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Recording begins as follows:

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: ...and welcome to Canton City Council. If everyone would please turn your phones to vibrate. Uh... and with a quorum being present, the Chair calls this meeting of Canton City Council to order. Roll call vote please, Madam Clerk.

12 COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT: (JOHN MARIOL, JAMES BABCOCK, LOUIS GIAVASIS, CRYSTAL SMITH, GREG HAWK, BRENDA KIMBROUGH, JASON SCAGLIONE, CHRIS SMITH, ROBERT FISHER, KEVIN HALL, RICHARD SACCO & FRANK MORRIS)

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Tonight's invocation will be given by Ward 3 Council Member, Jason Scaglione. If you'll all please stand and remain standing for our Pledge of Allegiance.

MEMBER SCAGLIONE: So if I could before my...uh...invocation here, I'd like to ask if we take a second to keep all those uh...in prayer that are hurt, have lost loved ones. Especially...uh...our own Director Perry that's had a...loss in her family and all those who are recovering from illness and sicknesses (*inaudible*).

The regular meeting of Canton City Council was held on February 12, 2024 at 7:00 P.M. in the Canton City Council Chamber. The roll call was taken (see above) by Clerk of Council, Jill M. Wood. The invocation was given by Ward 3 Council Member, Jason Scaglione. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by President Bates Aylward.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: And thank you, Member Scaglione.

AGENDA CORRECTIONS AND CHANGES

PRESIDENT BATES-AYLWARD: We are now under Agenda Corrections and Changes. Leader Mariol.

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President... I move we suspend Rules....uh 22A to add Ordinances 19 through 21 to this evening's agenda.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's been moved and seconded to suspend Rule 22A to add second readings to tonight's agenda. Are there any remarks? ...Hearing none, roll call vote, please.

NO REMARKS

ROLL CALL 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK WOOD: Twelve yeas, Madam President.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. The motion carries and Ordinances 19 through 21 are now a legal part of your agenda.

PUBLIC HEARINGS

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: We are now under Public Hearings, and we have none for this evening.

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OLD BUSINESS

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: We are now under Old Business, and there is no Old Business for this evening.

PUBLIC SPEAKS

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: We are now under Public Speaks and we have four speakers this evening. Uh...since we have some people that I think are new to speaking here in Council, what we will do is we will have you approach the microphone. I'll call your name, you will give your name and residential address and you will have 3 minutes uh to....address your concerns with City Council. Our first speaker is Ahmed Cheema. Can you please approach...and speak into the microphone sir. Your name a residential address.

AHMED CHEEMA: My name is Ahmed Cheema. My resident address is 5155 Foxchase Ave NW in Canton.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Go ahead sir.

AHMED CHEEMA: Thank you. Respected Councilmembers, fellow citizens... asa lama lakum, blessing...uh...and peace be upon you. As one of our respective Councilmember mentioned the subject of loss of life and that is also the reason why I'm here today, because Gaza bleeds. With more than 28,000 killed to date. Each drop of innocent blood, stains not just the soil but the conscience of this world. We cannot remain bystanders...to a brutal cycle of disposition, cold blooded killings, and settle...settler colonialism masquerading as security. Generations of Palestinians suffer under...devious....oppressive regimes, with dignity stripped, their homes demolished...futures stolen. This isn't...this isn't about butters and politics, it's about humanity. The cries of children echoes across oceans demanding our intervention. Families huddle in fear amidst bombs, blasts, drubble. Placing a brutal reality we can't ignore. Doctors and nurse...shot while trying to save lives in the operating room. Drones dropping bombs on children, journalist, and humanitarians killed while preforming their duties. Mass starvations, slaughter of civilians, and so called safety cargoes...announced by the deceptive regime. Will we simply turn a page...numb to unfolding trag...tragedy. No, our voices your voices must rise in a thunderous chorus demanding...an immediate cease fire. Let this Council pass a Resolution not just symbolic, but a beacon of hope. Let it pierce the deafening silence echoing in the halls of justice. The halls of power unfortunately that are not the halls of justice. Demanding that the guns...fall silent in the path to peace be pave. Peace cannot be built on oppression. Imagine mothers clinging to their children, fathers fearing for their families, the students drop of dreams. (Buzzer) This vio...this violence needs to end.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Sir, your 3 minutes are up...

AHMED CHEEMA: Let's pave a way for lasting peace, Thank you.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you very much. (*Applause*) Our next speaker is Miss Kimberly Bell. I don't see Miss Bell. Miss Kimberly...Oh there she is okay, I'm sorry.

