

MINUTES OF THE MEETING JULY 15, 2024

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

ROLL CALL TAKEN BY CLERK WOOD:

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

TWELVE COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT

CLERK WOOD: Twelve present, Madam President.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. Tonight's invocation will be given by Ward 7 and our Majority Leader, Member Mariol. And if you would all please stand and remain standing for the Pledge of Allegiance.

The regular meeting of Canton City Council was held on July 15, 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 7, Council Member John Mariol. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by President Bates Aylward.

AGENDA CORRECTIONS AND CHANGES

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: And thank you Leader Mariol. I know we're all hoping and praying for some unity. We are now under Agenda Corrections and Changes. Leader Mariol.

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President I move we suspend Rule 22A to add second reading Ordinances #22 and 32 to this evening's agenda.

MEMBER GIAVASIS: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's been moved and seconded to suspend Rule 22A and add second readings Ordinances #22 thru 26 and 29 thru 32 to this evenings agenda. Ordinance #27 and #28 will be retained in Committee. Are 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: Motion carries and Ordinances #22 thru 26 and 29 thru 32 are a legal part of your agenda this evening.

PUBLIC HEARINGS

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

OLD BUSINESS

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

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PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: We are now under Public Speaks, and we have 4 speakers this evening. I will remind everybody, although I think all our speakers and familiar umm ... with this you have three minutes umm ... to speak. And please give your name a residential address when I call your name to approach the podium. Our first speaker is Kim Bell, Ms. Bell.

KIM BELL: Yes, Kimberly Bell, 1733 Morris Ave. I have some photos I would like to send, to send around for you guys to look at. You guys are all aware, of ... and then the photo I gave you is the umm .. give away that I've been working on and I spoke with Mr. Mariol, who donated to my giveaway ... and about some jobs for some people. And you'll see in the survey I created today umm.. that will determine how these people can get into this program or to a program. Also umm ... I'm not going to talk about umm ... that's for next time because I got so much on my plate right now, but the issues with the umm ... killing of Frank Tyson I would like to umm ... I already gave a copy to the reporter here last time about what I ... what I did I wrote a letter to the inductees and sent it out to their agents for them not to come to the Hall of Fame. I didn't say don't accept your Yellow Jacket, that would be wrong of me to ask you not to accept, but I ask you to decline to come here until the issues with the Canton Police Department is addressed. With these killings and sicking dogs on people so, I don't know how it's going to work, I don't know if it will work, if they will still continue to come, but I want you to know I'm trying to boycott that, for them not to come. Also, I can't stay long I got to go somewhere for my mom but I'll be back though but last week I stayed here to watch Chris' ... what Chris spoke about, about the Southeast getting ... or the neighborhoods getting the attention they need. Umm ... yes Chris's area needs attention but so does Nate Cooks' issue I ... I mean area and Mr. Morris, your area. They all need attention and to put all that money into the Palace Theater. The people that live in my area, we don't go to the Palace. So, you putting \$600,000 in that area but you won't put \$600,000 into Metropolitan. Mr. Mariol saw how the gutters were full of leaves and how the ... it ... all it takes is a good power wash to wash the ... its terrible over there. So come to the giveaway and ... on Mondays and Tuesdays and just do a walk around. Mr. Cooks, you bring a couple of your members here with you and just bring a notebook and just walk the property. SMHA is terrible. *(Applause)*

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you, your time is up. Thank you.

KIM BELL: I'll be back Mr. Fisher... *(inaudible)*

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Our next speaker is Mr. Ahmed Cheema, Mr. Cheema.

