MINUTES COUNCIL MEETING
REYNOLDSBURG CITY COUNCIL
June 23, 2014

President of Council Doug Joseph called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.


Approval of minutes of regular Council meeting held June 9, 2014.

Approval of Agenda

Mr. Joseph: One technical change on item twelve, it should read Ordinance Authorizing City Auditor to Remove five radar units from the city’s fixed asset list. The legislation did list it as five, we just want to make that correction on the agenda to reflect what the legislative request says.

Voice Vote- all voted “Aye” Motion passed.

Community Comments and Requests:

Monica DeBrock, 7400 E. Bryden Rd: Good evening President Joseph and Councilmen. Tonight I’m here to discuss the proposed parking lot and renovation in Olde Reynoldsburg and the crosswalk renovations. I’m concerned, but I do agree that Olde Reynoldsburg desperately needs more parking lots, that has been discussed in many meetings throughout the community and here at the city building and I agree the crosswalks do need to be fixed. That’s something that all communities face whether its asphalt, brick, that you have to maintain the crosswalks both for pedestrian and vehicle traffic. And I also agree with lumping as many community or public projects together because you do get a better ability to get competitive construction costs and it is a cost savings to the city. So I applaud that, but I do worry when the community has had numerous discussions in the past and we have plans, we have numerous plans that have been discussed in public forums on how we need to revitalize our city. And I’m worried that all of these plans, all of these public discussions, quickly in the blink of an eye, we would have lost a charm. Maybe it’s a charm that needs to be removed, but I think it’s definitely worth discussion in a public forum. Many residents and businesses have not given up the hope that Olde Reynoldsburg might someday capture the success that this area has had many many decades ago. Reynoldsburg over the years has invested in beautification projects but hasn’t always had the best follow through such as Olde Reynoldsburg streetscape. The brick crosswalks, the street lighting, the flowers that was to go from the bridge right out here by the city building all the way out to Graham Road but it was going to be done in phases, phase 1 was put in, the follow through never happened. That really does affect the image of the City and part of me, maybe, instead of doing the brick crosswalks, maybe the money that you do save by doing the asphalt, you actually talk about putting in the street lighting that would incorporate the image all the way to Graham Road which was the intention, you really do need to look at the whole impact of the area. This is not just about safety. We have roads all over the city that have huge pot holes so I think we do have time, we do need a pa- some of the bricks that there’s a big hole, yes we need to throw in
some asphalt today so that it doesn’t continue to deteriorate and we have an issue with vehicles. But what I’m asking is that you re-think the proposal and you think about the development impact of removing the brick crosswalks and come up with another suggestion. And also, the parking lot that’s put in is considered a temporary parking lot.

Mr. Joseph: Your three minutes are up. Thank you very much. Are there any questions?

Stephanie Smith, 8063 Bunyan Dr, Reynoldsburg: I have some concerns about the proposed changes to Chapter 505 Animals/Fowl. All of the changes proposed I’m not necessarily against all of them, but I do think that, I’m a little worried that some of the things that the actual citizens of this city and the surrounding cities are up to, you know, just to voice their opinions, they wanted their voices to be heard and I feel like a lot of people feel like they weren’t heard or they were just kind of ignored or put to the side because their opinion wasn’t the same as someone else’s. I really think that this is something that needs to be taken, I don’t want to say taken seriously because it has been taken seriously, but I think that it needs to be taken into consideration from all parties. I think that looking at this and seeing that this is outdated as far as the pit bulls, I think that we could have a lot of positive things come if we were to lift this ban. There are businesses that would be willing to come into this city to encourage foot traffic and to encourage other businesses. There are veterinarians that would be willing to come. There are several benefits of this. I do understand the fear that comes behind this, but I also think that a lot of it is media driven. I think if we were to take this and take all of the media and the hype out of it and just get to the root of everything, I think you would all see that it’s not just a pit bull that can bite. It’s not the whole breed, it’s got to be, the blame and the responsibility needs to be put on the citizens that own these dogs that are causing the problem not the dogs themselves. And I just feel like that’s not being done, I don’t really have much hope that it will be done and it really makes me sad for this city because I do really love this city, I’ve been here for years, my children go to schools in this city and I love that, but I am afraid to see the outcome if this ban is kept. I am afraid to see what is going to happen because I do think that it will not, that it’s not going to be a positive outcome. I urge everyone to just go and visit a pit bull whether it be in a shelter or anywhere else.