KIMBERLY BELL: Kimberly Bell, 1733 Morris Ave. Uh...yea...there was black man that was killed by the Mayor that was here before this Mayor and the Police Dept. Talking about that he was killed in his home, in front of his 6 little girls and his wife on New Year's Eve. Talking about bloodshed. Then they had go home and clean up the blood from their father that this Council...these Councilmembers they weren't aware, but the Mayor that was before this Mayor kept it from everybody. So I feel for your...your family members in Gaza and Palestine and everybody over there. We have bloodshed being done right here in this building. These people here is not who you think they are. So, but...I want to talk about...I came in her with something else on my mind, but when I heard the Tom Bernabei daughter was put on the Board...was it...was it...elected to go on the Board I...it kind of lit a fire under me. Y'all know how I feel about Tom. But I asked Mr. Gi...Giavasis

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family to help me with a...a...piece of paper, my...my resume so I can send to the Board of Metropolitan. And I...I...have...I have an ideal...I have something in mind. And ideal I would like several of you Councilmembers to, once I get this letter and resume to Metropolitan with the problems that I'm having there with what they're doing, I would like to ask a few of you Councilmembers to accompany with me. Once I set up the meeting with them, but right now I'm just...just so upset with what I just witness when I came in here today.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you, Miss Bell. (*Applause*) Our next speaker is Mr. Richard Manson. Mr. Mason...if you could approach and give your name and residential address.

RICHARD MANSON: My name is Richard Mason, it's 601 High Ave. Uh... I came to see Council on this matter before uh...about building permit. Uh...and I still haven't found a resolution yet or...gotten any word from anybody. Uh...I asked my City Councilman Chris Smith if she could ask them and find evidence or proof of it being late. Uh...to my knowledge the Building Department hasn't provided her any proof it being late and like I told you before I sent that building permit in on the 26th of the month. It was have to...have taken six days to get across town, back to the Building Department to be late. And I've sent myself five letters in the mail, not one of them took five days it took three or four days. So, I'd like to find out what the proof is, if this was late. I mentioned before John Mariol...I...well I caught him lying to me...so I don't think...I...I think he's trying everything he can to be a thorn in my side. I wanted this house sided last year. Last summer, I wanted it to be done, I want it... I want to get it done. Uh...so if I can find proof, that somebody can find proof of it being late I'd appreciate it. Or I also asked the City to resend the or remove the fine. Uh...I have another issue, I checked into the Federal Building Code. Evidently City has abolished their Building Code and went with the National Building Code, apparently. National Building Code does not require you to have a Building Permit to cover your siding. It only requires it if you remove and replace your siding. What I'm doing is not removing the existing siding. There are two layers of siding of my house right now, I'm just covering over those two layers with a third layer. So is a building permit really required for that? It...not according to the Federal Building Code. So, I like someone to give me an answer on that. My number or if you want to take it down is 2...uh...643-649-7708 if somebody wants to call me with answers to these questions, I'd appreciate it. Thank you very much.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you, Mr. Manson. Our last speaker tonight, and I hope I'm reading this correctly, it appears to be appears to say Billee Elaha...

BILLEE ELAHA: (Inaudible)

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Okay.

BILLEE ELAHA: My name is Billee Elaha, my location is a 807 18th St NE Canton, Ohio. Okay I'm mean my English is not that good so I can't speak longer, but I think...uh...I'm asking you fair again. You think you can do a favor for me? Make it cost you just two or three calories burn. I'm not asking you to do some *push* ups don't worry. So, please whoever got a kids here raise his hand. Whoever gets child.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Oh yea. We all have kids. We don't really respond to people when at Public Speaks, it's for you to address us.

BILLEE ELAHA: Oh basically all you guys have kids, right? Imagine if something happened to your child...to your kid and take him to the hospital how worried you are. You can feel that? So parent in Gaza, they wish to find their kids in one piece. Alright, so please guys I'm not asking you to be in their shoes. Just try to be in their

socks. So, please if you can do something for them, just do it. And we appreciate that and all my respect. Ladies and Gentleman, thank you.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you very much sir. (*Applause*) Alright, thank you all very much, speakers.

INFORMAL RESOLUTIONS

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: We are now under Informal Resolutions and we have...three including of 3a...tonight. So Madam Clerk, would you please...uh read Resolution...Informal Resolution #1, by title.

1. PERSONNEL COMMITTEE: CONFIRM APPT OF MR. JEFF PECENKO TO CANTON CONSTRUCTION BOARD COMMENCING 2/12/24 TO 12/31/25. - ADOPTED

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Leader Mariol.

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we adopt Informal Resolution #1.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's been moved and seconded to adopt Informal Resolution #1. Are there any remarks? ... Hearing none, by voice vote all those in favor signify by saying aye. Those opposed no.

NO REMARKS RESOLUTION #1 PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY VOICE VOTE

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: The ayes have it, the motion carries and Informal Resolution #1 is adopted. Madam Clerk, Resolution #2 please.

2. PERSONNEL COMMITTEE: CONFIRM APPT OF MS. KIMBERLY KINGSBURY TO CANTON CITY BOARD OF HEALTH COMMENCING 2/12/24 TO 3/31/27. - ADOPTED

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you, Leader Mariol.

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we adopt Informal Resolution #2.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's been moved and seconded to adopt Informal Resolution #2. Are there any remarks? ...Hearing none...uh...all in favor signify by saying aye. Those opposed no.

