

**MINUTES OF THE REGULAR COUNCIL**  
**MEETING OF THE FOSTORIA CITY COUNCIL HELD (TUESDAY)**  
**OCTOBER 5TH, 2021 AT 6:00 O’CLOCK P.M.**

Council Pro Tempora President Lake called the regular meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Invocation by Pastor Bob Simonsick of GSH.

Pledge of Allegiance.

It was moved by Councilperson Lake, seconded by Councilperson Logsdon to excuse Council President Kauffman; passed by seven (7) votes; Council President Kauffman was excused.

It was moved by Councilperson Dillon, seconded by Councilperson Shaver to approve the minutes of the regular Council meeting; passed by seven (7) votes; minutes were approved.

**COMMUNICATION(S):** None.

**REPORT OF COMMITTEES**

- A. FINANCE COMMITTEE:** no report, next meeting scheduled for October 20, 2021, at 5:30 P.M.
- B. PUBLIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE:**  
No report.
- C. LAW AND ORDINANCE COMMITTEE:**  
Next meeting is scheduled for October 27, 2021, at 6:30 P.M. on the front lawn of the Municipal building.

**REPORT OF OFFICERS:**

- A. MAYOR:**  
Mayor Keckler, announced Community Events:  
10/05/21 Walk a mile in her shoes event at First Step Woman’s Violence Shelter.  
10/09/21 from 10AM to 3PM chalk artwork at the YMCA.  
10/9/21 October Fest from 1PM to 10PM downtown.  
10/07/21 from 11AM to 2 PM Peddlers Alley  
10/10/21 Ride-4-Hyde at 2PM.  
10/13/21 Candidate Forum by Chamber of Commerce at 6:30PM.  
10/16/21 Wine & Cheese sponsored by Fostoria Arts Council.  
10/30/21 Fostoria Trick or Treat.  
10/31/21 Fostoria Halloween Parade at 5PM.

Mayor Keckler stated all contracts have been signed for repaving projects and have been submitted. Mayor Keckler spoke about the Vacated Alley legislation on the agenda under new business and can have 3 reads.

**B. SAFETY-SERVICE DIRECTOR:**

Josh Clark, stated the Carbon Contract was installed and online as of October 5, 2021. All the labor contracts have been signed and submitted to Columbus. Mentioned the brick on the City Building is being replaced.

**C. LAW DIRECTOR:**

Stephanie Kiser, explained the new business legislation on the agenda regarding Appropriations must be passed as an emergency.

- \_\_\_\_\_ -Personnel matters, specifically:
- \_\_\_\_\_ -to consider the appointment, employment, dismissal, discipline, promotion, demotion, or compensation of a public employee or official
- \_\_\_\_\_ -to consider the investigation of charges or complaints against a public employee, official, licensee, or regulated individual
- \_\_\_\_\_ -Purchase or sale of property
- \_\_\_\_\_ -Pending or imminent court action
- \_\_\_\_\_ -Collective bargaining matters
- \_\_\_\_\_ -Matters required to be kept confidential.
- \_\_\_\_\_ -Security matters
- \_\_\_\_\_ -Confidential business information of an applicant for economic development assistance

**D. DIRECTOR OF FINANCE**

Absent.

**F. PUBLIC:**

Zach Stumpf, spoke about the shopping carts scattered thru out the city, and he is part of a round up group, noted to call in locations for gathering them up.

Paul Allison, 118 ½ W Center Street; spoke about the Mennell Milling signing on their trucks and regarding the carpet in the Council Chambers Court Room and how old it is, SSD responded the carpet has been scheduled to be replaced on October 20, 2021.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

No Old Business.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

Ordinance No.: 2021 - \_\_\_\_: Enacting new section 351.21 of Chapter 351 of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Fostoria, Ohio entitled “Parking More Than 72 Hours” and amending section 351.99 of Chapter 351 of the Codified Ordinances of the

City of Fostoria, Ohio entitled “Penalty.” This constitutes a first reading of said ordinance.

Ordinance No.: 2021- \_\_\_\_: To adopt, pursuant to Section 911.01-911.02 of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Fostoria, Ohio, the petition to vacate an unnamed alley in the Fourth Ward of the City of Fostoria. (Crocker Street) This constitutes a first reading of said ordinance.

Ordinance No.: 2021-\_\_\_\_: To adopt, pursuant to Section 911.01-911.02 of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Fostoria, Ohio, the petition to vacate an unnamed alley in the Third Ward of the City of Fostoria. (Cherry Street) This constitutes a first reading of said ordinance.

Ordinance No.: 2021 - **53**: Adopting and Amending ordinance No. 2020-49 (Permanent 2021 Appropriations) by appropriating from unappropriated funds in the General Fund, Park and Recreation Fund, Water Fund, and Sewer Fund, and declaring an emergency. This constitutes a first reading of said ordinance. It was moved by Councilperson Logsdon, seconded by Councilperson Cassidy to suspend the three-reading rule; passed by seven (7) votes. It was moved by Councilperson Hopple, seconded by Councilperson Shaver to adopt; passed by seven (7) votes. The ordinance was adopted.

**EXECUTIVE SESSION:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ -Personnel matters, specifically:
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**MISCELLANEOUS:**

It was moved by Councilperson Shaver, seconded by Councilperson Logsdon to move the next scheduled Council meeting to November 3, 2021, at 6:00 PM, due to elections.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

It was moved by Councilperson Logsdon and seconded by Councilperson Cassidy to adjourn; passed by seven (7) votes. Council adjourned at 6:23 P.M.

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Council Pro-Tempera President Lake  
of Fostoria City Council

Attest:

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Tamara L Drake  
Clerk of Council

Date