Mr. Joseph: Thank you very much. Any questions for the speaker?

Jen Ingmire, 937 Hillridge Rd, Reynoldsburg: Basically I just wanted to talk about the ban tonight but I didn’t want to bead at a dead horse. I was cited 10 days ago and I kind of wanted to give you a perspective from how I feel as a long time citizen. Basically it just feels very violating to have a family member, companion cited as a vicious animal. I feel like a criminal. No one was even home when I was cited and my dog was seen through a window. Of course my neighbors are kind of wondering what was going on and I told them and they were pretty upset that I might possibly sell my house if this ban isn’t lifted and the fact that my dog is a mixed breed dog. I know Scalmatto had gone to the neighbor’s house and asked them how they felt about living next to someone that had a pit bull and she didn’t really say, she didn’t even know, you know, that I had that dog and the thought never crossed her mind. So what I’m trying to say is think about how citizens feel when their picked out of the group from everyone. I moved in here in 2008 not even knowing there was a ban in Reynoldsburg. Again, I would ask how it keeps us safe because I’m a dog groomer and I take her to work every day. She’s around 20
yappy dogs a day. She’s not dangerous she’s not vicious. Why is it here and nowhere else around here. If anyone lives near me there is a chocolate lab that runs my neighborhood daily named Charley. I think more emphasis needs to go on these dogs that are running daily and anyone who lives on Hillridge or anywhere near there sees Charlie every night. I call his owner when I first started living there but you just give up after awhile no one’s doing anything about it, it’s not my problem either. Basically that’s all I really wanted to say, just give a point of view from a resident.

Mr. Joseph: Ok, thank you very much.

Bruce Sowell, 6345 Rygate Dr: I’ve been a resident a long time in Reynoldsburg and I know each of you individually. You know where I stand on the pit bull thing so I’m not going to go into that. Breed neutral legislation is actually what I call free bite legislation. I don’t know if any of you got a chance to read the Time Magazine article that just came out about 3 days ago, but what I will tell you about is everyone that comes in and talks about bad owners, they’re situation with their dogs is understandable. But the proper thing that I keep reminding you all of is what about the victims. We have 2 victims currently right now just here recently a 6 year old girl in a Cincinnati Hospital right now that is probably going to be blind, she won’t be able to communicate and hundreds of thousands in medical bills. You don’t see that organization stepping up to help. I talk about, and they were bad owners. Let’s talk about the good ones, let’s talk about the 3 year old girl who was recently kicked out of KFC because of her horrible injuries that she suffered and this was at the hands of good owners. In fact when they went breed neutral, what I call free bite, when they came with that, the little girl whose grandfather had 10 pit bulls. 3 of them came out, broke down through a door and mauled this little girl. She lost one eye, she has numerous scars and bruises, scars and she doesn’t even want to come outside and to be 3 years old already having that type of problem, I wonder what the future holds for her. But once again we’re talking about hundreds of thousands of dollars. The fine currently if a dog bites somebody is about $150. Or you can get sued, but if you don’t have any money, that again falls to the tax payer. According to Annuals of Animals Surgery that I just read, an Italian magazine article, there is at least 1 death every 14 days in this country along with 2 people attacked every day in this country. The CDC before they go through, as far as they kept records on, there’s just a multiple of other things. This is an epidemic, this is a safety issue and a tax payer issue. And like I said, my heart goes to that officers that responded on the scene and the one officer that stayed with her the whole time and the other 2 officers that had to engage these dogs. We have a great law enforcement men and women out here and their paid to do the things we ask them to do dog catching should not be one of them. Eventually there will be a time where we’ll be able to get an animal control officer and we could probably revisit that but I’m asking you, tonight if you have kids…to please keep this ban in place.