NO REMARKS

RESOLUTION #2 PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY VOICE VOTE

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: The ayes have it, the motion carries and Informal Resolution #2 is adopted. #3, please Madam Clerk.

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3. PERSONNEL COMMITTEE: CONFIRM APPT OF MR. JR RINALDI TO SERVE AS PUBLIC APPOINTEE ON STARK COUNTY REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION COMMENCING 2/12/24 TO 12/31/25. - ADOPTED

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Leader Mariol.

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we adopt Informal Resolution #3.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's been moved and seconded to adopt Informal Resolution #3. Are there any remarks? ... Hearing none, all those in favor signify by saying aye. All those opposed no.

NO REMARKS

RESOLUTION #3 PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY VOICE VOTE

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: The ayes have it, the motion carries and Informal Resolution #3 is adopted. Madam Clerk, will you please read Informal Resolution 3a.

COUNCIL-AS-A-WHOLE: COMMENDING COUNCIL MEMBER KEVIN HALL FOR HIS 3a. OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE CANTON COMMUNITY. - ADOPTED

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Leader Mariol.

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we adopt Informal Resolution 3a.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's been moved and seconded to adopt Informal Resolution 3a. Are there any remarks?

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Yes sir.

MEMBER MARIOL: I would like to have that read in full please.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Yes.

CLERK WOOD: We'll read it after the vote.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Yea.

MEMBER MARIOL: Okay.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Alright...Alright, do I have a second?

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's been moved and seconded that we adopt Informal Resolution #3a. Uh... and now...uh we'll have the vote and then we will have it read in full. Any other remarks before we have it read in full? ...Hearing none, those in favor signify by saying aye. All those opposed no.

NO REMARKS

RESOLUTION #3A PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY VOICE VOTE

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: The ayes have it, the motion carries and Madam Clerk, I think we'd all like to have it read in full, please.

CLERK WOOD: An Informal Resolution Respectfully Submitted By Council-as-a-Whole on this 12th day of February, 2024. Whereas, Kevin Hall, who has been employed with Abbott Electric for 37 years, and is part owner of the restaurant, Cork and Canvas on 3rd, began his career with City Council as Ward 6 Council Member in 2016; and Whereas, During his tenure on City Council, Kevin has pushed for the continued support of the summer youth programs, the Northeast Community Center, and he has been a strong supporter of the Centennial Plaza; and Whereas, Because of Kevin's dedication to youth, he has been a speaker at many area high schools and even purchased a lawnmower and weed eater for a young man to start his own landscaping service; and Whereas, Kevin and his lovey wife, Toya, have celebrated two years of marriage. Kevin has 4 daughters and 5 grandchildren. Now Therefore Be It Resolved: That we, the Members of Canton City Council, do hereby commend fellow Council Member Kevin Hall for his commitment and devotion to the citizens of the city of Canton and for his outstanding contributions to our community. (*Applause*)

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you, Madam Clerk.

MEMBER MARIOL: Kevin it's a uh....a great honor to be able to give you this. It's been uh...a pleasure serving with you. And I know that all of us have really enjoyed your time on Council. I...I just wanted to say that...uh...City Council and Legislative bodies are deliberative bodies. And part of that and part of how...uh...we can make sure we're doing the right thing for the community is discussion, debate. And one of the things I have...really enjoyed...uh...in working with you on Council is...whether we agree on something or we disagree and we've disagreed on...on some things in the past. You...you always...voiced your opinion and by doing that you, you made what we're doing better. Uh...whether it was the Northeast Community Center, the grant that you got to do...you know...really good youth programming there. Or the park improvements that we've gotten that's going to make uh...a real transformational difference in the City. Uh...you did this (inaudible) and you know...it...it...inspired me to ask more questions and I know that it's inspired a lot of...everyone else to ask more questions. And as you move on, uh...and move on to the County as uh...hopefully as a...a...County Commissioner soon, uh...that...that debate that that uh...bringing up a different viewpoint and making sure that you look at every angle. It's something that you got...uh...you bring to this body and I know you're going to bring it to the County Commissioner. So I think it's going to be such a valuable thing and really really appreciated uh...getting to know you and work with you on Council. So congratulations in your next endeavors. Thank you.

MEMBER HALL: And I'm not going to speak at all, but...

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Oh Kevin. (Laughter)

MEMBER HALL: I would just like to sa...thank everyone and it's been a joy. A real learning experience

because it was a new avenue when I done this. So I…I really enjoyed it and I learned a lot, thank you. *(Applause)*

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: I'm sure there will be some things in Miscellaneous Business for you however. (*Laughter*)

COMMUNICATIONS

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: We are now under...uh...Communications. And we will 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 12, 2024.

