

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF FEBRUARY 4, 2008**

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: With a quorum being present, the Chair calls this meeting of Canton City Council to order. Roll call please.

*ROLL CALL TAKEN BY CLERK TIMBERLAKE:*

12 COUNCILMEMBERS PRESENT: (DON CASAR, JOE CARBENIA, MARY M. CIRELLI, BILL SMUCKLER, GREG HAWK, THOMAS E. WEST, JAMES GRIFFIN, CHRIS SMITH, TERRY PRATER, DAVID R. DOUGHERTY, PATRICK BARTON, & KARL "BUTCH" KRAUS)

All COUNCILMEMBERS PRESENT

CLERK TIMBERLAKE: All present Mr. President.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: We will have the invocation given by 1<sup>st</sup> Ward Councilperson Greg Hawk and please remain standing for the Pledge of Allegiance of the Flag, thank you.

*The regular meeting of Canton City Council was held on Monday, February 4, 2008 at 7:30 P.M. in the Canton City Council Chamber. The roll call was taken (see above) by Clerk of Council Cynthia Timberlake. The invocation was given by Ward 1 Councilmember Greg Hawk, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance led by President Pro Tem Casar.*

**AGENDA CORRECTIONS & CHANGES**

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: We are now under corrections of the agenda. I will entertain a Motion to ah.....suspend Rule 22A for Ordinances 5 and 6.

MEMBER CARBENIA: Mr. President, I move Rule 22A be suspend to add 2<sup>nd</sup> readings 5...or Ordinance 5 and 6. 7 is Retained in Committee.

MEMBER CIRELLI: Seconded.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: It's been moved and seconded to suspend Rule 22A. Are there any remarks?... If not roll call please.

NO REMARKS

ROLL CALL: 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK TIMBERLAKE: Twelve yeas Mr. President.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Rule 22A has been suspended and your now....and now an official part of the Ord...of the Agenda, excuse me.

**PUBLIC HEARINGS**

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: We are now under public hearings.

**PUBLIC SPEAKS**

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: We are now under public speaks, no one is signed up for this part of public speaks.

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**INFORMAL RESOLUTIONS**

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Informal Resolutions would you please read Resolution #....which one are we on here?

MEMBER CARBENIA: Mr. President.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Oh, I'm sorry, we have to excuse the President of Council. Is there a motion to excuse President Schulman for this evening's meeting?

MEMBER CARBENIA: Yes, Mr. President, I move we excuse President Schulman from tonight's meeting.

MEMBER CIRELLI: Seconded.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Are there any remarks? Roll call please.

NO REMARKS    ROLL CALL: 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK TIMBERLAKE: Twelve yeas Mr. President.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: President Schulman is duly excused from this evening's meeting. Resolution #9.

#9        PERSONNEL COMMITTEE: REQ RE-APPT OF STEVE KATZ TO CANTON COMM IMPROV CORP  
           EFF. 2008 TERM. - ADOPTED

MEMBER CARBENIA: Mr. President. I move we adopt Resolution #9.

MEMBER CIRELLI: Seconded.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Are there any remarks? If not all those in favor signify by saying aye. Those opposed nay.

NO REMARKS        RESOLUTION #9 APPROVED BY UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Resolution #9 has been adopted. Resolution #10.

#10        PERSONNEL COMMITTEE: REQ RE-APPT OF DON CASAR AND JOE CARBENIA TO  
 CANTON        COMM IMPROV CORP. EFF. 2008 TERM. - ADOPTED

MEMBER CARBENIA: Mr. President, I move we adopt Resolution #10.

MEMBER CIRELLI: Seconded.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: It's been moved and seconded to adopt Resolution #10. Are there any remarks? If not all those in favor signify by saying aye. Those opposed no.

NO REMARKS        RESOLUTION #10 APPROVED BY UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE

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PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: The ayes have it, Resolution #10 is adopted.

**COMMUNICATIONS**

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Ah...where am I at now?