Mr. Joseph: Thank you

Lori Schwartzkopf, 6450 Red Coach Ln, Reynoldsburg: I so badly want to refute some of these statistics I hear up here sometimes but I’m going to stick to the script tonight. Update on dog citations for the city. As of June 14th, actually as of tonight as I’ve gotten some reports tonight, there have been 30 505.35A Control and Harboring reports. Of the 30, none of the dogs exhibited any bad behavior. It was either neighbor turning in neighbor or RPD spotting the dogs
and following up, in which case they still list it as an animal complaint. Most of these people were told to remove their dog within 7 days. At least 10 of these people complied. Three (3) dogs were misidentified in 2014 (2 in 2013) by RPD and the cases were either dropped or the citation was not formalized once the officer was shown paperwork from a veterinarian or breed registry stating the dog’s heritage or the cases were dropped when they got into court. One person was recited for the same dog after the case was previously dismissed in court. She had to go to court again. Also there is another case where Scalmato did not appear for a Licking County Court hearing despite receiving a subpoena, the case was dismissed without prejudice and Scalmato then recited those people and told them they would have to start all over again in Mayors Court. NOTE: Officer Scalmato has said on more than one occasion to residents (and once in writing in a police report) that veterinarians will say whatever the client wants them to say because they are getting paid. It takes an undergraduate degree heavy in biology, chemistry, organic chemistry, biochemistry, physics, microbiology, anatomy and physiology, math, animal science to get into the one of 28 vet schools and then 4 more years of veterinary school to become a D.V.M. Another 3-4 years if you want to specialize. You then sit for an 8-hour state exam and many states require another exam for vet regulations and legislation. Do you really think veterinarians are going to falsify medical records and risk their license and reputation just to say your dog is a lab mix when it is an APBT. AT least 5 non-pit bull dogs that exhibited bad behavior (bites and menacing) were not cited. We finally had a woman who after 37 responses to her property from 2005-2014 for barking and howling that was cited for cruelty and neglect of non-pit bull dogs. We are now seeing a huge increase in citations for licensing and vaccination but only to pit bull dogs or dogs that are turned in because neighbors think they are pit bull dogs. To give you an idea of how many citations are being written, the total number of licensing citation from 2005 until 2012 was 2. In 2013 when you started to enforce the ban you had 1 citation that year. In 2014 since June 1, 21 citations. Your police chief and city attorney seem to think this isn’t costing the city any money. That can’t possibly be true and as more citizens become aware that there is a ban and turn neighbors in and as those neighbors being turned in discover that they can fight this ban, more and more money will be spent on it. Save the city time and money. Focus on bad dog owners and bad dogs.

Mary Rapp, 1562 Valley Drive, Reynoldsburg: Good evening. I’m not a professional but I am a volunteer. I work for many rescue organizations, over the past year, I’ve transported over 100 dogs. They go from high kill shelters to rescues that don’t kill. Within that 100, I’ve probably transported between 25-30 pit bulls, not one have been aggressive. I’ve had one that was a nursing mother who actually allowed us to remove her babies to care for them. I’ve never had one that have shown any type of aggression. I’ve had one that was actually a bait dog, his head was just scarred, just unbelievably scarred, his ears were removed and all it wanted was someone to pet it. I think we need to focus on people who don’t know how to properly care for their animals. These dogs, they’re just dogs, they’re no different than any other breed, it’s all on how somebody’s raised it/trained it. Focus on the people that don’t know how to do it, if you have to educate them, educate them. Worry about the criminals and the drug dealers who are using these dogs as weapons. It’s not the dogs fault it’s the people, it’s our fault. We need to educate the people and help save these dogs, this is ridiculous, you can’t target something just because you don’t like it. That’s all I really have to say.

Mr. Joseph: Thank you very much.
Communications:

Clerk of Court report showing total amount submitted of $47,918.00 and monies collected pursuant to Ord. 146-94 and 104-02 Computerization needs fund $3,310 and Enforcement and Education fund $150.00.

Reports:

Annual Financial Report by City Auditor Richard Harris.