- 4. REQ AUTH FOR ZONE CHANGE AT 2121 4TH ST SE (PARCEL #232763), WARD 4. AGENT KARA BOND
- 5. REQ ISSUANCE AND SALE OF REVENUE BOND ANTICIPATION NOTE IN AMT NOT TO EXCEED \$725,000.00 FOR HERCULES REDEVELOPMENT PROJ. AUDITOR MALLONN
- 6. REQ RE-ISSUANCE AND SALE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT REVENUE BOND ANTICIPATION NOTE IN AMT NOT TO EXCEED \$1,750,000.00. - AUDITOR MALLONN
- 7. 2023 ANNUAL REPORT. CANTON FIRE DEPT
- 8. RPT OF DEPOSITS AND PAY-INS TO AMBULANCE LOCK BOX FOR JANUARY, 2024. CHIEF BENNETT
- 9. REQ FOR NEW D2 LIQUOR PERMIT FOR ICIE SKATES LLC, DBA ICIE SKATES WINE & JAZZ, 846 MARKET AVE S, WARD 4. LIQUOR CONTROL DIV (OH)
- 10. REQ PROF SERVS AGRMT WITH DOWNTOWN CANTON PARTNERSHIP, INC. IN AMT OF \$250,000.00 PER YEAR FOR 2 YEARS FROM 2/29/24 TO 1/1/26, USING ISSUE 13 COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FUNDS. PLANNING DIRECTOR ANGUS
- 11. REQ AUTH FOR ZONE CHANGE AT 2234 FAIRCREST ST SW (PARCEL #8300070), WARD 4. -PROP OWNER SHAWNEE DEVELOPMENT LTD
- 12. ADVISE OF APPT OF CHRISTOPHER BARNES, P.E. AS CITY ENGINEER. SERVICE DIRECTOR HIGHMAN

ORDINANCES AND FORMAL RESOLUTIONS FOR FIRST READING

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: We are now under Ordinances and Formal Resolutions for their First Reading. Madam Clerk, would you please begin with Ordinance #13.

NOTE: PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD CALLED UPON CLERK WOOD TO READ ORDINANCES #13 THROUGH #18 FOR THEIR FIRST READING BY TITLE AS REQUIRED BY STATE LAW, AS FOLLOWS:

O#13. (1st RDG) AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE INTERIOR RENOVATION PROGRAM (IRP) AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND/OR DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC

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O#14. (1 ST RDG)	SERVICE TO ENTER INTO IRP GRANT AGREEMENTS; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY <u>Referred to Community & Economic Development Committee</u> AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE AUDITOR TO PAY PATH MASTER, INC. A MORAL OBLIGATION IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$9,066.00, AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY <u>Referred to Finance Committee</u>
O#15. (1 ST RDG)	AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CLERK OF COUNCIL TO CERTIFY TO THE COUNTY AUDITOR UNPAID AND DELINQUENT CHARGES FOR SERVICES PERFORMED BY AND/OR ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF CANTON BUILDING AND CODE DEPARTMENT FOR BOARD UP/CLEAN UP/DEMOLITION CHARGES; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY Referred to Finance Committee

- O#16. (1ST RDG) AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO ENTER INTO ANY AND ALL CONTRACTS NECESSARY TO RESPOND TO THE 3110 GLEN PLACE NW DEMOLITION; AUTHORIZING THE AUDITOR TO PAY ANY AND ALL MORAL OBLIGATIONS FROM RESPONDING TO THIS EMERGENCY SITUATION; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY Referred to Finance Committee
- O#17. (1ST RDG) AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO ADVERTISE, RECEIVE BIDS, AWARD, AND ENTER INTO ALL CONTRACTS NECESSARY FOR THE PURCHASE OF TWO (2) SMALL TO MID-SIZED REAR LOADING PACKERS, ONE (1) KNUCKLE BOOM LOADER (CLAW) TRUCK, AND ONE (1) PASSENGER VAN FOR THE SANITATION DEPARTMENT; OR TO ALTERNATIVELY PURCHASE SAID ITEMS PURSUANT TO ANY PROCUREMENT PROGRESS AUTHORIZED BY LAW; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY Referred to Public Property Capital Improvement Committee
- O#18. (1ST RDG) ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 20/2024 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 227/2023; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY (\$200,000.00 SUPP APPROP FR UNAPPROP BAL OF 2331 AIR POLLUTION FUND TO 2331 301001 AIR POLLUTION – 700 OTHER DIRECT COSTS) Referred to Finance Committee

CLERK WOOD: Madam President.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. At this time, the Chair would declare an in-house recess for the Finance Committee to meet in regard to Ordinance 18 on your agenda this evening. You are now in recess.

(COUNCIL RECESSED AT 7:24 PM FOR THE FINANCE COMMITTEE TO MEET IN REGARDS TO 0#18; RECONVENED AT 7:27 PM)

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Council is reconvening after the recess, Leader.

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we suspend Rule 22A to place Ordinance 18 back on this evening's agenda.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's been moved and seconded to suspend Rule 22A to place Ordinance 18 back on this evening's or agenda. Are there any remarks? ... Hearing none, roll call vote, please.