CLERK TIMBERLAKE: Communications.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Okay ah...communications. We are now under communications. Let the Journal show that all communications are received as read.

***NOTE: ALL COMMUNICATIONS WHICH FOLLOW, LISTED BY AGENDA TITLE, ARE ON FILE IN THEIR ENTIRETY IN THE COUNCIL OFFICE WITH THE AGENDA ITEMS FILE DATED FEBRUARY 4, 2008.***

41. AUDITOR MALLONN: MONTHLY REPORT BY FUND FOR 1/1/08-1/31/08. - RECEIVED & FILED

42. AUDITOR MALLONN: YEARLY REPORT BY FUND FOR 1/1/08-1/31/08. - RECEIVED & FILED

43. CD & PLNG. DIR. WEST (INTERIM): RE-AUTH MAYOR & SERV. DIR. TO: 1) ACCEPT \$120,000 3-YR FAIR HSG ASST PROG GRANT; FILE APP FOR CLEAN OH REVITAL FUNDS, APPLY FOR FIN ASST & ADMIN FUNDS FOR REMEDIATION OF HERCULES PROP; FILE APP. FOR CLEAN OH REVITAL FUNDS, APPLY FOR FIN ASST & ADMIN FUNDS FOR REMEDIATION OF BISON PROP; ENTER INTO \$284,733.00 CONTRACT W/BROWNFIELD REST GRP FOR PHASE II ASSMNT @ FORMER HERCULES ENGINE SITE; AUTH MAYOR TO FILE W/ US HUD A 2008 CONSOLIDATED PLAN & APPLY FOR 2008 CDBG PROG, 2008 HOME INVEST PART PROG & 2008 EMERG SHELTER GRANT & EXECUTE GRANT AGMTS W/ HUD & ACCEPT CITY'S GRANTS; AUTH MAYOR TO AMEND O#17/89 PROVIDING \$500,000.00 TO CCIC FOR LOAN & GRANT PROG, ELIGIBLE DEV ACTIVITIES & ADMIN EXPEN & TO ADMINISTER FUNDS. - COMMUNITY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

44. LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION (OHIO): NOTICE OF HRG RESCHEDULE (DATE & TIME TBA) RE: RENEWAL OF LIQ PERMIT FOR MARTIN JOSEPH STURIALE DBA PASTIME INN @ 606 9<sup>TH</sup> ST SW, 1<sup>ST</sup> FLR. - RECEIVED & FILED

45. LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION (OHIO): REQ TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP D5 LIQ PERMIT FR: RICK TUCKER DBA EL JALAPENO TO: DIANA LYNN ALBERT DBA RIDE TO FREEDOM BAR & GRILL @ 2001 KIMBALL RD SE. - RECEIVED & FILED

46. MAYOR WILLIAM J. HEALY, II: REQ RE-APPT OF SUE ROSS TO CITY'S BD OF ZONING APPEALS EFF: 3 YR TERM RETRO TO 1/1/08 THRU 12/31/10. - PERSONNEL COMMITTEE

47. MAYOR WILLIAM J. HEALY, II: REQ APPT OF ROBERT THOMPSON TO CANTON COMM IMPROV CORP EFF: RETRO TO 1/1/08 THRU 12/31/08. - PERSONNEL COMMITTEE

