

## **City Council Meeting Minutes**

**August 1, 2022**

The meeting of the Frontenac City Council, August 1, 2022, was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by Mayor David Fornelli. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by all.

Roll call was answered by, LaDonna Pyle, Tom Sighel, Mike Snow, Marc McCully, Lynn Grant, Joe Martin, Pat Clinton, and Kyle Smalley.

Also present was the Police Chief, Fire Chief, Public Works Director, City Attorney, City Administrator, and City Clerk.

McCully made a motion, seconded by Grant to approve the agenda. The motion was voted upon and unanimously approved by the Council.

Minutes from the July 18, 2022, council meeting was opened for discussion. Grant made a motion, seconded by Clinton, to approve the minutes. The motion was voted upon and unanimously approved by the Council.

Appropriation Ordinance #1820 was opened for discussion. A motion to approve Appropriation Ordinance #1820 was made by Pyle, seconded by Sighel. The motion was voted upon and unanimously approved by the Council.

### **Citizen's Comments**

Paul Keys, with Guardians of the Children, informed the Council that he is planning a dice run and benefit concert on August 27<sup>th</sup>. The event is sponsored by Pickled Pete's and will include a blessing of the bikes. Mr. Keys asked for the Council's approval to close Crawford Street from McKay to the alley. He would like to place the stage on the street for the concert that evening. The event will begin at 9:30 a.m. and will conclude at 12:00 a.m. August 28<sup>th</sup>.

Ken Terlip, 502 S. Cayuga, addressed the Council with several concerns including, littering along Atkinson Street, the City's nuisance ordinance, the utility marking flags along Cayuga Street, and semi-trucks traveling up and down Cayuga Street.

### **2021 Audit**

Jerry Mitchell CPA was present via phone. Mr. Mitchell gave a high-level overview of the City's 2021 Audit.

### **Planning and Zoning**

Motion made by Clinton, seconded by Sighel to appoint Rob Little to the Planning and Zoning Board. The motion was voted upon and unanimously approved by the Council.

Motion made by Pyle, seconded by McCully to appoint Allison Garren to the Planning and Zoning Board. The motion was voted upon and unanimously approved by the Council.

### **Budget Work Session**

Motion made by McCully, seconded by Pyle to approve the 2023 budget for publication with a mil levy of 49.434. The motion was voted upon and approved by the Council with 7 yes votes, Sighel abstained from the vote.

### **Executive Session**

At 7:22 pm, Snow motioned, seconded by Clinton, to recess into executive session for 15 minutes for non-elected personnel regarding public safety. The session included the City Council, Mayor, City Administrator, City Clerk, Police Chief, and the City Attorney. The motion was voted upon and unanimously approved by the Council.

At 7:37 pm, the Council returned to regular session.

Pyle made a motion, seconded by Clinton to approve opening a full-time Police Dispatcher position. The motion was voted upon and unanimously approved by the Council.

Snow made a motion, seconded by Grant to approve opening a full-time School Resource Officer (SRO) position. The motion was voted upon and unanimously approved by the Council.

### **Old Business**

Pyle stated that she would like for the city to be more consistent with nuisance violations regarding abandoned vehicles, trash, tires, etc. in efforts to keep the city cleaned-up.

Martin asked if the property located at 103 W. North County Road has improved. Angermayer gave an update regarding the property in question. He also asked that city staff looks into the property located at 4089 Parkview Drive.

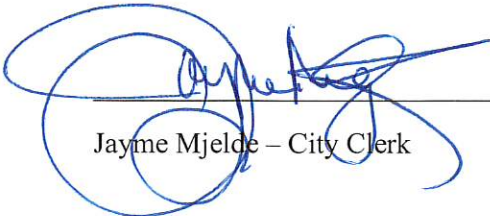
### **Council Members' Comments**

Grant stated that she had received a complaint of semi-trucks speeding down Sugarcreek Road and stated that trucks are not allowed on that road.

With no further business, a motion to adjourn was made by Sighel, seconded by Smalley. The motion was voted upon and unanimously approved by the Council.

Meeting adjourned at 7:46 p.m.

Attest:

  
Jayme Mjelde – City Clerk



  
David Fornelli - Mayor