



City of Ashtabula

Ashtabula City Council Regular Meeting
Tuesday, February 22, 2022 at 7:00 PM
Council Chambers
4717 Main Avenue

Agenda

1. Opening of Regular Meeting

- a.
 - Call to Order
 - Prayer
 - Pledge of Allegiance
 - Moment of Silence (if needed)

b. Roll Call

c. Sunshine Law Certification

2. Presentations/Announcements

- a. Special Guest Presentation - Kim Fedler, Community Cat Coalition of Ashtabula County (CCCAC)

3. Approval of Minutes

- a. February 7, 2022

4. Administrative Reports

- a. City Manager
 - 1. Formal Requests:

***An ordinance authorizing the City Manager to enter into a contract with Columbiana Chrysler Jeep Dodge for the acquisition of a Dodge Ram 3500 for Water Pollution Control

***An ordinance authorizing the City Manager to enter into Memoranda Of Understanding approving amendments to the Collective Bargaining Agreement between AFSCME Local 1197 and the City of Ashtabula related to Article 4 Union Security/Deduction Of Union Dues and Article 34 Temporary Employees

***An ordinance authorizing the City Manager to move certain employees up a pay

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step or grade for the purpose of ensuring their pay is not decreased as a result of recent Union negotiations

- b. City Solicitor
- c. Finance Director
- d. Clerk of Council
 - 1. ***Guest on DEDC - Why Mosquitoes Buzz In People's Ears: A West African Tale
 - ***Update on Public Records Act & Open Meetings Act
 - ***2022 Municipal Officials Seminar March 26
 - ***IIMC Conference Grant to attend the 2022 Annual Conference in Little Rock, Arkansas

5. City Council Committee Reports

- a. Community Development/Economic Development/Parks & Recreation
 - 1.
 - Report of February meeting
 - Next meeting: March 8, 2022, 4:00 p.m. featuring special guest, Brad Blair, Project Consultant – Ashtabula Capital Access Program (ACAP)
- b. Finance & Personnel
 - 1.
 - Report of February meeting
 - Next meeting: March 18, 2022, 8:30 a.m.
- c. Public Works
 - 1. Next meeting: February 28, 2022, 5:00 p.m.
- d. Safety Forces
 - 1. Next meeting: February 28, 2022, 8:45 a.m.

6. Presentation of Legislation

- a. Additional Formal Requests
- b. Public Communications on Legislation
- c. Overview / Discussion

7. Reading of Legislation

- a. Ordinance No. 2022-23 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AN ADDITIONAL EXPENDITURE FOR THE PURCHASE OF A 2022 FORD F550 TRUCK AND AERIAL TRUCK PACKAGE FROM UTILITY TRUCK EQUIPMENT, INC., IN AN ADDITIONAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$2,719.00 (City Manager, requested 2/7/2022)

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- b. Ordinance No. 2022-24 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER, TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH GPD GROUP OF YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING DESIGN ENGINEERING AND CONSTRUCTION ADMINISTRATION FOR THE 2022 PAVING PROGRAM IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$98,804.00 (City Manager, requested 2/7/2022)
- c. Ordinance No. 2022-25 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$20,000 WITH B.S.E. ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS, INC. FOR THE PURPOSE OF REPLACING STREETLIGHTS WITH LED FIXTURES AND REPAIRING DAMAGED UNDERGROUND WIRING ON AND AROUND PARK AVENUE (City Manager, requested 2/7/2022)
- d. Ordinance No. 2022-26 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A COMMUNITY REINVESTMENT AREA TAX INCENTIVE AGREEMENT WITH CORY NAGLE, FOR COMMERCIAL TAX ABATEMENT AT 50% FOR 10 YEARS FOR THE EXPANSION OF RETAIL SPACE WITHIN 1569 LAIRD DRIVE (City Manager, requested 2/7/2022)
- e. Ordinance No. 2022-27 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH COLUMBIANA CHRYSLER JEEP DODGE FOR THE ACQUISITION OF A DODGE RAM 3500 FOR WATER POLLUTION CONTROL (City Manager, requested 2/22/2022)
- f. Ordinance No. 2022-28 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO MEMORANDA OF UNDERSTANDING APPROVING AMENDMENTS TO THE COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT BETWEEN AFSCME LOCAL 1197 AND THE CITY OF ASHTABULA RELATED TO ARTICLE 4 UNION SECURITY/DEDUCTION OF UNION DUES AND ARTICLE 34 TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (City Manager, requested 2/22/2022)
- g. Ordinance No. 2022-29 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO MOVE CERTAIN EMPLOYEES UP A PAY STEP OR GRADE FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENSURING THEIR PAY IS NOT DECREASED AS A RESULT OF RECENT UNION NEGOTIATIONS (City Manager, requested 2/22/2022)

8. Legislation - Enactment, Passage or Adoption

9. Unfinished Business

10. New Business

11. Tell Us Something We Don't Know

12. Public Communications on General Matters

13. Executive Session (if needed)

14. Adjournment