

**BELLEFONTAINE CITY COUNCIL
MINUTES FOR TUESDAY, APRIL 28, 2020
7:30 pm**

CALL TO ORDER: Zeb Wagner
PLEDGE & INVOCATION:
ROLL CALL: Baker *First Chair*
DeSomma
James
Kurtz
Lile
Reser
Springs *Minister* All Present

SUSPENSION READING OF MINUTES: Moved by Baker, seconded by Springs V All Ayes

CORRECTIONS/ADDITIONS: none

ADMINISTRATION REPORTS:

Mayor - Handed out the “Bellefontaine Peak-News” bulletin that will be sent out with the utility bills (copy att to Clerk’s official minutes) Also handed out an email report from Chief Standley
Many ZOOM meetings taking place including Ohio Mayor’s Association, Mid Ohio Economic Development, Downtown Business Partnership and a newly developed task force, that includes Dr. Hoddinott, Logan County Health District, Chamber President, Ben Vollrath and individuals from different business and organizations to plan the best strategies for reopening the local economy. Questions are answered and discussion of the new task force followed.
The two (2) youngest members of the police department, Blake Kenner II and Devin Fowler, have completed all of their required training and are now working and patrolling on their own.
An official complaint was filed by the Mayor in regards to higher gas prices in Bellefontaine than are seen in surrounding areas. A reply from the Attorney General office should be received within fifteen (15) business days.

S/SD - Council previously approved an ordinance to seek grant money to install a diesel fume exhaust system in Fire Department. The project was completed today at 4:00 pm at a cost of \$72,000.00 with the total of grant money at \$68,400.00, with a cost to the city of \$3600.00.
Census update shows Ohio at 57.9 and Bellefontaine on track at 57.8. Questions are answered.

President Wagner encourages everyone to use their social media platform to get the word out to let everyone know how important it is to our community to file the census.

Law - Absent
Auditor - Absent
Police Chief - Email report sent (copy att to clerk’s official minutes)
Fire Chief - Absent
Engineer- Absent
Code Enf- Absent
Parks & Rec- Absent
Economic Dev- Absent

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES:

Finance- Explained resolution/ordinances on the agenda
Rules- No report
Safety - No report
Utilities - Explained ordinances on the agenda
Streets - Explained ordinance/resolution on the agenda
Sidewalks, Curbs & Parks -No report
Audit – No report

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITIZENS:

INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCES:

1. ORDINANCES FOR 1ST READING

R20-31 A. A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE OHIO AIRPORT MATCHING GRANT CONTRACT FOR FUNDING THROUGH THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, OFFICE OF AVIATION, FOR PHASE II APRON RREHABILITATION AT BELLEFONTAINE REGIONAL AIRPORT AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND/OR SERVICE-SAFETY DIRECTOR TO EXECUTE ALL DOCUMENTS RELEVANT TO THIS PROJECT. **FINANCE**

Adoption- Moved by Baker, seconded by Springs V All Ayes

20-32 B. AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE EXTENSION OF WATER UTILITY SERVICE OUTSIDE THE CORPORATION LINE OF THE CITY OF BELLEFONTAINE TO THAT CERTAIN PROPERTY LOCATED AT 776 TWP RD 55, JEFFERSON TOWNSHIP, LOGAN COUNTY, OHIO AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY IN THE CITY OF BELLEFONTAINE, OHIO. **UTILITY**

3RR- Moved by Springs, seconded by Reser V All Ayes

Passage- Moved by Springs, seconded by Kurtz V All Ayes

Adoption- Moved by Springs, seconded by DeSomma V All Ayes

R20-33 C. A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BELLEFONTAINE TO PARTICIPATE IN AN OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION PROJECT AT STATE ROUTE 540 AND AUTHORIZING THE SERVICE-SAFETY DIRECTOR TO EXECUTE ALL DOCUMENTS RELEVANT TO THIS PROJECT. **STREET**

Adoption- Moved by DeSomma, seconded by James V All Ayes

20-34 D. AN ORDINANCE DEDICATING BELLEFONTAINE CITY LOT NO. 3016, LAKE TOWNSHIP, FOR PUBLIC STREET AND RIGHT-OF-WAY PURPOSES AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY IN THE CITY OF BELLEFONTAINE, OHIO. **STREET**

3RR- Moved by DeSomma, seconded by Reser V All Ayes

Passage-

Adoption-

2. ORDINANCES FOR 2ND READING

20-25 A. AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE SERVICE-SAFETY DIRECTOR TO SEEK PROPOSALS AND/OR ADVERTISE FOR BIDS AND ENTER INTO CONTRACT WITH THE SELECTED CONTRACTOR AND/OR BIDDERS FOR THE SHAWNEE TRACE UTILITY LINE EXTENSION PROJECT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY IN THE CITY OF BELLEFONTAINE, OHIO. **FINANCE**

3RR- Moved by Baker, seconded by Kurtz V All Ayes

Passage- Moved by Baker, seconded by Springs V All Ayes

Adoption- Moved by Baker, seconded by Springs V All Ayes

20-27 B. AN ORDINANCE MAKING SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS AND AMENDING THE PERMANENT APPROPRIATIONS ORDINANCE FOR PURPOSES OF STREET PAVING-STREET

DEPARTMENT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY IN THE CITY OF BELLEFONTAINE, OHIO.

FINANCE

3RR- Moved by Baker, seconded by Kurtz
Passage-
Adoption-

V All Ayes

3. ORDINANCES FOR 3RD READING

20-22 A. AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE EXTENSION OF WATER UTILITY SERVICE
OUTSIDE THE CORPORATION LINE OF THE CITY OF BELLEFONTAINE TO THAT CERTAIN
PROPERTY LOCATED AT 1312 TWP RD 185, LAKE TOWNSHIP, LOGAN COUNTY, OHIO AND
DECLARING AN EMERGENCY IN THE CITY OF BELLEFONTAINE, OHIO. **UTILITIES**

Adoption- Moved by Springs, seconded by DeSomma

V All Ayes

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CLERK: No report

COMMUNICATIONS FROM COUNCIL: President Wagner-If the city building is still closed for the next meeting, we will continue with video coverage.

ADJOURNMENT – 7:56 pm, moved by Lile

Bonnie Campbell, Clerk of Council

Zeb Wagner, President of Council