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48. MAYOR WILLIAM J. HEALY, II: NOTICE OF TERM EXPIRATION FOR SAMUEL DORTO TO CANTON COMM IMPROV CORP EFF: 12/21/07. - RECEIVED & FILED
49. RECREATION DEPARTMENT: 2007 ANNUAL RPT OF CANTON JOINT RECREATION DISTRICT. - RECEIVED & FILED
50. SAFETY DIRECTOR NESBITT: REQ TO ACCEPT \$3,000.00 DONATION TO CANTON FIRE DEPT FR: WALMART; REQ \$3,000.00 SUPP APPROP TO 2783 FIRE DONATION FUND. - FINANCE COMMITTEE
51. SAFETY DIRECTOR NESBITT: REQ TO ADVERTISE, REC BIDS & ENTER INTO CONTRACT TO PURCHASE 15 TACTICAL ASSAULT RIFLES FOR POLICE DEPT; REQ PURCHASE OF RIFLES PURSUANT TO ORC SEC 125.04 OF STATE COOP PURCH AGMT. - FINANCE COMMITTEE
52. SERVICE DIRECTOR BERNABEI: REQ \$25,000.00 CONTRACT W/CANTON JOINT RECREATIONAL DISTRICT FOR GROUNDS KEEPING SVC @ THURMAN MUNSON MEM STAD THRU 2/28/09; AMEND O#3/2008 & ADD \$25,000.00 SUPP APPROP TO 1001 50-25-50 70506. - FINANCE COMMITTEE
53. STARK CO ADMINISTRATOR HANKE: SUPPORT RESEARCH TO MERGE CITY & CTY HEALTH DEPTS. - RECEIVED & FILED
54. WPCC DIR TRACY MILLS: 2007 ANNUAL RPT OF WPCC. - RECEIVED & FILED
55. WEST, T., WARD 2 CNCLMBR: REQ RE-ESTABLISH SAFE SUMMER COLLABORATIVE PROG; REQ \$36,000.00 REIMBURSEMENT GRANT TO CANTON YMCA & NE COMM CTR. - FINANCE COMMITTEE

**ORDINANCES & FORMAL RESOLUTIONS FOR FIRST READING**

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: We are now under First Reading Ordinances and Resolutions for the first reading. Let the journal show that all ordinances are being given their readings according to State Law. Madame Clerk, would you please read ordinance #1.

***NOTE: PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR CALLED UPON CLERK TIMBERLAKE TO READ ORDINANCES #1 THROUGH #4 FOR THE FIRST TIME BY TITLE & ANNOUNCED THE COMMITTEE REFERRAL, AS FOLLOWS.***

#1 (1<sup>ST</sup> RDG) AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING CANTON TO ANNEX THE TERRITORY KNOWN AS THE KOCH KNIGHT ANNEXATION AREA CONTAINING APPROXIMATELY 27.3292 ACRES; ASSIGNING SAID TERRITORY TO WARD 4 OF THE CITY; ZONING SAID TERRITORY AS I-2 (HEAVY INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT); AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY

Referred to Annexation Committee

#2 (1<sup>ST</sup> RDG) AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY AUDITOR TO PAY A MORAL OBLIGATION IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$2,490.00 TO CAROLINA ENVIRONMENTAL, INC.; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY

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#3 (1<sup>ST</sup> RDG) AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 164/2001 AND EXHIBIT A TO ORDINANCE NO. 164/2001, AS AMENDED, THE CLASSIFICATION PLAN AND SALARIES FOR MANAGEMENT AND NON-BARGAINING UNIT EMPLOYEES OF THE CITY OF CANTON; AMENDING SECTIONS 151.06, 151.07, 151.10, 151.11, 151.17 AND 151.22 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY

Referred to Personnel & Finance Committees

#4 (1<sup>ST</sup> RDG) AN ORDINANCE WAIVING THE RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT OF SECTION 735.01 OF THE OHIO REVISED CODE FOR THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE

Referred to Personnel Committee**ORDINANCES & FORMAL RESOLUTIONS FOR SECOND READING**

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: We are now under Ordinances for their second reading. Madame Clerk, will you please read Ordinances 5 through...5 and 6.

