

NORTH ROYALTON CITY COUNCIL

The Council of the City of North Royalton caucused in the North Royalton City Hall Council Chambers, 14600 State Road on **January 16, 2024 at 7:19 p.m.**

PRESENT: Council: President of Council Paul Marnecheck, Council Representatives John Nickell, Linda Barath, Joanne Krejci, Mary Gorjanc, Heidi Webber, Michael Wos; **Administration:** Mayor Antoskiewicz, Law Director Thomas A. Kelly, Finance Director Jenny Esarey, Acting Clerk of Council Holly Quellos.

Agenda reviewed.

The Council of the City of North Royalton met in the North Royalton City Hall Council Chambers, 14600 State Road on **January 16, 2023 in regular session.** The meeting was called to order at 7:20 p.m. by President of Council Paul Marnecheck and opened with the *Pledge of Allegiance*. Also, Mr. Nickell opened in *prayer* by the request of Mr. Marnecheck, and offered a few words for the new term, during this second meeting of the new year.

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CONSENT AGENDA

- a. Approval of Minutes: December 19, 2023
- b. Legislation: Introduce, suspend rules requiring 3 readings and referral to committee, and adopt those legislative items indicated with an asterisk (*).
- c. Authorizing the Mayor and Director of Public Services and Properties to advertise for bids for the 2024 Road Maintenance Program.
- d. Authorizing the Mayor and Director of Public Services and Properties to advertise for bids for the Residential Solid Waste Collection, Disposal and Recycling Services.
- e. Authorizing the Mayor and Wastewater Superintendent to advertise for bids for the Abbey Road Force Main and Gravity Sewer Project.
- f. Authorizing the Mayor and Wastewater Superintendent to advertise for bids for process chemicals.

RESOLUTION 24-15

Introduced by: Mayor Antoskiewicz. **A RESOLUTION ACKNOWLEDGING THE COMMUNITY SERVICE OF GENE BAXENDALE.** 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. Wos to **suspend the rules requiring three readings and referral to committee for those legislative items on the Consent Agenda.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Nickell, Barath, Krejci, Webber, Gorjanc, Wos). Nays: **None. Motion carried.** Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Ms. Barath to **adopt the Consent Agenda as presented and read.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Nickell, Barath, Krejci, Webber, Gorjanc, Wos). Nays: **None. Motion carried.**

COMMUNICATIONS: None

MAYOR'S REPORT: Mayor Antoskiewicz welcomed the members from the 4-H Club, who were present tonight to share the wonderful work that they do within the youth program. Henry Pierce, President of the 4-H Club, provided a short 5-slide presentation. See attached report.

DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS: No report.

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL'S REPORT: Mr. Marnecheck moved to hold an Executive Session immediately following the regular order of business to consider the appointment, employment, dismissal, discipline, promotion, demotion, or a compensation of a public employee or official, or the investigation of charges or complaints, against a public employee official, licensee, or regulated individual. Unless the public employee official, licensee, or regulated individual requests a public hearing. Ohio Revised Code 121.22(G)(1). Seconded by Ms. Barath to **hold an Executive Session.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Gorjanc, Webber, Wos, Nickell, Barath, Krejci). Nays: **None. Motion carried.**

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

All Boards and Commissions announced the dates and times of their next regularly scheduled meetings. 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.*

FIRST READING CONSIDERATION**RESOLUTION 24-16**

Introduced by: Mayor Antoskiewicz. **A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE MAYOR'S APPOINTMENT OF FRANK CASTROVILLARI AS A MEMBER OF THE CITY OF NORTH ROYALTON PLANNING COMMISSION EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 7, 2024, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Ms. Barath to **suspend the rules requiring three readings and referral to committee.** Roll Call: Yeas: Seven (Marnecheck, Nickell, Barath, Krejci, Gorjanc, Webber, Vos) Nays: **None. Motion carried.** Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Ms. Barath to adopt Resolution 24-16. Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Nickell, Barath, Krejci, Gorjanc, Webber, Vos) Nays: None. **Motion carried.**