AHMED CHEEMA: Ahmed Cheema, 5155 Foxchase ave Northwest, Canton. Honorable Members of City Council and citizens of Canton I greet you with peace, Assalamu Alaikum. I'm here to address this Chamber regards the ongoing genocide in Gaza and to request for the propose a Ceasefire resolution to be brought up for a vote. The Gaza headquarters of the United Nations Palestinian Refugee Agency in Gaza City has been leveled to the ground with airstrikes. Just like the dozens of medical facilities and hospitals the Israeli Military as bombed and turned into mass graves and committed the most heinous war crimes in modern history. Even makeshift camp sites have been targeted where Palestinians have been seeking refuge, after being driven out by airstrikes in every single so called safe zone. Gaza is now a chard wasteland littered with burning cars, mangled bodies, displaced and petrified children. If anyone on this Council had any doubts if the barbaric Israeli regime had any limits to their savagery. I hope you have found your answers in the imagines of the scorched Earth. The bodies burnt beyond recognition, the dismembered bodies of infants, the mass graves of bound and tortured Palestinians in hospital compounds. The people of Gaza dying from thirst and hunger in the worlds largest open air prison. I do believe that this Council has a conscious and believes there are limits that must never be crossed even in a state of war or conflict. With that being said, I once more request this Council to acknowledge the

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resolution that has been proposed and bring that up for a vote. That is all we are asking or have been asking. Thank you. (*Applause*)

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you Mr. Cheema. (*Applause*) Our next speaker is Mr. Hasan Muheisen if you'll please approach and give us your name and residential address.

HASAN MUHEISEN: Assalamu Alaikum, my name is Hasan Muheisen, 615 Rodeo Street, Louisville, Ohio. We've been coming here for almost, maybe 4 months. Since then we don't see any move from the City Council. I want to see if you can shake your hand with each other to see if you are really listening and hearing us for the last four months or are we just talking for no response. For that reason I think three minutes is nothing for us to say what we want to say for Frank Tyson or for any issues that we are facing in the City of Canton. I've been in the City of Canton, as a business man and with Mr. West. I know him when he was a Councilman. With Mr. Bill Smuckler when he was the President of the Council. With all the Mayors, and I want to see this administration or this new administration something to create for the City of Canton. Community Relations Board. Where the community can come and talk to the Council people, to the Mayor and address what they want to say for ... and try to find a solution for these problems. That's what I'd like to see that happen, really to improve the surfaces of the City of Canton here. I'd like to also emphasize on why we are coming here for four months. We want to say that death is everywhere in Gaza, for almost ten months. Ten months of suffering for the children, and the children who lost their moms or dads and no one in the whole world right now, even tried to get the Palestinians in Gaza any food or a drop of water or even electricity or services. I want to say that lots of hospitals been destroyed, a lot of schools have been destroyed. Thirty-nine thousand, that's not enough for us to say "Yes we want to side by the peace and say, okay time is coming and it's time for us to stop that killing the killing of the children." Thank you.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you very much sir. (*Applause*) Our final speaker is Mr. David Kerestes. Mr. Kerestes if you would please approach and give us your name and residential address for the record.

DAVID KERESTES: David Kerestes, 626 Walnut Northeast, Canton, Ohio, 44702. I'm here tonight speaking about dereliction of duty. What I have here in my hand is a receipt for 1002 Cleveland Avenue, Antonio Davis. He doesn't own the home but he sales ice out of it and drugs. And the this will be the picture of the basement here where they're working, digging it out. Now they had no permit while this was going on but what they've done is they pulled a permit now and when I went over there to talk to them they told me it was for a block and I said "Well what about concrete, that's all jack hammered," and then they said "Oh, and concrete too." So, now I've gotten rhetoric from you Building Department, but then when I'm looking at these pictures where is was is that there's no footer under that block and the ramifications is you have to have a footer inspection and your no longer grandfathered in. Umm... this picture right here where I put a laser up, to show you that they're missing their footer, this house is being built on block. I don't know if they're robbing that guy or if he's robbing you with them umm... here's a picture of the roof from two weeks ago, got a brand new roof no permit for that, while your inspector there is missing all this and you do have a permit. New drywall, new insulation. I think someone is (*inaudible*). This guy set one up, I try to go to the cops and I try to tell people things and they don't want to listen. The other problem is, I see all this contraband stuff up the road, that hundred and first airborne Rodney Fairingers house. And this would the person bringing all that stuff; selling pictures, gold and diamonds stolen stuff that you don't want to hear about so I brought it to you tonight for (*inaudible*). And then there is your proud (*inaudible*) Airborne Ranger smoking meth, selling ice wreaking this place. What a veteran he is. This would be Joey place, 1988 open pit. Two fires, collecting \$94,000 in a week. Here where you see this mess is where he put the air conditioner with no permit place burnt to the ground. This is now a medical center for \$527,000. I see cocaine getting sold out at that place left and right. My question is, did they launder their drug

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money into it? Or did they rip of the insurance company or both? Umm ... so quite frankly I don't need to get into Lieutenant Jerry West son, Tom West selling cocaine over coppers before it burnt but I'll sure tell my lawyer and make a folder for him bigger than this one, but this ones for you. Thank you.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you Mr. Kerestes.