***NOTE: PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR CALLED UPON CLERK TIMBERLAKE TO READ ORDINANCE #5 AND #6 FOR THEIR SECOND TIME BY TITLE AS REQUIRED BY STATE LAW, AS FOLLOWS (ORDINANCE #7 WAS RETAINED IN COMMITTEE):***

#5 (2<sup>ND</sup> RDG) AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO ENTER INTO A JOB CREATION TAX INCENTIVE AGREEMENT WITH THE HUNTINGTON NATIONAL BANK PURSUANT TO THE CITY'S ECONOMIC GROWTH INITIATIVE PROGRAM; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY

#6 (2<sup>ND</sup> RDG) AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE LAW DIRECTOR TO ENTER INTO CONTRACT WITH THE BELOW-NAMED CITIES AND VILLAGES TO PROVIDE LEGAL REPRESENTATION CONCERNING THE PROSECUTION OF CRIMINAL CASES AND RELATED MATTERS BY THE CITY PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY

#7 (2<sup>ND</sup> RDG) **RETAINED IN COMMITTEE**

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Ordinance #7, let the Journal show that Ordinance #7 is referred...is also referred to the Capital Improvement Committee.

**ORDINANCES & FORMAL RESOLUTIONS FOR THIRD AND FINAL READING**

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: We are now under Ordinances for their third and final reading. Madame Clerk, please read Ordinance #8 by title only.

***NOTE: PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR CALLED UPON CLERK TIMBERLAKE TO READ THE FOLLOWING ORDINANCES #8 THROUGH #15 FOR THEIR THIRD AND FINAL READING BY TITLE AS REQUIRED BY STATE LAW, AS FOLLOWS. ALL THE ORDINANCES WERE ADOPTED BY COUNCIL FOLLOWING THEIR THIRD READING***

#8 (3<sup>RD</sup> RDG) **ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE #3/2008** AN ORDINANCE APPROVING AND

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ACCEPTING THE REPLATTING OF LOT 29205, LOT 29204 AND PARTS OF LOTS 9683 AND 9684;  
AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Member Carbenia.

MEMBER CARBENIA: Mr. President. I move we adopt Ordinance #8.

MEMBER CIRELLI: Seconded.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: It's been moved and seconded to adopt Ordinance #8, are there any remarks?... If not, roll call please.

NO REMARKS ROLL CALL: 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK TIMBERLAKE: Twelve yeas Mr. President.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Ordinance #8 has been adopted. Ordinance #9.

**#8 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 3/2008**

#9 (3<sup>RD</sup> RDG) **ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE #4/2008** AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING PARTICIPATION BY THE CITY OF CANTON IN STATE CONTRACTS PURSUANT TO OHIO REVISED CODE SECTION 5513.01; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Member Carbenia.

MEMBER CARBENIA: Mr. President, I move we adopt Ordinance #9.

MEMBER CIRELLI: Seconded.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: It's been moved and seconded to adopt Ordinance #9, are there any remarks?... If not, roll call please.

NO REMARKS ROLL CALL: 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK TIMBERLAKE: Twelve yeas Mr. President.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Ordinance #9 has been adopted. Ordinance #10.

**#9 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 4/2008**

#10 (3<sup>RD</sup> RDG) **ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE #5/2008** AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING PARTICIPATION BY THE CITY OF CANTON IN THE STATE OF OHIO COOPERATIVE PURCHASING PROGRAM; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Member Carbenia.

MEMBER CARBENIA: Mr. President, I move we adopt Ordinance #10.

MEMBER CIRELLI: Seconded.

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PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: It's been moved and seconded to adopt Ordinance #10, are there any remarks?... If not, roll call please.

NO REMARKS ROLL CALL: 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK TIMBERLAKE: Twelve yeas Mr. President.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Ordinance #10 has been adopted. Ordinance #11.

**#10 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 5/2008**

#11 (3<sup>RD</sup> RDG) **ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE #6/2008** AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND/OR DIRECTORS OF PUBLIC SERVICE AND SAFETY TO COMPLETE THE CONTRACTING PROCESS FOR VARIOUS CONTRACTS PREVIOUSLY AUTHORIZED BUT NOT COMPLETED BY JANUARY 1, 2008; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Member Carbenia.

MEMBER CARBENIA: Mr. President, I move we adopt ah...Ordinance #11.

