

THE CITY COUNCIL OF NORTH ROYALTON, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. 21-79

INTRODUCED BY: Dietrich, Weimer, Marnecheck

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF NORTH ROYALTON, PART 2 ADMINISTRATION CODE, CHAPTER 220 COUNCIL, SECTION 220.06 RULES OF COUNCIL, RULE XXIII RESIGNATION, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS: Council has determined the need to appropriately recognize a resignation of an elected official in a manner that allows for alacrity and reliability; and

WHEREAS: It is therefore necessary to amend the Codified Ordinances of the City of North Royalton, Part 2 Administration Code, Chapter 220 Council, Section 220.06 Rules of Council, Rule XXIII Resignation in order to provide for such a recognition; and

WHEREAS: Council desires to provide for this amendment.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH ROYALTON, COUNTY OF CUYAHOGA AND STATE OF OHIO, THAT:

Section 1. Council hereby amends the Codified Ordinances of the City of North Royalton, Part 2 Administration Code, Chapter 220 Council, Section 220.06 Rules of Council, Rule XXIII to hereinafter read as follows:

Rule XXIII - Resignation.

The resignation of a member of Council shall take effect when the same has been ***received by the Director of Legislative Services or the President of Council and reliably confirmed.*** ~~accepted by a vote of the majority of the members of Council, exclusive of the person tendering his or her resignation, and thereafter~~ The office shall ***thereupon*** be deemed vacant and shall be filled in accordance with Article III(e) of the City Charter. ***Council shall allow twenty-one days for the submission and receipt of applications from such qualified applicants as may apply followed by nine days for the interview process and selection of a replacement to fill the vacancy.***

Section 2. Part 2 Administrative Code, Chapter 220 Council, Section 220.06 Rules of Council, Rule XXIII Resignation of the Codified Ordinances of the City of North Royalton is hereby amended as provided for herein and all other aspects of Section 220.06 shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall supersede all previously adopted Ordinances in direct conflict herewith.

Section 4. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements.

Section 5. This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the city, and for the further reason that it is immediately necessary to appropriately recognize a resignation of an elected official in a manner that allows for alacrity and reliability.

THEREFORE, provided this Ordinance receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise, from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

/s/ Paul F. Marnecheck
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

APPROVED: /s/ Larry Antoskiewicz
MAYOR

DATE PASSED: April 20, 2021

DATE APPROVED: April 21, 2021

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

First reading suspended
Second reading suspended
Third reading April 20, 2021

YEAS: Marnecheck, Fenos, Barath, Krejci
Dietrich, Weimer, Wos

NAYS: none