COMMUNICATIONS

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: 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 JULY 15, 2024.

1. REQ FOR ADDT'L AMENDED CERTIFICATION DATE 6/28/24. - AUDITOR MALLONN
2. REQ STATEMENT OF SERVICES FR THE CANTON SERVICE CENTER - 30TH ST NE - 2024 ANNEXATION. - AGENT FOR THE PETITIONER, MATTHEW BAILEY
3. REQ FOR APPROP TRFS IN RECOVERY COURT ATP FUND #2792-701001 (SUPP APPROP TRFS FR OTHER RECOVERY COURT ATP FUND TO VARIOUS PERSONNEL FUND). - COURT ADMINISTRATOR MICHAEL KOCHERA
4. REQ SUPP APPROP IN RECOVERY COURT ATP FUND #2792-701001 (SUPP UNAPPROP #2792-701001 RECOVERY COURT ATP FUND #2792 TO SUPP APPROP BALANCE - OTHER #2792-701001 RECOVERY COURT ATP FUND #2792). - COURT ADMINISTRATOR MICHAEL KOCHERA
5. REQ TO AMEND O#61/2024 TO PROVIDE A GRANT EXTENSION THROUGH THE MEDICAID ROUND 6 INITIATIVE (SUPP APPROP FR FUND 2314 INFANT MORALITY REDUCTION TO FUND 2314.301001 INFANT MORALITY REDUCTION: 700 - OTHER - DIRECT COSTS). - HEALTH COMMISSIONER ARCHER
6. REQ TO AMEND O#61/2004 FOR ADDITIONAL FUNDS TO PURCHASE VACCINE AND OTHER SUPPLIES FOR CLINIC OPERATIONS. - HEALTH COMMISSIONER ARCHER
7. REQ AUTH TO PETITION TO ANNEX SERVICE CENTER PROPERTY, EMERGENCY (2436 30TH ST NE, PARCEL #5200863). - SERVICE DIRECTOR HIGHMAN
8. REQ WATER RECLAMATION FACILITY ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT PROCUREMENT; EMERGENCY (SUPP APPROP 5413 SEWER REPLACEMENT FUND TO 5413 206053 WRF ELECTRICAL IMPROVEMENT PROJ - OTHER). - 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 #9.

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NOTE: PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD CALLED UPON CLERK WOOD TO READ ORDINANCES #9 THROUGH #21 FOR THEIR FIRST READING BY TITLE AS REQUIRED BY STATE LAW, AS FOLLOWS:

- O#9. (1ST RDG) AN ORDINANCE AMENDING APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 61/2024; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY.
Referred to Finance Committee
- O#10. (1ST RDG) AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 151, EMPLOYMENT PROVISIONS OF TITLE FIVE ADMINISTRATIVE CODE OF THE CANTON CODIFIED ORDINANCES.
Referred to Judiciary Committee
- O#11. (1ST RDG) AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE EDITING AND INCLUSION OF CERTAIN ORDINANCES AS PARTS OF THE VARIOUS COMPONENT CODES OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF CANTON, OHIO; AND DELCARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY.
Referred to Judiciary Committee
- O#12. (1ST RDG) A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE LAW DIRECTOR TO DISTRIBUTE FREE OF CHARGE TO PUBLIC OFFICALS AND PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS COPIES OF THE 2024 SUPPLEMENT TO THE CANTON CODIFIED ORDINANCES; TO AFFIX PRICE FOR THE SALE OF SAME; DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY.
Referred to Judiciary Committee
- O#13. (1ST RDG) AN ORDINANCE AMENDING PORTIONS OF CHAPTER 1501, GENERAL PROVISIONS, CHAPTER 1507, INSPECTION FEES, CHAPTER 1509, ABOVEGROUND AND UNDERGROUND TANK STORAGE, CHAPTER 1511, PERMIT FEES AND CHAPTER 1513, RECREATIONAL FIRES OF PART FIFTEEN, FIRE PREVENTION CODE OF THE CANTON CODIFIED ORDINANCES
Referred to Judiciary Committee
- O#14. (1ST 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/ DEMOLATION CHARGES; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY.
Referred to Public Safety & Thoroughfares Committee
- O#15. (1ST RDG) AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE AUDITOR TO RENAME AND ESTABLISH THE 4531 18TH STR SW STORM SEWER CIPP FUND;AMENDING APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 61/2024; AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR

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DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO ADVERTISE, RECEIVE BIDS, AWARD AND ENTER INTO CONTRACT FOR THE CONSTRUCTION PHASE OF THE CHERRY STREETScape TUSC TO 2ND NE, GP 1427 PROJECT; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY.

Referred to Public Property Capital Improvement Committee

- O#16. (1ST RDG) AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO HIRE AN ADDITIONAL CHIEF CHEMIST WITHIN THE WATER DEPARTMENT UNTIL THE RETIREMENT OF THE CURRENT CHIEF CHEMIST FOR TRAINING PURPOSES; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY.
Referred to Personnel Committee
- O#17. (1ST RDG) AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO: FILE ANY ACTION PLAN/ACTION PLAN AMENDMENTS WITH THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT IN ORDER TO IMPLEMENT THE HOME-ARP PROGRAM, ENTER INTO ALL CONTRACTS NECESSARY FOR THE TIMELY EXPENDITURE OF THE FUNDS AND TO ENTER INTO ALL CONTRACTS NECESSARY TO ALLOW FOR THE EFFECTIVE OPERATION OF THE PROGRAMS DURING THE GRANT PERIOD USING ALL PROCUREMENT PROCESSES AUTHORIZED IN THE CANTON CODIFIED ORDINANCES OR IN THE OHIO REVISED CODE; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY.
Referred to Finance Committee
- O#18. (1ST RDG) AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO: ENTER INTO CHANGE ORDER NO. 1 WITH THAYER POWER AND COMMUNICATION IN AN ESTIMATED AMOUNT OF \$740,000 FOR THE CITY/COUNTY FIBER NETWORK PROJECT; ENTER INTO CONTRACT AMENDMENT NO. 1 WITH THE BOARD OF STARK COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR ADDITIONS NEEDED FOR THEIR PORTION OF THE PROJECT AND TO MOVE THE CONSTRUCTION COSTS/OWNERSHIP OF THE FIBER LEADING TO THE STARK COUNTY JAIL FROM THE COUNTY TO THE CITY; ENTER INTO A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACT FOR FIBER RELATED GIS SERVICES; AND ENTER INTO ALL CONTRACTS NEEDED FOR RAILROAD LICENSE FEES, EASEMENTS, ETC. FOR THE PROJECT; AUTHORIZES THE AUDITOR TO PAY ALL MORAL OBLIGATIONS NEEDED FOR THIS PROJECT THAT WERE A RESULT OF THE ABOVE CHANGE ORDER, AMENDMENT, AND/OR RAILROAD AGREEMENTS; AMENDING APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 61/2024; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY.
Referred to Finance Committee
- O#19. (1ST RDG) **ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 128/2024** AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 1351.03, AMENDMENTS, DELETIONS AND SUPPLEMENTS TO THE INTERNATIONAL PROPERTY MAINTENANCE CODE, OF CHAPTER 1351,

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PROPERTY MAINTENANCE CODE, OF PART THIRTEEN BUILDING CODE OF THE CANTON CODIFIED ORDINANCES; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY.

Referred to Judiciary Committee

O#20. (1ST RDG) **ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 129/2024** AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE AUDITOR TO PAY A MORAL OBLIGATION IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1,530 TO BLACK, MCCUSKEY, SOUERS & ARBAUGH FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY.