MEMBER CIRELLI: Seconded.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: It's been moved and seconded to adopt Ordinance #11, are there any remarks?... If not, roll call please.

NO REMARKS ROLL CALL: 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK TIMBERLAKE: Twelve yeas Mr. President.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Ordinance #11 has been adopted. Ordinance #12.

**#11 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 6/2008**

#12 (3<sup>RD</sup> RDG) **ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE #7/2008** AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTORS OF PUBLIC SERVICE AND SAFETY TO ADVERTISE, RECEIVE BIDS AND ENTER INTO CONTRACT FOR SUPPLY ITEMS, MATERIALS AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICES FOR THE CITY OF CANTON'S OPERATIONS DURING THE 2008 CALENDAR YEAR; AUTHORIZING ALTERNATIVELY THE PURCHASE OF SAID ITEMS PURSUANT TO THE STATE COOPERATIVE PURCHASING AGREEMENT AND/OR ODOT PURCHASING AGREEMENT; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: You've heard the reading of Ordinance #12, Member Carbenia.

MEMBER CARBENIA: Mr. President, I move we adopt Ordinance #12.

MEMBER CIRELLI: Seconded.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: It's been moved and seconded to adopt Ordinance #12, are there any remarks?... If not, roll call please.

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NO REMARKS ROLL CALL: 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK TIMBERLAKE: Twelve yeas Mr. President.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Ordinance #12 has been adopted. Ordinance #13 please.

**#12 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 7/2008**

#13 (3<sup>RD</sup> RDG) **ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE #8/2008** AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO ACCEPT A DONATION OF \$500.00 FROM C.H. PULLEY AND \$10.00 FROM THE FIREMAN'S FUND; AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 1/2008, BY MAKING THE SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION HEREIN DESCRIBED; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: You've heard the reading of Ordinance #13 are there any remarks? I mean roll call....ah (*laughter*)....a move to adopt.

MEMBER CARBENIA: Mr. President.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Member Carbenia.

MEMBER CARBENIA: I move we adopt ah....Ordinance 13.

MEMBER CIRELLI: Seconded.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: It's been moved and seconded to adopt Ordinance #13, are there any remarks?... If not, roll call please.

NO REMARKS ROLL CALL: 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK TIMBERLAKE: Twelve yeas Mr. President.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Ordinance #13 has been adopted. Ordinance #14.

**#13 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 8/2008**

#14 (3<sup>RD</sup> RDG) **ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE #9/2008** AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO ACCEPT A GRANT FROM THE BUREAU OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION SAFETY IN THE AMOUNT OF \$25,263.62; AMENDING APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 1/2008; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: You've heard the reading of Ordinance #14, is there a move to adopt?

MEMBER CARBENIA: Mr. President, I move we adopt Ordinance #14.

MEMBER CIRELLI: Seconded.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: It's been moved and seconded to adopt Ordinance #14, are there any remarks?... If not, roll call please.



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NO REMARKS ROLL CALL: 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK TIMBERLAKE: Twelve yeas Mr. President.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Ordinance #14 has been adopted. Ordinance #15.

**#14 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 9/2008**

#15 (3<sup>RD</sup> RDG) **ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE #10/2008** AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 1/2008 BY MAKING THE SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS, ADVANCE AND ADVANCE REPAYMENT HEREIN DESCRIBED; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: You've heard the reading of Ordinance #15, is there a move to adopt?

MEMBER CARBENIA: Mr. President. I move we adopt Ordinance #15.

MEMBER CIRELLI: Seconded.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: It's been moved and seconded to adopt Ordinance #15, are there any remarks?... If not, roll call please.

NO REMARKS ROLL CALL: 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK TIMBERLAKE: Twelve yeas Mr. President.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Ordinance #15 has been adopted.

**#15 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 10/2008**

**ANNOUNCEMENT OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS**

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: We are now under Announcement of Committee Meetings.

MEMBER HAWK: Mr. President.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Member Hawk.

