to committee.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None. Motion carried.** Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Ms. Krejci **to adopt Ordinance 21-32.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None. Motion carried.**

#### **ORDINANCE 21-33**

Introduced by: Mayor Antoskiewicz. **AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 15-119 ESTABLISHING VARIOUS BENEFITS FOR ALL FULL-TIME NON-UNION EMPLOYEES OF THE CITY OF NORTH ROYALTON, SECTION 4 INSURANCE, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.** Title read.

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Mr. Vos to **suspend the rules requiring three readings and referral to committee.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None. Motion carried.** Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Mr. Dietrich **to adopt Ordinance 21-33.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None. Motion carried.**

**ORDINANCE 21-34**

Introduced by: Mayor Antoskiewicz. **AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING RATES OF COMPENSATION FOR THE CITY OF NORTH ROYALTON NON-UNION EMPLOYEES DURING CALENDAR YEAR 2021, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.** Title read.

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Mr. Wos to **suspend the rules requiring three readings and referral to committee.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Wos). Nays: **None. Motion carried.** Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Ms. Fenos to **adopt Ordinance 21-34.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Wos). Nays: **None. Motion carried.**

**MISCELLANEOUS**

Mr. Marnecheck stated job well done, Director of Legislative Services, excellent elocution.

Mr. Weimer stated he would like to commend our Council President on the transparency and the way that you handled your actions that happened. I think the way that you immediately apologized, the way you communicated with Council immediately of what had happened, showed all of us the apology and gave an opportunity to talk directly to the owners of North Royalton Gifts just showed humility and you did a great job on handling that. He stated he just wanted to show appreciation for that.

Mr. Marnecheck stated thank you.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Mr. Wos to **adjourn the February 2, 2021 City Council meeting.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Wos). Nays: **None. Motion carried.**

**Meeting adjourned at 8:10 p.m.**

APPROVED: /s/ Paul F. Marnecheck DATE APPROVED: February 16, 2021  
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

ATTEST: /s/ Dana A. Schroeder  
DIRECTOR OF LEGISLATIVE SERVICES