

The Council of the City of North Royalton caucused in the North Royalton City Hall Council Chambers, 14600 State Road on **September 7, 2021 at 7:39 p.m.**

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

Agenda reviewed.

Ms. Schroeder stated a Consent Agenda item will be added this evening:

- Authorizing the Mayor to seek proposals for a design company for the Memorial Park splash pad

Ms. Schroeder conferred with Mr. Kelly prior to the Council meeting and felt it was necessary to receive an appropriate vote of Council after the Mayor discussed the topic with Council during the Utilities Committee meeting.

The Council of the City of North Royalton met in the North Royalton City Hall Council Chambers, 14600 State Road on **September 7, 2021 in regular session.** The meeting was called to order at **7:41 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 Wos, Director of Legislative Services Dana Schroeder; **Administration:** Mayor Larry Antoskiewicz, Law Director Thomas Kelly

#### **CONSENT AGENDA**

- a. Approval of Minutes: July 20, 2021 and August 10, 2021 SPECIAL
- b. Receipt and acknowledgement without objection to Ohio Dept. of Liquor Control request for a C1, C2 and D6 transfer permit for Midwest Convenience, Inc., 19985 W. 130 Street, North Royalton, Ohio 44133.
- c. Receipt and acknowledgement without objection to Ohio Dept. of Liquor Control request for a D5 and D6 transfer permit for T&A Associates, Inc., 8611-17 Ridge Road, North Royalton, Ohio 44133.
- d. Authorize the Mayor to seek proposals for a design company for the Memorial Park splash pad.
- e. Legislation:

#### **RESOLUTION 21-137**

Introduced by: Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Wos, Mayor Antoskiewicz. **A RESOLUTION ACKNOWLEDGING THE COMMUNITY SERVICE OF OFFICER JONATHAN KARL.** Title read.

#### **RESOLUTION 21-138**

Introduced by: Mayor Antoskiewicz. **A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE MAYOR'S APPOINTMENT OF CONNOR GAWRY AS A POLICE OFFICER IN THE CITY OF NORTH ROYALTON POLICE DEPARTMENT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.** Title read.

#### **RESOLUTION 21-139**

Introduced by: Mayor Antoskiewicz. **A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE MAYOR'S APPOINTMENT OF NATHAN ERZEN AS A POLICE OFFICER IN THE CITY OF NORTH ROYALTON POLICE DEPARTMENT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.** Title read.

#### **RESOLUTION 21-140**

Introduced by: Marnecheck, Wos, Barath. **A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE AMOUNTS AND RATES AS DETERMINED BY THE BUDGET COMMISSION AND AUTHORIZING THE NECESSARY TAX LEVIES AND CERTIFYING THEM TO THE COUNTY AUDITOR, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.** Title read.

**RESOLUTION 21-141**

Introduced by: Mayor Antoskiewicz. **A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE COUNTY TAX INCENTIVE REVIEW COUNCIL ON THE CITY OF NORTH ROYALTON'S COMMUNITY REINVESTMENT ACT AGREEMENTS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.** 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 Mr. Dietrich to add the following item to this evening's Consent Agenda:

- ***Authorizing the Mayor to seek proposals for a design company for the Memorial Park splash pad***

Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None.** **Motion carried.**

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 Ms. Fenos to **adopt the Consent Agenda as presented and read.**

Mr. Weimer stated regarding Resolution 21-137, he would like to publicly thank Officer Karl for the work he has done with students. Mr. Weimer stated he was able to see the impact Officer Karl had on students; the kids loved and enjoyed working with him. He will be missed in the school district and city. He would like to thank him for his service and years to the city.

Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None.** **Motion carried.**

**COMMUNICATIONS:** None

**MAYOR'S REPORT:** Mayor Antoskiewicz presented and honored Patrick O'Malley, at 10 years old with a Proclamation for putting to practice the life skills he is learning in Boy Scouts, which teaches scouts to always be prepared. On May 21, 2021, Patrick and his younger brother Aidan were in the care of their mother's boyfriend Steve Ullemeyer, when Steve, who had never had a history of seizures, suddenly began experiencing his very first seizure. Patrick instantly knew something was very wrong. At just 10 years old, Patrick does not own a cellphone, but he quickly thought of a Plan B approach to emergency communication, which was to call his grandparents via Facebook Messenger. He was able to show his grandparents, via Facetime, that Steve was in distress. Patrick's grandparents, who live close by, phoned 911 and rushed over. Patrick's quick thinking helped Steve receive the prompt medical attention he needed, so he was able to make a full recovery. Patrick's mother Lana Mastroianni is thankful her son was prepared and reacted calmly and swiftly to ultimately help save Steve's life. She describes Patrick as a very kind, polite and helpful young man who enjoys learning new things and serving others. Lana says Patrick is a true hero, who she is so very proud of. Mayor Antoskiewicz hereby proclaimed Wednesday, Sept. 8<sup>th</sup>, 2021 as: "PATRICK O'MALLEY DAY" in the City of North Royalton and urged all residents to join him in acknowledging the heroic actions of this fine young man.

**DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS:** No report.

**PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL'S REPORT:** No report.

**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**

**THIRD READING CONSIDERATION:****ORDINANCE 21-78**

Introduced by: Dietrich, Weimer, Marnecheck. **AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF NORTH ROYALTON, PART 2 ADMINISTRATION CODE, CHAPTER 212 PUBLIC MEETINGS, SECTION 212.03 OPEN MEETINGS REQUIRED; MINUTES, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.** Title read.

**No action**

**FIRST READING CONSIDERATION:****ORDINANCE 21-142**

Introduced by: Mayor Antoskiewicz. **AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 10-103, STAFFING AND CLASSIFICATION PLAN FOR THE VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS OF THE CITY OF NORTH ROYALTON, SECTION 7 POLICE DEPARTMENT, 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 21-142.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None. Motion carried.**

**ORDINANCE 21-143**

Introduced by: Mayor Antoskiewicz. **AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 10-103, STAFFING AND CLASSIFICATION PLAN FOR THE VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS OF THE CITY OF NORTH ROYALTON, SECTION 9 RECREATION DEPARTMENT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.** Title read.

Placed on **second reading and referred to Finance Committee**

**ORDINANCE 21-144**

Introduced by: Mayor Antoskiewicz. **AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 10-103, STAFFING AND CLASSIFICATION PLAN FOR THE VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS OF THE CITY OF NORTH ROYALTON, SECTION 10 PUBLIC SERVICE DEPARTMENT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.** Title read.

Placed on **second reading and referred to Finance Committee**

**ORDINANCE 21-145**

Introduced by: Mayor Antoskiewicz. **AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 21-34 ESTABLISHING RATES OF COMPENSATION FOR THE CITY OF NORTH ROYALTON NON-UNION EMPLOYEES DURING CALENDAR YEAR 2021, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.** Title read.

Placed on **second reading and referred to Finance Committee**

**ORDINANCE 21-146**

Introduced by: Weimer, Marnecheck, Fenos. **AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE TERMINATION OF THE EXISTING AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF NORTH ROYALTON AND GREAT LAKES RECYCLING, INC., DBA SIMPLE RECYCLING AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SEND NOTICE OF TERMINATION TO GREAT LAKES RECYCLING, INC. DBA SIMPLE RECYCLING, 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 Me. Fenos to **adopt Ordinance 21-146.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None. Motion carried.**

**ORDINANCE 21-147**

Introduced by: Krejci, Dietrich, Vos. **AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, CITY ENGINEER AND WASTEWATER SUPERINTENDENT TO ACCEPT PRELIMINARY APPROVAL FROM THE OHIO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (EPA) TO CONVERT WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT B TO A PUMPING STATION AND RECOGNIZING THE FIRM OF BROWN AND CALDWELL AS DESIGN ENGINEER FOR THE CONVERSION PROJECT, 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. Vos to **adopt Ordinance 21-147.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None. Motion carried.**

**MISCELLANEOUS: None**

**ADJOURNMENT**

Moved by Ms. Krejci, seconded by Mr. Dietrich to **adjourn the September 7, 2021 City Council meeting.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci, Dietrich, Weimer, Vos). Nays: **None. Motion carried.**

**Meeting adjourned at 7:52 p.m.**