RESOLUTION 24-17

Introduced by: Mayor Antoskiewicz. **A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE MAYOR'S APPOINTMENT OF VINCENT WEIMER AS A MEMBER OF THE CITY OF NORTH ROYALTON'S BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Ms. Barath to **suspend the rules requiring three readings and referral to committee.** Roll Call: Yeas: Seven (Marnecheck, Nickell, Barath, Krejci, Gorjanc, Webber, Vos) Nays: **None. Motion carried.** Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Ms. Barath to adopt Resolution 24-17. Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Nickell, Barath, Krejci, Gorjanc, Webber, Vos) Nays: None. **Motion carried.**

RESOLUTION 24-18

Introduced by: Mayor Antoskiewicz. **A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF RUSSELL WELLS AS A MEMBER OF THE CITY OF NORTH ROYALTON'S BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Ms. Barath to **suspend the rules requiring three readings and referral to committee.** Roll Call: Yeas: Seven (Marnecheck, Nickell, Barath, Krejci, Gorjanc, Webber, Vos) Nays: **None. Motion carried.** Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Ms. Barath to adopt Resolution 24-18. Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Nickell, Barath, Krejci, Gorjanc, Webber, Vos) Nays: None. **Motion carried.**

ORDINANCE 24-19

Introduced by: Mayor Antoskiewicz. **AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 22-50 AUTHORIZING THE RECEIPT FOR DONATIONS/FUNDS FOR THE NORTH ROYALTON CITY SPONSORED EVENTS BY SPECIFYING TWO ADDITIONAL CITY SPONSORED EVENTS, THE SOLAR ECLIPSE BASH, AND THE TOUCH-A-TRUCK POLICE NIGHT OUT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Ms. Barath to **suspend the rules requiring three readings and referral to committee.** Roll Call: Yeas: Seven (Marnecheck, Nickell, Barath, Krejci, Gorjanc, Webber, Vos) Nays: **None. Motion carried.** Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Ms. Barath to adopt Ordinance 24-19. Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Nickell, Barath, Krejci, Gorjanc, Webber, Vos) Nays: None. **Motion carried.**

ORDINANCE 24-20

Introduced by: Streets Committee. **AN ORDINANCE ACCEPTING THE BID OF PORTS PETROLEUM FOR THE PURCHASE OF FUEL FOR THE 2024 SEASON AS THE LOWEST AND BEST BID, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

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

Ms. Gorjanc raised question regarding the bids, whereas diesel gasoline was primarily the lowest bid. She wanted to know if diesel gas was what we mostly used. Mayor Antoskiewicz agreed; that is what we use.

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, seconded by Mr. Vos to adopt Ordinance 24-20. Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Nickell, Barath, Krejci, Gorjanc, Webber, Vos) Nays: None. **Motion carried.**

ADJOURNMENT INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, at 7:40 p.m., seconded by Mr. Vos to **adjourn into Executive Session.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Nickell, Barath, Krejci, Gorjanc, Webber, Vos) Nays: None. **Motion carried.**

MOTION TO ADJOURN EXECUTIVE SESSION

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, at 7:53 p.m., seconded by Ms. Barath to **adjourn the Executive Session.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Nickell, Barath, Krejci, Gorjanc, Webber, Vos) Nays: None. **Motion carried.**

MOTION TO RECONVENE CITY COUNCIL MEETING

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, at 7:53 p.m., seconded by Ms. Krejci to **reconvene City Council.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Nickell, Barath, Krejci, Gorjanc, Webber, Vos) Nays: None. **Motion carried.**

MOTION TO ADJOURN CITY COUNCIL MEETING

Moved by Mr. Marnecheck, at 7:54 p.m., seconded by Mr. Nickell to **adjourn tonight's City Council Meeting.** Roll Call: Yeas: **Seven** (Marnecheck, Nickell, Barath, Krejci, Gorjanc, Webber, Vos) Nays: None. **Motion carried.**

Meeting adjourned at 7:54 p.m.

APPROVED: 
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

DATE APPROVED: 2/6/24

ATTEST: 
ACTING CLERK OF COUNCIL