

LEBANON COMMON COUNCIL – MINUTES
MONDAY, JUNE 8, 2020

Mayor Matt Gentry; Councilmembers: Keith Campbell, Dick Robertson, Brent Wheat, Mike Kincaid, John Copeland, Sierra Messenger, Morris Jones

Also present: Legal Counsel Rob Schein and Clerk-Treasurer Tonya Thayer

Mayor Matt Gentry calls the meeting to order at 7:15 p.m. Everyone is led in the Pledge of Allegiance by Mayor Gentry.

Roll Call: Brent Wheat and Morris Jones absent

APPROVAL OF MAY 26, 2020 MINUTES

Motion by Councilmember Robertson to approve said minutes with an update that Councilmember Copeland was left off the members list on the May 26 minutes, 2nd by Councilmember Messenger with update. Motion carries by a unanimous vote.

PRESENTATION: LEBANON COMMUNITY SCHOOL CORPORATION SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER – Presentation led by Superintendent Jon Milleman and Chief Steve Smith regarding the day to day operations of the School Resource Officers. They also thanked the City for helping to have an SRO in every school building.

OLD BUSINESS

RESOLUTION 2020-04 TRAFFIC IMPACT STUDY, ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION – Kevin Krulik, City Engineer explains that at the February 10, 2020 Council Meeting the entire project was going to cost \$294,500, authorizing \$104,000 to begin data collection and then return for an additional \$190,500 for analysis and preparation of the Ordinance to establish fees. Attorney Rob Schein reads the Resolution.

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Mayor Gentry opens a Public Hearing – no one comes forward – Public Hearing is closed.

Motion by Councilmember Robertson to approve Resolution 2020-04, 2nd by Councilmember Kincaid. Motion carries by a unanimous vote.

NEW BUSINESS

ORDINANCE 2020-05 AN ORDINANCE OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEBANON, BOONE COUNTY, INDIANA CONCERNING AMENDMENT TO CHAPTER 77 – PARKING SCHEDULES. Kevin Krulik, City Engineer explains the Ordinance stems from complaints by residents to Code Enforcement and City Police with drivers blocking sidewalks and parking on sidewalks. Currently there are no restrictions and City Police cannot write tickets due to not having an Ordinance. Attorney, Rob Schein reads Ordinance on first reading.

FOOD & BEVERAGE REQUEST: 4TH OF JULY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE - FIREWORKS – John Messenger representing the 4th of July Executive Committee comes to the Council requesting \$5,000 for fireworks. The carnival proceeds normally fund the fireworks and with the carnival being cancelled this year due to Covid-19 they do not have enough money to fund the Fireworks. Each year our local banks: North Salem, State Bank of Lizton, Home National and Farmer’s Bank also contribute to the 4th of July activities, but with the Parade being cancelled the banks will be giving less this year. John states the cost for 22 – 27 minutes of fireworks will cost approximately \$16,000 - \$18,000.

Motion by Councilmember Kincaid to grant \$20,000 to the 4th of July Executive Committee for fireworks, 2nd by S. Messenger. Motion carries by a unanimous vote.

CLAIMS

Motion by Councilmember Kincaid to approve claims, 2nd by Councilmember Messenger. Motion carries by a unanimous vote.

THANK YOU

COUNCILMEMBER COPELAND extends a thank you to the Street Department for their efforts with Spring Clean Up.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn made by Councilmember Copeland, 2nd by Councilmember S. Messenger. Motion carries by a unanimous vote.

The next regular City Council meeting is scheduled for June 22, 2020 at 7:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Tonya Thayer, Clerk – Treasurer