NO REMARKS

ROLL CALL 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

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CLERK WOOD: Twelve yeas, Madam President.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. The motion carries and Ordinance 18 is now a legal part of your agenda. Leader.

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we suspend statutory Rules on Ordinance #18.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's been moved and seconded to suspend the Statutory Rules on Ordinance 18. Are there any remarks? ... Hearing none, roll call vote, please.

NO REMARKS

ROLL CALL 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

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CLERK WOOD: Twelve yeas, Madam President.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. You've heard the three readings, Leader.

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we adopt Ordinance #18.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's been moved and seconded to adopt Ordinance #18. Are there any remarks under this Ordinance? ... Hearing none, roll call vote, please.

NO REMARKS

CLERK WOOD: Twelve yeas, Madam President.

#18 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 20/2024

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. The motion carries and Ordinance #18 has been adopted.

ORDINANCES & FORMAL RESOLUTIONS FOR SECOND READING

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Alright...we are now under Ordinances and Formal Resolutions for their Second Reading. Madam Clerk, would you please begin with Ordinance #19.

NOTE: PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD CALLED UPON CLERK WOOD TO READ ORDINANCES #19 THROUGH #21 FOR THEIR SECOND READING BY TITLE AS REQUIRED BY STATE LAW, AS FOLLOWS:

- O#19. (2ND RDG) AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO COMPENSATE STARK ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BOARD UP TO \$40,000.00 FOR GRANT WRITING PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AND TO ENTER INTO ALL NECESSARY AGREEMENTS FOR THE SAME; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY
- O#20. (2ND RDG) AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 175/2023 BY CHANGING THE NAME FROM "HOWMET AEROSPACE" TO "RMI TITANIUM COMPANY, LLC"; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY
- O#21. (2ND RDG) AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 159, DOWNTOWN REDEVELOPMENT/INNOVATION DISTRICT BOARD; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY

CLERK WOOD: Madam President.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you, Madam Clerk.

ORDINANCES & FORMAL RESOLUTIONS FOR THIRD AND FINAL READING

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: We are now under Ordinances and Formal Resolutions for their Third Final Reading and vote. Madam Clerk, would you please began with Ordinance #22.

NOTE: PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD CALLED UPON CLERK WOOD TO READ ORDINANCES #22 THROUGH #36 FOR THEIR THIRD READING BY TITLE AS REQUIRED BY STATE LAW, AS FOLLOWS:

O#22. (3RD RDG) <u>ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 21/2024</u> AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE FUNDING OF CANTON COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT CORPORATION FOR A TWO-YEAR PERIOD UTILIZING GENERAL FUND DOLLARS IN AN AMOUNT OF \$50,000 PER YEAR; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Leader Mariol.

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we adopt Ordinance #22.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's moved and seconded. Are there any remarks under this Ordinance? ... Hearing none, roll call vote, please.

NO REMARKS

ROLL CALL 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK WOOD: Twelve yeas, Madam President.

#22 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 21/2024

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. The motion carries and Ordinance #22 is adopted. Ordinance #23, please.

O#23. (3RD RDG) <u>ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 22/2024</u> AN ORDINANCE AMENDING APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 227/2023; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE EMERGENCY (SUPP APPROP, INTER-FUND ADV & INTER-FUND REPAYMENT TO POLICE ADMIN)

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Leader Mariol.

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we adopt Ordinance #23.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's moved and seconded to adopt Ordinance #23. Are there any remarks? ... Hearing none, roll call vote, please.

NO REMARKS

ROLL CALL 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK WOOD: Twelve yeas, Madam President.

#23 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 22/2024

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. The motion carries and Ordinance #23 is adopted. Ordinance #24, please.

O#24. (3RD RDG) <u>ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 23/2024</u> AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 1305.01 MEMBERS; APPOINTMENT, QUALIFICATIONS AND VACANCY OF CHAPTER 1305, BOARD OF BUILDING APPEALS

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Leader Mariol.

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we adopt Ordinance #24.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's moved and seconded to adopt Ordinance #24. Are there any remarks? ... Hearing none, roll call vote, please.

NO REMARKS

ROLL CALL 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK WOOD: Twelve yeas, Madam President.

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#24 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 23/2024

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. The motion carries and Ordinance #24 is adopted. Ordinance #25, please.

O#25. (3RD RDG) ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 24/2024 AN ORDINANCE APPROVING AND ACCEPTING THE REPLAT OF PARTS OF LOTS 118, 119, AND 120; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY (DCLB CORP, 200 BLK WALNUT AVE NE, WARD 2)

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Leader Mariol.

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we adopt Ordinance #25.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's moved and seconded to adopt Ordinance #25. Are there any remarks? ... Hearing none, roll call vote, please.

NO REMARKS

ROLL CALL 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK WOOD: Twelve yeas, Madam President.