Mr. Harris: Thank you President of Council and Council. This is my annual report about the Annual Report. We finished the Annual Report with the audit and everything was finished a couple of weeks ago. I will read you the opinion from Auditor Dave Yost’s office:

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Reynoldsburg, Franklin County, Ohio, as of December 31, 2013, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof and the respective budgetary comparisons for the General Fund and Permissive Tax Fund thereof for the year then ended in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

This is the best opinion you can get on that the audit came back very clean. This was posted today on the Auditor’s website it will be posted on ours as soon as Jennifer gets back and we will be distributing it to the library in paper form and we send out about 240 of these electronically every year to all of the ratings services, the SEC and all of the proper banks and everyone that the city does business with. Are there any questions on the Annual Report? We sent the Clerk one electronically, she can forward that on to you if you would like to look at it and if you need an explanation, I’ll be glad to try to explain it to you because I’m sure it’s probably going to look like a foreign language to most of you, sometimes to me. Secondly, a couple of things to update you on that will affect the city in a number of respects: Just last week we found out the Regional Income Tax Agency, working with the IRS and Intuit who makes turbo tax hopefully starting in 2015 hopefully you’ll be able to use Turbo Tax to electronically do your City Income Taxes to RITA. They are working on how to populate them in the right place. They’ve had the last couple of years, they would print out a tax form for you and you would mail it and a lot of people just couldn’t seem to get it mailed, so… I’m sure that they will be working with some of the other major tax ones, but turbo tax is by far the biggest one, so hopefully when you go to file your taxes next year, if you use Turbo Tax it will be available for you if you have the 2015 edition which would be for tax year ending 2014. A few months ago we talked about the ongoing problems with the City of Detroit and how it could affect the future of anyone issuing municipal bonds. Earlier this year, the City of Detroit filed for Chapter 9 Bankruptcy. They owed at the time about 20 billion dollars in unsecured debt. They went to federal court, the federal judge at that time ruled that despite the fact that the City of Detroit and everyone in Michigan just like us, and if you look at the Bond Ordinances they will say the Bonds are backed by the full faith and credit of the City of Reynoldsburg and the Taxing Authority thereof. Despite that being in there the federal judge ruled that it was truly unsecured debt and was going to abolish it. The debt holders banded together and were obviously going to appeal this, they
have come to some kind of financial arrangement to where they get like 80 cents to the dollar in credits so that has been decided outside of court and that’s probably best for all. We have not seen in the state of Ohio any marked change in that ruling by the federal judge, although it is out there now for other states that it’s on the books that a federal judge can rule that your debt that even though it’s general obligation debt, is unsecured. In the State of Ohio we have one other safeguard for that that it’s against the Ohio Revised Code and State Constitution actually that municipalities have to pay their debt. Ohio debt is generally for that reason and other reasons, something that is very considered very high quality. One of the things that will be happening in the next two years, everybody in the country will have to follow the GASB which is the Government Accounting Standard Boards, who regulates how you must do your financial statements. There’s 68 will require all municipalities and the state, the state beginning next year, PERS, State Teachers Retirement, State Employee’s Retirement, all of the state retirement services including Police and Fire Pension, will have to file in their annual reports, what the potential long term liability of people who retire. The following year we will have to include it in ours. So those will affect sometimes bond ratings for people, sometimes other things. Also, Section 135, which is what we use as governance for how we take and invest the City’s funds, has changed. The State Legislature has changed 135 to allow us to buy Ohio Municipal Bonds of the top three grades which would be AAA, AA and A and to, if you have commercial paper, that you go out to from 180 to 270 days. We have never done commercial paper, we have also never done municipal bonds, we will be talking about it in the Treasury Investment Board tomorrow and discussing this and if we feel any changes need to be made to the investment policy, we will certainly be back to see you. At this point, I don’t expect that there will be any because we’ve always been much more conservative on our investments than the state allows and if anybody has any questions on this I’d be glad to answer them.

Mr. Joseph: Any questions? Guess not.

LEGISLATION REQUIRING ONE READING

ORDINANCE REQUESTING COUNCIL TRANSFER $154,611.98 FROM THE UNAPPROPRIATED GENERAL DEBT RETIREMENT FUND (310) TO ACCOUNT 310.991.5415 GO BOND PRINCIPAL, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. --- Cotner. Finance.

Mr. Cotner: This item comes from the Finance Committee with a recommendation for adoption as an emergency, I so move.

Mr. Joseph: Councilman Cotner moves adoption as an emergency, Second by Councilwoman Kelly. Questions or comments?