MEMBER HAWK: Finance Committee will meet Monday, February 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:45 PM.

MEMBER PRATER: Mr. President.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Member Prater.

MEMBER PRATER: Personnel Committee will meet Monday, February 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:45 PM.

CLERK TIMBERLAKE: Bill

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Who else?

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CLERK TIMBERLAKE: Bill, Annexation for Koch Knight.

MEMBER SMUCKLER: Where's the 2<sup>nd</sup> reading on it?

CLERK TIMBERLAKE: It's on 1<sup>st</sup> reading now, it's for 2<sup>nd</sup> reading next week.

MEMBER SMUCKLER: I'm sorry.

CLERK TIMBERLAKE: That's okay.

MEMBER SMUCKLER: Okay, Annexation will meet next week, same time, same place.

CLERK TIMBERLAKE: Thank you.

**PUBLIC SPEAKS (OPEN FORUM--CITY BUSINESS ONLY)**

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: We are now under Public Speaks Open Forum. We have one speaker tonight. The first speaker is Mari Moss. Would you please come forward and give your name and address please.

MARI MOSS: My name is Mari Moss, I live at 1601 Harvard Avenue NW, Canton OH 44703. I want to thank you all for this opportunity and I wanted to say to the Mayor and also Councilman West and those of you who wanted to be there, thank you for attending Unity in Our Community last Monday, even though there was City Council Meeting, your presence was very well meant to the community and the families that were hurting from the victims of violence. Um...and the community organizations really appreciated you being there as well. So I wanted to say thank you to you all for being out there and...and supporting our community. And I continue to say that we have the right people, the right mind set, the right resources, the right size of a community to make a change and to really make a difference when it comes to crime and violence in our community and we can turn this around together if we just take a unified effort and stand as one. So thank you once again for being there and I want to thank The Repository too for the excellent coverage they gave of the event. But thank you all for at least keeping us in your prayers and thoughts. Those of you who wanted to be there and emailed me. But those of you who were there, thank you so much for being there. Thank you.

*(APPLAUSE)*

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Thank you.

**MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS**

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: We're now under Miscellaneous Business. Is there any Miscellaneous Business?

MEMBER WEST: Mr. President.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Member West.

MEMBER WEST: No, I just wanted to um...say to Mayor Healy, today I thought was a really good fresh start with the...you bringing down our State Safety Director, if you will. Ah...I really enjoyed that today and I've got to meet some valuable contacts, so, I appreciate that. And I don't know if you should share that, let people know who came down today, you might want to share that.

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PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Is there any other...Mr. Healy, I mean Mayor Healy.

MAYOR HEALY: Thank you Councilman West. We had ah...the Director for the Ohio Department of Public Safety, Henry Guzman came in but he also brought ah...the heads of all of his departments and they came in, we had them in Council Chambers today and we brought our Administration down. And we tried to pair up and meet with them and ah...got a tremendous amount of information and...and ah...built some relationships ah...with the State Department, that I think going to help the City of Canton valuably ah...in...in the upcoming years. And ah...we're going to continue doing that with other departments and as we get a little more ah...sophisticated with these ah...we're going to make them open to Council and to the public as well so that you guys have the benefits of...of meeting with the leaders of the State departments and...ah...asking the questions about the spec...specific issues and...and topics that are out there, while...while their here. So, thank you Tom.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Is there any other Miscellaneous Business?

MEMBER CARBENIA: Mr. President.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: Member Carbenia.

MEMBER CARBENIA: I move we adjourn.

MEMBER CIRELLI: Seconded.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: It's been seconded to adjourn. Roll call please.

NO REMARKS      ROLL CALL: 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK TIMBERLAKE: Twelve yeas.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM CASAR: (*Gavel falls*) This meeting is adjourned.

ADJOURNMENT TIME: 7:55 PM

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

CYNTHIA TIMBERLAKE  
CLERK OF COUNCIL

DON CASAR  
PRESIDENT PRO TEM OF COUNCIL

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