

**MINUTES OF THE REGULAR COUNCIL**  
**MEETING OF THE FOSTORIA CITY COUNCIL HELD (TUESDAY)**  
**JULY 20TH, 2021 AT 6:00 O’CLOCK P.M.**

Council President Kauffman called the regular meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Invocation by Reverend Sarah Moon of Wesley UMC

Pledge of Allegiance.

It was moved by Councilperson Logsdon, seconded by Councilperson Schuld to excuse Councilperson Shaver, Hopple, Dillon and Council President Kauffman; passed by four (4) votes, Councilperson Shaver, Hopple, Dillon and Council President were excused.

It was moved by Councilperson Logsdon, seconded by Councilperson Schuld to approve the minutes of the regular Council meeting; passed by four (4) votes; minutes were approved.

**COMMUNICATION(S):** None.

**REPORT OF COMMITTEES**

- A. FINANCE COMMITTEE:** No report, no meeting for month of July. Next meeting scheduled for August 17, 2021, at 5:15 pm, in Council Chambers.
- B. PUBLIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE:**  
No report.
- C. LAW AND ORDINANCE COMMITTEE:**  
Had a meeting on July 14, 2021, at 6:30. The next meeting is scheduled for September 1, 2021, at 6:30 P.M. on the front lawn of the Municipal building.

**REPORT OF OFFICERS:**

**A. MAYOR:**

Mayor Keckler stated the upcoming events:  
July 21, 2021, Lunch on the Lawn from noon to 1PM.  
July 23, 2021, Last day of the small business challenge and the launch of Fostoria Business Program with 4 contestants, at 6:30 PM these 4 contestants will be on the stage downtown Main Street, public is invited.  
July 23, 2021, Anne Krupp Memorial Tennis Clinic.  
July 25, 2021, at 7:30 PM Sunday night concert at the Amphitheater.  
July 26, 2021, Seneca County Fair begins.  
July 28, 2021, Info will be given to the Finance Committee thru State Auditor.  
August 1, 2021, a concert will be re-scheduled that was cancelled due to weather.  
Mayor Keckler also discussed the new business legislation to advertise bids for street resurfacing, more info at the next Council meeting on streets to be resurfaced.

Councilperson Schuld inquired about Food Truck Friday; this will be cancelled for the July 23, 2021.

**B. SAFETY-SERVICE DIRECTOR:**

Absent.

**C. LAW DIRECTOR:**

Stephanie Kiser, not report.

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- \_\_\_\_\_ -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:**

James Sexton, JR., 2095 McCutchenville Road; spoke about the Zoning Change on 0 Stearns Road.

Carol Sexton, 2095 McCutchenville Road; spoke about the Zoning Change on 0 Stearns Road.

Paul Allison, 118 ½ W. Center Street; stated the city did a great job during the pandemic, thanked Councilperson Logsdon for the great job regarding the Law & Ordinance meetings and getting things accomplished. Thanked Clerk of Council Tamara Drake for keeping him informed during the year 2020 when the city was in lock down due to Covid 19.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

Ordinance No.: 2021- \_\_\_\_: To adopt, pursuant to Section 1111.01(b)(3) of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Fostoria, Ohio, the recommendation of the Fostoria Planning Commission of May 27, 2021, relating to the re-zoning of a parcel of real estate commonly known as 0 Stearns Road, Fostoria, Wood County, Ohio. It was moved by Councilperson Logsdon, seconded by Councilperson Dillon to amend the ordinance reflecting the County from Seneca to Wood. This constitutes the Second reading of said ordinance.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

Ordinance No.: 2021 - \_\_\_\_: Authorizing the Mayor to advertise for bids and enter into a contract with the lowest and best bidder for the 2021 Street Resurfacing Program, including pavement removal, surface planning, tack coat, and surface course of certain streets in the City of Fostoria, Ohio according to specifications now on file in the office of said Mayor, and declaring an emergency to exist. This constitutes a first reading of said ordinance.

**EXECUTIVE SESSION:**

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**MISCELLANEOUS:**

Councilperson Logsdon mentioned (Bliss) acoustics band.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

It was moved by Councilperson Cassidy and seconded by Councilperson Logsdon to adjourn; passed by four (4) votes. Council adjourned at 6:28 P.M.

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Pro-Forma Council President Lake  
of Fostoria City Council

Attest:

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Tamara L Drake  
Clerk of Council

Date