Clerk called the roll: Mrs. Kelly “Aye”, Mr. McGrady “Aye”, Mr. Cotner “Aye”, Mr. Long “Aye”, Mr. Skinner “Aye”.

Mr. Joseph: 5 affirmative votes, no negative votes, Ordinance 42-14.
ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH CELLEBRITÉ USA, INC., AND DIGITAL INTELLIGENCE, INC., FOR THE PURCHASE OF CELL PHONE FORENSIC EQUIPMENT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.--- Cotner. Finance.

Mr. Cotner: This item comes from the Finance Committee with a recommendation for adoption as an emergency, I so move.

Mr. Joseph: Councilman Cotner moves adoption as an emergency, Second by Councilman Long. Questions or comments?

Clerk called the roll: Mrs. Kelly “Aye”, Mr. McGrady “Aye”, Mr. Cotner “Aye”, Mr. Long “Aye”, Mr. Skinner “Aye”.

Mr. Joseph: 5 affirmative votes, no negative votes, Ordinance 43-14.

LEGISLATION FOR FIRST READING

ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING CITY AUDITOR TO REMOVE FOUR RADAR UNITS FROM THE CITY’S FIXED ASSET LIST. --- Long. Safety.

Mr. Long: This item comes from the Safety Committee, I’d like for it to stand for its first reading and be referred back to Committee.
Mr. Joseph: Unless there are questions or comments for item 12, it will stand for its first reading and return to the Safety Committee.

ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE CLERK OF COUNCIL TO CERTIFY GRASS AND WEED CUTTING COSTS (2013) FOR COLLECTION BY THE FRANKLIN COUNTY AUDITOR AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. (requests emergency passage at third reading)--- Cotner. Finance.

Mr. Cotner: This item comes from the Finance Committee, I’d like for it to stand for its first reading and return to Committee please.

Mr. Joseph: Unless there are questions or comments for item 13, it will stand for its first reading and return to the Finance Committee.

ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE CLERK OF COUNCIL TO CERTIFY GRASS AND WEED CUTTING COSTS (2013) FOR COLLECTION BY THE LICKING COUNTY AUDITOR AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. (requests emergency passage at third reading)--- Cotner. Finance.

Mr. Cotner: This item comes from the Finance Committee, I’d like for it to stand for its first reading and return to Committee please.

Mr. Joseph: Unless there are questions or comments for item 14, it will stand for its first reading and return to the Finance Committee.
ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE CLERK OF COUNCIL TO CERTIFY UNPAID WATER BILLS FOR COLLECTION BY THE FRANKLIN COUNTY AUDITOR AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. (requests emergency passage at third reading). --- Cotner. Finance.

Mr. Cotner: This item comes from the Finance Committee, I’d like for it to stand for its first reading and return to Committee please.

Mr. Joseph: Unless there are questions or comments for item 15, it will stand for its first reading and return to the Finance Committee.

ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE CLERK OF COUNCIL TO CERTIFY UNPAID WATER BILLS FOR COLLECTION BY THE LICKING COUNTY AUDITOR AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. (requests emergency passage at third reading). --- Cotner. Finance.

Mr. Cotner: This item comes from the Finance Committee, I’d like for it to stand for its first reading and return to Committee please.

Mr. Joseph: Unless there are questions or comments for item 16, it will stand for its first reading and return to the Finance Committee.

RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE TAX BUDGET OF THE CITY OF REYNOLDSBURG OHIO, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2015 AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. (requests emergency passage at second reading).--- Cotner. Finance.

Mr. Cotner: This item comes from the Finance Committee, I’d like for it to stand for its first reading and return to Committee please.

Mr. Joseph: Unless there are questions or comments for item 17, it will stand for its first reading and return to the Finance Committee.

ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF REYNOLDSBURG, OHIO: Amending Subsection (b) of Section 953.01 “Water Rate Schedule” OF CHAPTER 953 WATER CHARGES. (adjusts renter deposits on water services).--- Cotner. Finance.

Mr. Cotner: This item comes from the Finance, I’d like for it to stand for its first reading and return to Committee.

Mr. Joseph: Unless there are questions or comments for item 18, it will stand for its first reading and return to the Finance Committee.

ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF REYNOLDSBURG, OHIO: AMENDING SECTION 732.05 “FINAL BILLING” OF CHAPTER 732 RATES FOR RESIDENTIAL COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL OF GARBAGE, REFUSE, RECYCLABLES, AND YARD WASTE. --- Cotner. Finance.

Mr. Cotner: This item comes from the Finance Committee, I’d like for it to stand for its first reading and return to Committee please.

Mr. Joseph: Unless there are questions or comments for item 19, it will stand for its first reading and return to the Finance Committee.
ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING MAYOR TO ENTER INTO CONTRACT WITH EMH&T FOR THE EAST MAIN STREET PARKING LOT AND INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. (requests emergency passage at third reading). --- Cotner. Finance.

Mr. Cotner: This item comes from the Finance, I’d like for it to stand for its first reading and return to Committee please.

Mr. Joseph: Unless there are questions or comments for item 20, it will stand for its first reading and return to the Finance Committee.

LEGISLATION FOR SECOND READING


Mr. Long: This item comes from the Safety Committee, I’d like for it to stand for its second reading and return to Committee.

Mr. Joseph: Unless there are questions or comments for item 21, it will stand for its first reading and return to the Safety Committee.

ORDINANCE APPROVING SPECIAL EXCEPTION USE PERMIT #164498 – 6153 RADEKIN ROAD; PROPOSED USE- EDUCATIONAL FACILITY/DAY CARE; APPLICANT, JEANNE CABRAL AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. (first reading 5/27/2014, requests emergency passage at second reading).--- Clemens. Service.

Mrs. Kelly: This item comes from the Service Committee with a recommendation for adoption at the second reading as an emergency. Second by Councilman Long.

Mr. Joseph: Unless there are questions or comments would the Clerk please call the roll.

Mr. McGrady: Before we roll I would like to clarify, I’m going to change my position on this and move in support of the adoption, but I would like to modify it and Mr. Hood can tell me yes or no, but I would like to modify it to the point that before 30 days of occupancy, we receive a copy of the fire inspection and the occupancy notification to ODJFS.

Mr. Hood: You can put that in the permit, but that is a separate issue, but yes they would have to still get an occupancy permit from the building department after all of those inspections are done. I don’t know if they’re just the 2 that you mentioned or more than that. But you are not granting them an occupancy permit by any means by agreeing to give them a Special Exception Use Permit. If those are conditions that you would like added, I think there is nothing wrong with adding those, but also, I would urge you like we do in all of our Special Exceptions, to add the 6 month review if it has not already been added to make sure that they’re complying with the conditions of the permit.

Mr. McGrady: Ok, now let me back up. I would like to see before 30 days of occupancy, those 2 documents and 6 month review.
Mr. Joseph: Ok, Councilwoman Kelly makes a motion, second by Councilman Long with those additional requests by Councilman McGrady. Additional questions or comments?

Clerk called the roll: Mrs. Kelly “Aye”, Mr. McGrady “Aye”, Mr. Cotner “Aye”, Mr. Long “Aye”, Mr. Skinner “Aye”.

Mr. Joseph: 5 affirmative votes, no negative votes, Ordinance 44-14.

LEGISLATION FOR THIRD READING


Mr. Cotner: Yes President Joseph, this comes from the Finance Committee with a recommendation for adoption, I so move.

Mr. Joseph: Councilman Cotner moves adoption as an emergency, Second by Councilman Skinner. Questions or comments?

Clerk called the roll: Mrs. Kelly “Aye”, Mr. McGrady “Aye”, Mr. Cotner “Aye”, Mr. Long “Aye”, Mr. Skinner “Aye”.

Mr. Joseph: 5 affirmative votes, no negative votes, Ordinance 45-14.

Last item, Executive Session Requested by the City Attorney to Discuss Pending or Imminent Court Action. Is there a motion to enter into executive session? Motion by Councilwoman Kelly, Second by Councilman Skinner.

Clerk called the roll: Mrs. Kelly “Aye”, Mr. McGrady “Aye”, Mr. Cotner “Aye”, Mr. Long “Aye”, Mr. Skinner “Aye”.

Executive Session Called

Reconvene at 8:38 p.m.


ADJOURNMENT 8:39 p.m.

Doug Joseph, President of Council

April L. Beggerow, Clerk of Council