Referred to Finance Committee

O#21. (1ST RDG) **ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 130/2024** AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 40/2000, AS AMENDED, TO ESTABLISH THE ATTACHED EXHIBIT AS THE CLASSIFICATION PLAN FOR THE SAFETY DIRECTOR'S COMMUNICATION CENTER BARGAINING UNIT PERSONNEL EMPLOYED BY THE CITY OF CANTON; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY.

Referred to Personnel Committee

CLERK WOODS: Madam President.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you, Madam Clerk. At this time the Chair would declare an in-house recess for the Judiciary, Finance, and Personnel Committees to meet in regard to OrdinanceS #19 thru 21 on your agenda this evening. You are now in recess.

(COUNCIL RECESSED AT 7:22 PM FOR THE JUDICIARY, FINANCE, AND PERSONNEL COMMITTEE TO MEET IN REGARDS TO O#19 THRU 21; RECONVENED AT 7:29 PM)

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you, Madam Clerk. Council is now reconvening after the recess, Leader.

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we suspend Rule 22A to place Ordinances #19 thru 21 back on this evening's agenda.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's been moved and seconded to suspend Rule 22A to place Ordinances #19 thru 21 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

CLERK WOOD: Twelve yeas, Madam President.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you, Madam Clerk. The motion carries and Ordinances #19 thru 21 are now a legal part of your agenda. Leader.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Madam President, I move we suspend Statutory Rules on Ordinances #19 thru 21.

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MEMBER GIAVASIS: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's moved and seconded to suspend the Statutory Rules on Ordinances #19 thru 21. Are there any remarks? ...Hearing none, roll call vote, please.

NO REMARKS

ROLL CALL 11 YEAS, 1 ABSTAIN
(MEMBER MARIOL ABSTAINED)

CLERK WOOD: Eleven yeas, one abstention, Madam President.

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

MEMBER BABCOCK: Madam President, I move we adopt Ordinance #19.

MEMBER GIAVASIS: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's been moved and seconded that you adopt Ordinance #19. Are there any remarks under this Ordinance? ...Hearing none, roll call vote, please.

NO REMARKS

ROLL CALL 11 YEAS, 1 ABSTAIN
(MEMBER MARIOL ABSTAINED)

CLERK WOOD: Eleven yeas, one abstention, Madam President.

#19 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 128/2024

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. The motion carries and Ordinance #19 has been adopted. Leader Babcock.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Are we back to Leader Mariol now?

MEMBER MARIOL: Back to me. *(Laughter)*

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: You guys are confusing me. *(Laughter)*

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we adopt Ordinance #20.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's been moved and seconded that you adopt Ordinance #20. Are there any remarks other under this Ordinance? ...Hearing none, roll call vote, please.

NO REMARKS

ROLL CALL 11 YEAS, 1 NAY
(MEMBER MORRIS VOTED NAY)

CLERK WOOD: Eleven yeas, one nay, Madam President.

#20 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 129/2024

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PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. The motion carries and Ordinance #20 has been adopted. Leader Mariol.

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we adopt Ordinance #21.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's been moved and seconded that you adopt Ordinance #21. Are there any remarks under this Ordinance? ...Hearing none, roll call vote, please.

NO REMARKS

ROLL CALL 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK WOOD: Eleven ... Twelve yeas, Madam President.

#21 ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 130/2024

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. The motion carries and Ordinance #21 has been adopted.

ORDINANCES & FORMAL RESOLUTIONS FOR SECOND READING

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Moving on, we are now under Ordinances and Formal Resolutions for their Second Reading. Madam Clerk would you please begin with Ordinance #22.

NOTE: PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD CALLED UPON CLERK WOOD TO READ ORDINANCES #22 AND #32 FOR THEIR SECOND READING BY TITLE AS REQUIRED BY STATE LAW, AS FOLLOWS (O#27 AND O#28 RET'D IN CMTE; O#32 ADOPTED):

O#22. (2ND RDG) AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCES NO. 282/2022 AND 283/2022; AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO AMEND THE EXISTING TIF COOPERATIVE DISBURSEMENT AGREEMENT WITH CANTON COMMERCE DEVELOPMENT, LLC; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY.

