

# City of Southgate

## Regular City Council Meeting

### September 21, 2022

A Regular Meeting of the Council of the City of Southgate was held on Wednesday, September 21, 2022 in the Southgate City Hall Council Chambers and was called to order at 7:00 PM by Council President Zoey Kuspa.

**This meeting began with the Pledge of Allegiance, followed by roll call.**

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Present: Bill Colovos, Mark Farrah, Karen George, Christian Graziani, Zoey Kuspa, Dale Zamecki

Absent: \*Phil Rauch, \*excused

Also Present: Mayor Joseph G. Kuspa, City Attorney Ed Zelenak, City Administrator Dan Marsh, Assistant City Administrator/Finance Director David Angileri, City Clerk Janice Ferencz, Public Safety Director Joe Marsh, Police Chief Mark Mydlarz, Fire Chief Mark Hatfield, DPS Director Kevin Anderson, Building Inspections Director Tim Leach

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#### **Minutes:**

Moved by Colovos, supported George, RESOLVED, that the minutes of the City Council Work Study Session dated September 7, 2022 be approved as presented. Carried unanimously.

Moved by George, supported by Zamecki, RESOLVED, that the minutes of the Regular City Council Meeting dated September 7, 2022 be approved as presented. Carried unanimously.

#### **Scheduled Persons in the Audience:**

Moved by Farrah, supported by George, RESOLVED THAT the Southgate City Council hereby waives the fee and approves a permit for Boy Scout Troop 1783 to hold their wreath sales in the parking lot by Dollar Tree on the corner of Dix-Toledo and Eureka Road.

Motion carried unanimously.

#### **Communications "A":**

1. Letter from Mayor; Re: Purchase of 2 Police Interceptor Vehicles moved by Farrah, supported by Colovos, RESOLVED that the Southgate City Council hereby authorizes the purchase of two (2) Ford Next Generation Police Interceptor Utility Vehicles (utilizing the matching State bid) with Southgate Ford (16501 Fort St., Southgate, MI 48195) in the total amount of \$87,440. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that adequate funds are available for this purchase in the Capital Fund through the sale of the lease on the AT&T Tower and sale of land.

Motion carried unanimously.

2. Memo from Administrator; Re: Resolution to Hold Public Hearing for Southgate Tower Brownfield; 16333 Trenton Road moved by Colovos, supported by Zamecki, RESOLVED that the Southgate City Council hereby concurs to hold a public hearing during the 7:00 p.m. regularly scheduled October 5, 2022 City Council Meeting at the Normal J. Wurminger Municipal Building, 14400 Dix-Toledo Road, Southgate, MI 48195 regarding the Southgate Tower Brownfield, 16333 Trenton Road, Southgate, MI 48195.

Motion carried unanimously.

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### **Communications “B”: (Receive and File)**

1. Letter from Mayor; Re: Appointment of Assistant City Administrator/Finance Director moved by Farrah, supported by George, RESOLVED THAT the Southgate City Council hereby receives and files the correspondence for the appointment of Doug Drysdale effective October 2, 2022.

Motion carried unanimously.

### **Unscheduled Persons in Audience:**

1. Robert Pawlowski, 12757 Chestnut Street, Southgate spoke on miscellaneous City events and School events.
2. Kelly Cada, 12678 Dix-Toledo, Southgate spoke on the ordinance and mural painted on her building.

### **Claims and Accounts:**

Moved by Graziani, supported by Zamecki, RESOLVED, that Claims and Accounts be paid as outlined on Warrant #1457 in the amount of \$30,993,353.78.

Motion carried unanimously.

### **Adjournment:**

Moved by Colovos, supported by George, RESOLVED THAT this Regular Meeting of the Southgate City Council be adjourned at 7:16 P.M. Carried unanimously.

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Zoey Kuspa  
Council President

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Janice M. Ferencz  
City Clerk