# **MINUTES OF SPECIAL MEETING**

Monday May 15, 2023

# COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EAST LIVERPOOL, OHIO COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL

#### **MEETING CONTENT:**

- **1.** Second reading of a resolution in support of a water rate increase.
- 2. An ordinance authorizing the board of control to advertise for bids and enter into a contract for the Dresden Ave. project phase 1.
- 3. An ordinance authorizing the board of control to advertise for bids and enter into contract for the Thompson Park restroom project.

# **PUBLIC HEARING NEEDED?**

No.

# **CALL TO ORDER:**

Council President Torma **called to order** this Special Meeting of East Liverpool City Council at 6pm.

# **ROLL CALL:**

The Clerk read aloud the **call of the roll** and was recorded as follows:

First Ward Council member Tom Beagle:	present
Second Ward Council member C. Fred Rayl:	present
Third Ward Council member Jeffrey Kreefer:	present
Fourth Ward Council member Scott Barrett:	present
Council member At-Large John Mercer:	present
Council Member At-Large Brian Kerr:	present
Council member At-Large Robert Nizer jr.:	present

# **EXCUSE/ABSENT:**

No.

# **ACCEPT CALL:**

Council President Torma **entertained a motion to accept the call**. **Moved** by Mr. Kerr and **seconded** by Mr. Kreefer, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Barrett:	yes	Mr. Mercer:	yes
Mr. Beagle:	yes.	Mr. Nizer:	yes
Mr. Kerr:	yes.	Mr. Rayl:	yes

Mr. Kreefer yes.

# *Motion carried 7-0.*

# **WAIVERS NEEDED?**

Council President Torma entertained a motion that a **waiver of time** be granted for the two proposed ordinances. **Moved** by Mr. Rayl and **seconded** by Mr. Kerr, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Barrett: yes Mr. Mercer: yes Mr. Beagle: yes. Mr. Nizer: yes Mr. Kerr: yes. Mr. Rayl: yes

Mr. Kreefer:

#### **LEGISLATION:**

A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF A WATER RATE INCREASE OF \$2.50 PER 1000 GALLONS OF WATER AND IN SUPPORT OF THE ADMINISTRATION LETTER DATED MAY 01, 2023 TO THE OHIO E.P.A. NORTHEAST DISTRICT OFF ATTACHED HERTO AS EXHIBIT "A" AND MADE PART HEREOF AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.

# **SECOND READING:**

**Moved** by Council member Rayl, and **Seconded** by Council member Kreefer, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Barrett: yes Mr. Mercer: yes Mr. Beagle: yes. Mr. Nizer: yes Mr. Kerr: yes Mr. Rayl: yes

Mr. Kreefer: yes.

Motion carried 7-0.

# **SUSPEND THE RULES:**

**Moved** by Council member Rayl, and **Seconded** by Council member Barrett, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Barrett: yes Mr. Mercer: yes Mr. Beagle: yes. Mr. Nizer: yes Mr. Kerr: yes. Mr. Rayl: yes

Mr. Kreefer: yes.

Motion carried 7-0.

#### PASSAGE:

**Moved** by Council member Beagle, and **Seconded** by Council member Kerr, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Barrett: yes Mr. Mercer: no Mr. Beagle: yes. Mr. Nizer: no

Mr. Kerr: yes. Mr. Rayl: yes

Mr. Kreefer: yes.

# Motion carried 5-2.

Council President Torma declared Resolution Number08, 2022 duly passed as read.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE BOARD OF CONTROL TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS AND ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH THE LOWEST AND BEST BIDDER(S) FOR THE COL-DRESDEN AVENUE PROJECT, PHASE ONE, ODOT PID# 114058 AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.

# **CONSIDERATION:**

**Moved** by Council member Mercer, and **Seconded** by Council member Kerr, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Barrett: yes Mr. Mercer: yes Mr. Beagle: yes. Mr. Nizer: yes Mr. Kerr: yes Mr. Rayl: yes

Mr. Kreefer: yes.

Motion carried 7-0.

## **FIRST READING:**

**Moved** by Council member Barrett, and **Seconded** by Council member Nizer, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Barrett: yes Mr. Mercer: yes Mr. Beagle: yes. Mr. Nizer: yes Mr. Kerr: yes. Mr. Rayl: yes

Mr. Kreefer: yes.

Motion carried 7-0.

# **SUSPEND THE RULES:**

**Moved** by Council member Beagle, and **Seconded** by Council member Rayl, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Barrett: yes Mr. Mercer: yes Mr. Beagle: yes. Mr. Nizer: yes Mr. Kerr: yes. Mr. Rayl: yes

Mr. Kreefer: yes.

Motion carried 7-0.

#### **PASSAGE:**

**Moved** by Council member Mercer, and **Seconded** by Council member Kerr, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Barrett: yes Mr. Mercer: yes Mr. Beagle: yes. Mr. Nizer: yes Mr. Kerr: yes Mr. Rayl: yes

Mr. Kreefer: yes.

# Motion carried 7-0.

Council President Torma declared Ordinance Number 33, 2022 duly passed as read.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE BOARD OF CONTROL TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS AND ENTER INTOA CONTRACT WITH THE LOWEST AND BEST BIDDER(S) FOR THE THOMPSON PARK RESTROOM PROJECT AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.

## **CONSIDERATION:**

**Moved** by Council member Mercer, and **Seconded** by Council member Kerr, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Barrett: yes Mr. Mercer: yes Mr. Beagle: yes. Mr. Nizer: yes Mr. Kerr: yes. Mr. Rayl: yes

Mr. Kreefer: yes.

Motion carried 7-0.

# **FIRST READING:**

**Moved** by Council member Barrett, and **Seconded** by Council member Nizer, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Barrett: yes Mr. Mercer: yes Mr. Beagle: yes. Mr. Nizer: yes Mr. Kerr: yes. Mr. Rayl: yes

Mr. Kreefer: yes.

Motion carried 7-0.

# **SUSPEND THE RULES:**

**Moved** by Council member Beagle, and **Seconded** by Council member Rayl, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Barrett: yes Mr. Mercer: yes Mr. Beagle: yes. Mr. Nizer: yes Mr. Kerr: yes yes. Mr. Rayl: yes

Mr. Kreefer: yes.

Motion carried 7-0.

# PASSAGE:

**Moved** by Council member Mercer, and **Seconded** by Council member Kerr, the call of the roll was recorded as follows:

Mr. Barrett: yes Mr. Mercer: yes Mr. Beagle: yes. Mr. Nizer: yes Mr. Kerr: yes Mr. Rayl: yes

Mr. Kreefer: yes.

Council President Torma declared Ordinance Number34, 2022 duly passed as read				
ADJOURNMENT:  Council President Torma entertained a motion to Adjourn. Motion was made by Council member R.				
Respectfully submitted,				
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PATRICK S. SCAFIDE, COUNCIL CLERK				

JOHN TORMA, COUNCIL PRESIDENT

**Motion carried 7-0.**