O#23. (2ND RDG) AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 1131, DEFINITIONS; CHAPTER 1198, CONDITIONAL USES OF PART ELEVEN PLANNING AND ZONING CODE
PUB HRG 7/29/24 @ 7:00 PM.

O#24. (2ND RDG) AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 55/77, AS AMENDED, KNOWN AS THE CITY OF CANTON ZONING ORDINANCE; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY. **PUB HRG 7/29/24 @ 7:01 PM.**

O#25. (2ND RDG) AN ORDINANCE APPROVING AND ACCEPTING THE REPLAT OF PART OF OUTLOT 701 AND PART OF OUTLOT 703; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY.

O#26. (2ND RDG) AN ORDINANCE APPROVING AND ACCEPTING THE REPLAT OF PART OF OUTLOT 510 AND PART OF OUTLOT 642; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY.

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- O#27. (2ND RDG) **RETAINED IN COMMITTEE** AN ORDINANCE APPROVING AND ACCEPTING THE REPLAT OF PART OF OUTLOT 374 AND PART OF OUTLOT 375; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY.
- O#28. (2ND RDG) **RETAINED IN COMMITTEE** AN ORDINANCE APPROVING AND ACCEPTING THE REPLAT OF LOTS 17536 THRU 17548, LOTS 18139 THRU 18146, PART OF LOT 18138 AND PART OF LOT 18147 AND LOTS 30065 THRU 30067; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY.
- O#29. (2ND RDG) AN ORDINANCE APPROVING AND ACCEPTING THE REPLAT OF LOTS 29494, 29495, AND 29496; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY.
- O#30. (2ND RDG) AN ORDINANCE APPROVING AND ACCEPTING THE REPLAT OF LOTS 22052 AND 22053; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY.
- O#31. (2ND RDG) AN ORDINANCE APPROVING AND ACCEPTING THE REPLAT OF LOT 3589 AND PART OF LOT 3590; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY.
- O#32. (2ND RDG) **ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 131/2024** AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO ACCEPT \$42,125 IN GRANT FUNDS FROM THE 2024 OFFICE OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE SERVICES, STATE OF OHIO VIOLENT CRIME REDUCTION GRANT AND TO ENTER INTO CONTRACT FOR EQUIPMENT PURCHASE; AMENDING APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 61/2024 AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY (\$42,125.00 SUPP APPROP FR UNAPPROP BAL OF 1001 GENERAL OPERATING FUND TO 1001 102006 OHIO VIOLENT CRIME REDUCTION GRANT - OTHER)

CLERK WOOD: Madam President.

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

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we suspend Rules for Ordinances #32.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's moved and seconded to suspend the Statutory Rules on Ordinances #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.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: The motion carries. You've heard the three readings, Leader.

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

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's been moved and seconded that you 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. 131/2024

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. The motion carries and Ordinance #32 has been adopted.

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 begin with Ordinance #33.

NOTE: PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD CALLED UPON CLERK WOOD TO READ THE FOLLOWING ORDINANCES #33 AND #34 FOR THEIR THIRD READING BY TITLE AS REQUIRED BY STATE LAW, AS FOLLOWS:

O#33. (3RD RDG) **ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 132/2024** AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE CITY OF CANTON'S ALTERNATIVE TAX BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2025; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. Leader... Are we back to? I'm sorry, Leader.

MEMBER BABCOCK: We're back to Mariol. *(Laughter)*

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: I was going to say, I just want to make sure I'm looking at you. Okay. *(Laughter)*

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

MEMBER GIAVASIS: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's been 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. 132/2024

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

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O#34. (3RD RDG) **ADOPTED AS ORDINANCE NO. 133/2022** AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND CONSENTING TO CRACK SEALING ON US-62 WITHIN THE CITY OF CANTON; AND DECLARING THE SAME TO BE AN EMERGENCY.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Leader.

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

MEMBER GIAVASIS: Second.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: It's been 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. 133/2024

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. The motion carries and Ordinance #34 has been adopted.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: We are under the Announcement of Committee Meetings. Our next meeting date is July 29th, 2024 and Committee Meetings will start at 6:15 PM. Finance Committee.