#25 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 24/2024

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. The motion carries and Ordinance #25 is adopted. Ordinance #26, please.

O#26. (3RD RDG) <u>ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 25/2024</u> AN ORDINANCE APPROVING AND ACCEPTING THE REPLAT OF ALL OF OUTLOT 573 AND PARTS OF LOTS 23588-23590 AND 35138; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY (CANTON CITY SCHOOLS, 2525 19TH ST NE, WARD 6)

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Leader Mariol.

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we adopt Ordinance #26.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's moved and seconded to adopt Ordinance #26. Are there any remarks? ... Hearing none, roll call vote, please.

NO REMARKS

ROLL CALL 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK WOOD: Twelve yeas, Madam President.

<u>#26 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 25/2024</u>

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. The motion carries and Ordinance #26 is adopted. Ordinance #27, please.

O#27. (3RD RDG) <u>ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 26/2024</u> AN ORDINANCE APPROVING AND ACCEPTING THE REPLAT OF OUTLOT 1495 AND LOTS 42485 AND 42486; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY (CAROLANN COPE & CLYDE MILLER, 3715 HARMONT AVE NE, WARD 6)

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Leader Mariol.

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we adopt Ordinance #27.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's moved and seconded to adopt Ordinance #27. Are there any remarks? ... Hearing none, roll call vote, please.

NO REMARKS

ROLL CALL 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

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CLERK WOOD: Twelve yeas, Madam President.

#27 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 26/2024

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. The motion carries and Ordinance #27 is adopted. Ordinance #28, please.

O#28. (3RD RDG) ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 27/2024 AN ORDINANCE APPROVING AND ACCEPTING THE REPLAT OF LOTS 9022 AND 9023; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY (HABITAT FOR HUMANITY 412 & 414 WATSON PL SE, WARD 4)

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Leader Mariol.

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we adopt Ordinance #28.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's moved and seconded to adopt Ordinance #28. Are there any remarks? ... Hearing none, roll call vote, please.

NO REMARKS

ROLL CALL 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK WOOD: Twelve yeas, Madam President.

#28 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 27/2024

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. The motion carries and Ordinance #28 is adopted. Ordinance #29, please.

O#29. (3RD RDG) ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 28/2024 AN ORDINANCE APPROVING AND ACCEPTING THE REPLAT OF LOTS 24342 AND 24383; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY (HABITAT FOR HUMANITY 2340 21ST ST NE WARD 6)

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. Leader Mariol.

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we adopt Ordinance #29.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's moved and seconded to adopt Ordinance #29. Are there any remarks? ... Hearing none, roll call vote, please.

NO REMARKS

ROLL CALL 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK WOOD: Twelve yeas, Madam President.

#29 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 28/2024

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. The motion carries and Ordinance #29 is adopted. Ordinance #30, please.

O#30. (3RD RDG) <u>ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 29/2024</u> AN ORDINANCE APPROVING AND ACCEPTING THE REPLAT OF LOTS 4994 AND 4995; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY (HABITAT FOR HUMANITY 909 PROSPECT AVE SW, WARD 5)

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we adopt Ordinance #30.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's moved and seconded to adopt Ordinance #30. Are there any remarks? ... Hearing none, roll call vote, please.

NO REMARKS

ROLL CALL 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK WOOD: Twelve yeas, Madam President.

#30 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 29/2024

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. The motion carries and Ordinance #30 is adopted. Ordinance #31, please.

O#31. (3RD RDG) <u>ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 30/2024</u> AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE RESURFACING OF SR43D (WALNUT/MARKET AVE.) FROM 12TH ST. NE TO 19TH ST, NW, SR 43 (MARKET AVE) FROM 19TH ST NW TO JUST SOUTH OF THE N CORP LIMIT (55TH ST. NW) AND SR 172 FROM THE W CORP LIMIT TO

WERTZ AVE NW AND SMITH AVE NW TO IR 77 WITHIN CANTON; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we adopt Ordinance #31.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's moved and seconded to adopt Ordinance #31. Are there any remarks? ... Hearing none, roll call vote, please.

NO REMARKS

ROLL CALL 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

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CLERK WOOD: Twelve yeas, Madam President.

#31 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 30/2024

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. The motion carries and Ordinance #31 is adopted. Ordinance #32, please.

O#32. (3RD RDG) ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 31/2024 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO ENTER INTO A COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT WITH THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF STARK COUNTY TO REPLACE CITY WATER LINES DURING THE STA-CR-225 PERRY DRIVE NW WIDENING AND WATER MAIN REPLACEMENT PROJECT; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we adopt Ordinance #32.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's moved and seconded to adopt Ordinance #32. Are there any remarks? ... Hearing none, roll call vote, please.

NO REMARKS

ROLL CALL 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK WOOD: Twelve yeas, Madam President.

#32 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 31/2024

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. The motion carries and Ordinance #32...is adopted. Ordinance #33, please.

