

MINUTES REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
REYNOLDSBURG CITY COUNCIL
September 27, 2010

President of Council William L. Hills called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

Members of Council present: Nathan Burd, Fred Deskins, Jr., Leslie Kelly, Doug Joseph, Mel Clemens, Barth R. Cotner, Chris Long.

The Invocation was given by Mr. Cotner. Mr. Hills led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Minutes of the regular Council meeting held September 13, 2010 were approved without objection.

The agenda was approved.

President Hills: Item No. 7 is Community Comments and Requests. We do have a request to speak from Mayor McCloud and I do have another speaker slip after that.

Mayor McCloud: Thank you, President Hills, members of Council. I have two brief announcements. I'd like to use this public forum to remind everyone that school is in session and to please use the crosswalks, remind parents and their children to use the crosswalks, and us, as motorists, as we approach school, school locations, to remember that there are children, and children are going to be children and do what children do, and we have not had any instances here thankfully, but this is the season.

Secondarily, just a reminder to everyone, don't leave valuables in plain sight in your vehicles - GPS's, laptops. We have so many incidences where if it hadn't been in plain sight, we may not have had an incident. So with that, I appreciate your time.

Mr. Hills: Any questions of the Mayor? Okay.

I do have a speaker slip, but I will note before I call up the speaker, the Community Comment section is when someone wants to speak to Council about anything that's on their mind and we would appreciate it if you would fill out a speaker slip, which are just outside the door, if you choose to do that.

I do have one speaker slip in front of me, Mr. Norman Brusk.

Mr. Brusk: Like a bad penny, I'm back. My name is Norm Brusk, 1861 Crosswick Court. I just want to bring up two very quick points. They're just more information for Council to consider when they keep considering, hopefully keep considering, the ordinance on the curfew. One is that the Slate Ridge Civic Association, as well as the Slate Ridge Block Watch Association, had their meeting last night and just as a formal statement, we strongly endorse the original proposed ordinance, the one

that's in Other Legislation, for a number of reasons and those have been given, so I'm not going to go into any details at this point.

Secondly, one of the members of the organization, but I didn't get clearance, so I'm not going to give her name, works for the School Board and she said she would really like to see the Council people come down to the schools in the morning at the attendance offices and see how many kids are late, one hour, two hours, three hours. These aren't the ones that the, who are suspended. These aren't the ones who are expelled. These are kids that are just not in school when they should be. They're excluded from that. Just wanted to make the point. Any questions?

Mr. Hills: Questions of Mr. Brusk? Thank you very much.

Mr. Brusk: Thank you.

Mr. Hills: I don't have any other speaker slips. Is there anyone else that wants to address Council on a matter? Yes, Sir. I guess there is a speaker slip back there. If you would please. Mr. Wayne Allen. Mr. Allen, if you would, just give your address so we'll have it for the record.

Mr. Allen: My name's Wayne Allen. My address is 559 Briceton Drive in Reynoldsburg.

Mr. Hills: Go right ahead, Sir.

Mr. Allen: I have just a few, very brief comments. First of all, I'd like to start out most importantly saying that my wife, Theresa, and I strongly support the alternative legislation introduced by Councilman Long over the original legislation, and also I'd like to thank the Council members for their due consideration of this issue, for their deliberation and thoughtful consideration, and we certainly believe in our family that the alternative legislation is a big improvement over the original, and we strongly urge the Council members to support that with their vote of approval and to move this issue along and _____ and that's all I have to say.

Mr. Hills: Okay, any questions for Mr. Allen? Thank you very much for your comments.

Mr. Allen: Thank you.

RESOLUTION SPECIFYING ACTION WITH REGARD TO PROPOSED SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL RATE INCREASES OF \$3 PER TON FOR 2011 AND 2012 SCHEDULED TO BE VOTED ON BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE SOLID WASTE AUTHORITY OF CENTRAL OHIO ON SEPTEMBER 29, 2010, and DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.- -Clerk read resolution by title for the one required reading. Mr. Deskins moved adoption. Mr. Joseph seconded. With the roll called, members voted: Mr. Burd "Yea"; Mr. Deskins "Yea"; Mrs. Kelly "Yea"; Mr. Joseph "Yea"; Mr. Clemens "Yea"; Mr. Cotner "Yea"; Mr. Long "Yea". Motion passed; Resolution No. 60-10 adopted.

RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE AMOUNTS AND RATES AS DETERMINED BY THE BUDGET COMMISSION AND AUTHORIZING THE NECESSARY TAX LEVIES AND CERTIFYING THEM TO THE COUNTY AUDITOR AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY- -Clerk read resolution by title for the one required reading. Mr. Deskins moved adoption. Mr. Cotner seconded. With the roll called, members voted: Mr. Burd "Yea"; Mr. Deskins "Yea"; Mrs. Kelly "Yea"; Mr. Joseph "Yea"; Mr. Clemens "Yea"; Mr. Cotner "Yea"; Mr. Long "Yea". Motion passed; Resolution No. 61-10 adopted. (Franklin)

RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE AMOUNTS AND RATES AS DETERMINED BY THE BUDGET COMMISSION AND AUTHORIZING THE NECESSARY TAX LEVIES AND CERTIFYING THEM TO THE COUNTY AUDITOR AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY- -Clerk read resolution by title for the one required reading. Mr. Deskins moved adoption. Mr. Joseph seconded. With the roll called, members voted: Mr. Burd "Yea"; Mr. Deskins "Yea"; Mrs. Kelly "Yea"; Mr. Joseph "Yea"; Mr. Clemens "Yea"; Mr. Cotner "Yea"; Mr. Long "Yea". Motion passed; Resolution No. 62-10 adopted. (Licking)

ORDINANCE MAKING TRANSFER OF FUNDS WITHIN THE POLICE DEPARTMENT ACCOUNTS FOR GASOLINE AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY- -Clerk read ordinance by title for the one required reading. Mr. Deskins moved adoption. Mr. Clemens seconded. With the roll called, members voted: Mr. Burd "Yea"; Mr. Deskins "Yea"; Mrs. Kelly "Yea"; Mr. Joseph "Yea"; Mr. Clemens "Yea"; Mr. Cotner "Yea"; Mr. Long "Yea". Motion passed; Ordinance No. 63-10 adopted.

ORDINANCE MAKING TRANSFER OF FUNDS WITHIN THE POLICE DEPARTMENT ACCOUNTS FOR COMPUTERS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY- -Clerk read ordinance by title for the one required reading. Mr. Deskins moved adoption. Mr. Long seconded. With the roll called, members voted: Mr. Burd "Yea"; Mr. Deskins "Yea"; Mrs. Kelly "Yea"; Mr. Joseph "Yea"; Mr. Clemens "Yea"; Mr. Cotner "Yea"; Mr. Long "Yea". Motion passed; Ordinance No. 64-10 adopted.

A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING, APPROVING AND RATIFYING THE SUBMITTED RECOMMENDATIONS OF SEVERAL CITY OF REYNOLDSBURG TAX INCENTIVE REVIEW COUNCILS- -Clerk read resolution by title for the first reading. Item referred to Finance Committee.

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE ~~REYNOLDSBURG~~ CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF REYNOLDSBURG, OHIO: Section 537.14 "Curfew" of Chapter 537 Offenses Against Persons ~~AND~~ ESTABLISHING A DAYTIME CURFEW FOR MINORS BETWEEN AND INCLUDING THE AGES OF SIX AND SEVENTEEN WHILE UNDER SUSPENSION OR EXPULSION FROM SCHOOL- -Clerk read ordinance by title for the second reading. Mr. Long moved to amend the ordinance to the redraft date of 9-23-2010; Mr. Burd seconded. With the roll called, members voted: Mr. Burd "Yea"; Mr. Deskins "Yea"; Mrs. Kelly "Yea"; Mr. Joseph "Yea"; Mr. Clemens "Yea"; Mr. Cotner "Yea"; Mr. Long "Yea". Motion passed; ordinance amended. Item referred to Safety Committee.

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE ~~REYNOLDSBURG~~ CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF REYNOLDSBURG, OHIO: *Section 537.15 "Wrongful Influence of Minor" of Chapter 537 Offenses Against Persons* AND ESTABLISHING PARENTAL OR GUARDIAN RESPONSIBILITY FOR A CHILD WHO IS CURRENTLY UNDER DAYTIME CURFEW WHILE UNDER SUSPENSION OR EXPULSION FROM SCHOOL - - -Clerk read ordinance by title for the second reading. Mr. Long moved to amend the ordinance to the redraft date of 9-23-2010; Mr. Clemens seconded. With the roll called, members voted: Mr. Burd "Yea"; Mr. Deskins "Yea"; Mrs. Kelly "Yea"; Mr. Joseph "Yea"; Mr. Clemens "Yea"; Mr. Cotner "Yea"; Mr. Long "Yea". Motion passed; ordinance amended. Item referred to Safety Committee.

Meeting adjourned at 7:42 p.m.

William L. Hills, President of Council

Nancy C. Frazier, Clerk of Council