MEMBER GIAVASIS: Madam President, Finance Committee will meet at that time, here in Council Chambers.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. Judiciary Committee.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Madam President, Judiciary will meet at the same time, same place.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Public Safety & Thoroughfares Committee.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Madam President, Public Safety & Thoroughfares will meet same time, same place.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you. Public Property Capital Improvement Committee.

MEMBER SCAGLIONE: Madam President, Public Property Capital Improvement will meet here at same time, same place.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you, and finally Personnel Committee.

MEMBER KIMBROUGH: Madam President, Personnel will meet same time, same place.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you very much, Member Kimbrough.

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PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: We are now under Miscellaneous Business. And is there any Miscellaneous Business that any member would like to bring before the body?

MEMBER KIMBROUGH: Yes, Madam President.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Yes, Member Kimbrough.

MEMBER KIMBROUGH: Okay, there is a non-violent umm ... program that's going to be at Nimisilla Park this weekend and umm ... one of the things they will be doing is part of that is people will bring in umm ... guns and that and they're going to be melted and put into something more constructive. And I'm saying ... So I would hope everyone would be able to join them at umm ... Nimisilla Park. (*inaudible*) Not quite sure of the time. Now I have a question ...

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Well ... do you know ... well you don't know the time?

MEMBER KIMBROUGH: Yeah, our Communication Director is here I think she knows the time. Am I allowed to ask her?

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Sure.

MEMBER KIMBROUGH: Alright, could you please?

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Yeah, do you know the time?

MEMBER KIMBROUGH: She has more information

COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR TURNER: It's the ... it's the Festival of Non-violence that's happening at Nimisilla Park from 3 to 7. Umm ... there's a organization called Raw Tools who ... they melt down firearms and the turn them into garden tools. So they'll be on hand and I encourage everybody to attend.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: And which day was this, on the weekend?

COMMUNICATION DIRECTOR TURNER: This is Sunday, from 3 to 7.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Okay, thank you so very much. Alright, is there any other Miscellaneous Business that anyone would like the bring up?

MEMBER COOKS: Yes, Madam President.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Member Cooks.

MEMBER COOKS: First I would like to commend umm ... Ms. Bell, President of Ward 6, for what she's doing within the community umm ... trying to bring families together and make sure that the youth and some of the adults are clothed properly. And we talk in-between meetings and I'm going to go over to her giveaway tomorrow and bring some things and address some of the concerns that you have also with some of the properties there.

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PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you very much Member Cooks. (*Applause*) And she did pass around photographs showing some of the charitable work and the people going through the clothing. I think it was much appreciated. So, thank you very much Member Cooks. And Member Morris ...

MEMBER MORRIS: Madam President, just for some of our young not as in age but in experience on Council justification as to why I voted against Black, McCuskey, Souers and Arbaugh. Actually, due to political reasons, I choose to support Plakos and Mannos, who are in Downtown Canton, are very good contributors to the Democratic party and many of us up here. And McCuskey and his crew have moved to North Canton. Thank you.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Alright, thank you very much. Does anybody else have any Miscellaneous Business that ...

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President?

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Yes, Leader Mariol.

MEMBER MARIOL: I just wanted to take a moment to echo what Member Cooks said umm ... I took some clothes down to Kim Bell to donate and it is amazing what she is doing down there. It's those kind of things that make a real difference in the community and you're really doing a great job down there. So, really want to commend you and echo what Member Cooks said.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: And she did give you a shout out for bringing those baby clothes. Those are probably as much needed or more so than the adult clothes, you know the children's clothing, so bare that in mind. Uh ... anybody else have any Miscellaneous Business? Or monkey business ... okay never mind. (*laughter*) Okay, Leader Mariol.

MEMBER MARIOL: Madam President, I move we adjourn.

MEMBER BABCOCK: Second.

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

NO REMARKS

ROLL CALL 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS

CLERK WOOD: Twelve yeas, Madam President.

PRESIDENT BATES AYLWARD: Thank you, this meeting is adjourned. (*Gavel falls*)

ADJOURNMENT TIME: 7:42 PM

ATTEST: 7/18/2024
JILL M. WOOD
CLERK OF COUNCIL

APPROVED:
KRISTEN BATES AYLWARD
PRESIDENT