O#33. (3RD RDG) <u>ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 32/2024</u> AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO SUBMIT ANY SUBSTANTIAL AMENDMENT TO THE CITY'S 2023 ANNUAL ACTION PLAN TO THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (HUD); AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO ENTER INTO ALL CONTRACTS NECESSARY FOR TIMELY EXPENDITURES OF CDBG

AND ESG PROGRAM FUNDS; AND ENTER ALL CONTRACTS NECESSARY TO ALLOW FOR EFFECTIVE OPERATION OF THE PROGRAM DURING THE GRANT PERIOD USING ANY AND ALL PROCUREMENT PROCESSES AUTHORIZED IN THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OR OHIO REVISED CODE; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we adopt Ordinance #33.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's moved and seconded to adopt Ordinance #33. Are there any remarks? ... Hearing none, roll call vote, please.

NO REMARKS

ROLL CALL 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK WOOD: Twelve yeas, Madam President.

#33 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 32/2024

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. The motion carries and Ordinance #33 is adopted. Ordinance #34, please.

O#34. (3RD RDG) <u>ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 33/2024</u> AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO ADVERTISE, RECEIVE BIDS, AWARD, AND ENTER INTO CONTRACT FOR THE PURCHASE OF ONE (1) ³/₄ TON PICKUP TRUCK AND ONE (1) ONE LARGE DUMP TRUCK; OR TO ALTERNATIVELY PURCHASE SAID VEHICLES PURSUANT TO ANY PROCUREMENT PROCESS AUTHORIZED BY LAW; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we adopt Ordinance #34.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's moved and seconded to adopt Ordinance #34. Are there any remarks? ... Hearing none, roll call vote, please.

NO REMARKS

ROLL CALL 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK WOOD: Twelve yeas, Madam President.

#34 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 33/2024

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. The motion carries and Ordinance #34 is adopted. Ordinance #35, please.

O#35. (3RD RDG) <u>ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 34/2024</u> AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO ADVERTISE, RECEIVE BIDS, AWARD, AND ENTER INTO ALL CONTRACTS NECESSARY FOR THE

PURCHASE OF ONE (1) FULL SIZE CARGO VA, TWO (2) 4X4 PICKUP TRUCKS, TWO (2) CARGO BOXES, ONE (1) VACTOR WITH TRAILER, AND ONE (1) FINISH MOWER WITH ACCESSORIES AND A BRUSH HOG; OR TO ALTERNATIVELY PURCHASE SAID ITEMS PURSUANT TO ANY PROCUREMENT PROCESS AUTHORIZED BY LAW; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we adopt Ordinance #35.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's moved and seconded to adopt Ordinance #35. Are there any remarks?

MEMBER MORRIS: Madam President.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Yes, Member Morris.

MEMBER MORRIS: Service Director, what does the Water Department need a brush hog this for?

SERVICE DIRECTOR HIGHMAN: Uh...Madam President, Mr. Morris they by nature of the water plans and all of the property that they have to maintain, they do a substantial amount of mowing and property maintenance. Whether it be Sugar Creek, Northeast, or the Northwest plant.

MEMBER MORRIS: Thank you.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Are there any other questions or remarks...under this ordinance? Alright, hearing no further comments, roll call vote, please.

NO REMARKS

ROLL CALL 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK WOOD: Twelve yeas, Madam President.

#35 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 34/2024

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. The motion carries and Ordinance #35 is adopted. And finally, Ordinance #36, please.

O#36. (3RD RDG) ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 35/2024 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AUDITOR TO OPEN ALL PURCHASE ORDERS AND PAY ALL MORAL OBLIGATIONS NEEDED TO MOVE \$101,202.40 OF 4568 FEDERAL GRANT FUNDS AND \$101,202.40 OF 2175 COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FUNDS FOR THE 11TH ST SE INTERSECTION AND ROADWAY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT, GP, 1144, PID 90465; AMENDING APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 227/2023; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you, Madam Clerk. Leader Mariol.

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we adopt Ordinance #36.

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MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's moved and seconded to adopt Ordinance #36. Are there any remarks? ... Hearing none, roll call vote, please.

NO REMARKS

ROLL CALL 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK WOOD: Twelve yeas, Madam President.

#36 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 35/2024

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. The motion carries and Ordinance #36 is adopted.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Now we are under the Announcement of Committee Meetings. Our next meeting date is February the 26^{th.} We will be off on President's Day. So it's February 26th...Committee Meetings will be starting at 6:15 PM. Service Director Highman will be giving us a presentation on utility rates. Thank you, Director. Uh...and uh...Finance Committee.

MEMBER GIAVASIS: Madam Clerk, Finance will meet at 6:15 PM at...on February 26th.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Community Economic Development.

MEMBER HAWK: Madam President, Community Economic Development will meet at 6:15 on February 26th.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Public Property Capital Improvement.

