

Record of Proceedings

Coshocton City Council

Meeting Held: February 3, 2025

The Committee Meeting started at 5:45pm

Council Pro-tem Andrews called the meeting to order. Items for tonight's council meeting were discussed.

Andrews also inquired if there were going to be any Ordinances for the next meeting which will be **Tuesday, February 18, 2025**, due to President's Day holiday. No one at this time had any Ordinances for the next meeting.

Donation for Kids America was discussed. Law Director Skelton did research, donations must be used for city purposes. It is a gray area, and at this time the council decided not to make any donations.

Council Member Turner asked if we were going ahead with getting a Resolution together for new council terms. Republican Committee may have some push back. Council Member Moore wished to get with the committee and answer any concerns they have and then maybe address it at a later date.

President Pro-tem Andrews asked if we had decided on the motorized vehicles at the trailer parks. At this time, the Mayor has spoken with Sheriff Walters, and he is not in favor.

The council at this time has decided not to make any changes to the chicken ordinance. Council Member Moore will call the interested party to discuss with them the decision that council has made.

Mayor Mills has been meeting with the new Sheriff regarding shift assignments. They have also been discussing a new contract. They will sign a contract for one year, 2025.

Community may notice stakes around town on Chestnut Street, Locust Street and Main Street.

Columbia Gas is replacing gas lines. Beaumont has been collaborating with them closely.

Time to sign up for City Recreation Baseball and Softball. The mayor has met with the Sports Director and if you would like to volunteer or coach, please give Kids America a call.

The clock on Main Street will soon be fixed.

The Service Director Crown informed council they have been to Columbus to pick up hot mix to fix potholes in town. If you see one you feel needs some attention, please contact the city.

Cambridge Road and Pleasant Valley will be getting new guard rails.

Utility Director Kadri went over all the water projects that are currently in the works.

Auditor Kirkpatrick did a demo for a new upgrade to the city's software. She will keep the council informed.

President Pro-tem Andrews wanted Property Code Officer Sharrock to look into a house on Cambridge Road and Prospect that some people have been squatting in. SD Crown will let him know tomorrow to run by and look into the situation.

The committee meeting concluded at 6:15pm.

The regular session of the Coshocton City Council was called to order at 6:30pm by President Pro-tem Kayley Andrews Council Members present, Mr. Mike Gross, Mr. Chad Johnson, Mr. Jim Kreis, Mr. Roger Moore, and Ms. Michelle Turner. Also, present were Mark Mills, Mayor, Safety Service Director Max Crown, and Amy C Shutt, Clerk. Jim Kreis made a motion to excuse Tom Barcroft, seconded by Roger Moore, all members voted yes.

Previous Meeting Minutes: President Hilgenberg confirmed that all council members had received the committee minutes and council minutes from the January 27, 2025, meeting. Roger Moore made a motion to accept the minutes, seconded by Michelle Turner. After a roll call all members voted yes. Council Member Chad Johnson abstained due to being absent from the previous meeting.

Petitions & Remonstrance's: None

Additions to the Agenda: None

Reports on Standing or Special Committees:

Mayor's Report: Mayor Mills was present.

- 1) Congratulations to Colton Conkle from Coshocton High School for breaking the all-time scoring record set by Tom Sandry in 1984, a 41 year records.

Service Director: Max Crown was present.

Law Director's Report: Bob Skelton was present.

Auditor's Report: Sherry Kirkpatrick was present.

Chad Johnson made a motion to accept the January Auditor's report, seconded by Roger Moore, all members voted yes.

Statement of Cash 1-31-2025

Bank Report 1-31-2025

Detail Trial Balance 1-31-2025

Detail Check Report 1-10-2025

Then & Now Report 1-10-2025

Detail Check Report 1-16-2025

Then & Now Report 1-16-2025

Detail Check Reports 1-23-2025

Then & Now Report 1-23-2025

Detail Check Report 1-27-2025

Detail Check Report 1-29-2025

Then & Now Report 1-29-2025

Treasurer Report: Denell Skelton was not present.

Sheriff's Report: Chris Walters was not present.

Tax Report: Jackie Cushman was not present.

Property Code Report: Dep. Mark Sharrock was not present.

Fire Department Chief Rusty Dreher was not present.

Utilities, Dave Kadri was present.

Port Authority, Tiffany Swigert was not present.

LEGISLATION AT FIRST READING:

5-25 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR SERVICE DIRECTOR TO PREPARE SPECIFICATIONS, ADVERTISE AND LET A BID FOR CHLORINE, FLUORIDE, ALUM, LIME, CO2, SODIUM HEXAMETAPHOSPHATE AND GASOLINE. Ordinance will take its course.

6-25 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 121.02 REGULAR AND SPECIAL MEETINGS. Chad Johnson made a motion to suspend the rules and give the ordinance a third reading, seconded by Roger Moore, all members voted yes.

LEGISLATION AT SECOND READING: None

LEGISLATION AT THIRD READING: None

RESOLUTIONS:

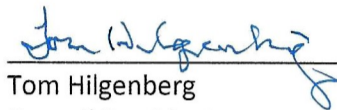
2-25 A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, SERVICE DIRECTOR OR AUDITOR TO SELL CERTAIN CITY PROPERTY AS DESCRIBED HEREIN BY INTERNET AUCTION. After a roll call all members voted yes.

Old Business: None

New Business: None

Communications: None

Adjournment: Chad Johnson made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Roger Moore, all members voted yes. The council adjourned at 6:40pm. **PLEASE NOTE THAT** the next council meeting will be on Tuesday February 18, 2025, at 5:45, with the Committee Meeting first and the Council Meeting to follow at 6:30pm.



Tom Hilgenberg
Council President



Amy C. Shutt
Council Clerk