MEMBER SCAGLIONE: Public....Property...Capital Improvement will meet same time, same place.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you very much.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Uh...we are now under Miscellaneous Business. And before I concede the floor to anyone who would like to say anything, again I just want to say it's been such a pleasure working with you...uh...Member Hall. And uh...I can't wait to see the great things you're going to do because I know it's just going to be onward and upward for you from here. Okay now, anyone else.

MEMBER MORRIS: Madam President.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Yes, Member Morris.

MEMBER MORRIS: Member Hall, it is been truly a pleasure to get to know you and spend some quality time. Sadly your last meeting had to be this bad, but when you're this successful as a County Commissioner. I'd like you to keep this in your desk. I've had it here for twelve years. (Laughter) "Don't drink and legislate."

Member Morris hands Member Hall a pack of Kool-Aid.

(Laughter).

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you very much, Member Morris. Yes.

MEMBER SMITH: Oh, Madam President. Uh...

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Yes, Member Smith...

MEMBER SMITH: I just like to say, excuse me those of you do not know his name, been that he is no longer going to be a Councilperson I respect that and called him Member Hall, but Crud. (*Laughter*) Crud I'd like to thank you for all that you've done for the City and it's been a pleasure working with you. I've been working with you all your life. It's not going to stop when you become Commissioner, it's just going to get better. So, just let me know when it's time to roll the sleeves up and get busy so we can get you in there. God bless you and your next endeavor.

MEMBER FISHER: Madam President.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Yes, Member Fisher.

MEMBER FISHER: Member Hall. Why they call you Crud? (Laughter)

MEMBER HALL: We don't divulge that. (Laughter)

MEMBER FISHER: Hey Kevin, it's...it's been great serving with you these last seven years. Uh...you're...you're good Councilman, you're good for your neighbors and uh...I think you're going to be good for the County. So good luck buddy.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. Is there anyone else. Yes.

MEMBER KIMBROUGH: Oh...Member Hall...

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Member Kimbrough...

MEMBER KIMBROUGH: It has been truly a joy to service to serve with you on Council. And looking forward to greater and better things you're going to do on the next level. Congratulations and I'm real excited for what the next thing's going to be.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. Anyone else?

MEMBER GIAVASIS: Member Hall...

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Mr...Member Giavasis.

MEMBER GIAVISIS: I've only had the pleasure of working with you for two years, but I've known you for a while. Uh...I don't know why they call you that either, but you'll have to tell me some day. Uh...I think...

MEMBER HALL: I was six months old is where it started.

MEMBER GIAVASIS: Ok...uh...I think you're going to make a great County Commissioner once you get there. I disagree with what Member Smith just said...you're going on to bigger and better things uh...cause I

served at a County level. Your problems are going to increase exponentially. (Laughter) And not only do you have to deal with...the three hundred thousand residents in Stark County, you have to deal with every office over the department over the County. So uh...I commend you for your service up to this point, and I commend you again for taking that next...great step. I think you're going to make a great Commissioner.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you, Member Giavasis...

MEMBER HAWK: Member Hall...

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Anyone else? Oh...Member Hawk.

MEMBER HAWK: Thank you. It's been a pleasure, thank you sir you've done a fine job. And uh... I wish you the best of luck in the future. If you do the same thing there that you've done here, we'll all be better off. Our County will be a better place to live. And thank you again sir.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you, Member Hawk. Yes, Member Scaglione.

MEMBER SCAGLIONE: Kevin, thank you for all you've done here and all that you will do at the County. Good luck to you and keep working hard (inaudible).

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Anyone else? Yes, Mayor.

MAYOR SHERER: Madam...Madam President, I know we talked about this last week Kev and I wish you the best. Really really do...uh...it's been an honor and pleasure working with you. And I actually look forward to working with you in your future capacity, because...uh... it's going to take all of us. When you talk about all of us working together to move this City forward, we can use some friend...some friends next door also. There's no doubt about that. So, but I'd also like to remind the Councilmembers about...uh...since we don't have a Council meeting next week, you got The Black and White Ball coming up...for the Stark County Urban League. Which that will be on Saturday, February 24th. And it'd be nice (*inaudible*) any of the Councilmembers are more than welcome to attend. I encourage you to. So, but Kev I just want to wish you the best. Call me for anything. Thank you.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you very much Mayor. Does anyone else have anything else to say in Miscellaneous Business, uh oh...Member Babcock.

MEMBER BABCOCK: I already told him last week. (Laughter) Good luck to you Kevin. I already told you last week, that ring on the finger does it all. (Laughter)

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Does anyone else have anything to say under Miscellaneous Business? Okay, thank you all. At this time, Leader Mariol.

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we adjourn.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's been moved and seconded, roll call vote please Madam Clerk.

NO REMARKS

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CLERK WOOD: Twelve yeas, Madam President.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you, Madam Clerk (*Gavel falls*). This meeting is adjourned. Thank you all for coming.

ADJOURNMENT TIME: 7:50 PM

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

JILL M. WOOD CLERK OF COUNCIL KRISTEN BATES AYLWARD PRESIDENT