VILLAGE OF OBETZ RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS



REGULAR MEETING OF FEBRUARY 10, 2020

The Obetz Village Council met in regular session on February 10, 2020 at 6:00 PM at the Obetz Government Center located at 4175 Alum Creek Drive with Mayor Angela M. Kirk presiding.

SWEARING IN OF NEWLY APPOINTED COUNCIL MEMBER

Mayor Kirk swore in Mike Kimbler to her unexpired Council term.

ROLL CALL

Mayor Kirk called the roll with all six Council members present. Mr. Michael Flaherty – present; Mr. Robert Kramer – present; Mr. Guiles Richardson – present; Mrs. Bonnie Wiley – present; Mr. Derek Varney – present; Mr. Mike Kimbler – present. Also present were Mike Confer – Police Chief; Stacey Boumis – Community Services Director/Council Clerk; Jesse Shamp, Esq. (for Stephen J. Smith, Law Director), and, E. Rod Davisson – Village Administrator.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Mayor Kirk called for a motion to approve the minutes of the January 27, 2020 meeting. Motion made by Mr. Flaherty; seconded by Mr. Richardson. Voting as follows: Mr. Varney – yes; Mrs. Wiley – yes; Mr. Richardson – yes; Mr. Flaherty – yes; Mr. Kramer – yes; Mr. Kimbler – yes.

ORDINANCES

No ordinances.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Committees have not been assigned.

VILLAGE OFFICIALS' REPORTS

Mayor Angela M. Kirk – Mayor Kirk stated that the Daddy Daughter Dance is February 21st at the Community Center. Registration information is on-line.

Mike Confer, Police Chief – Chief Confer stated that a cruiser was purposefully rammed, and an officer injured. The police car is most likely totally. He further stated that since the last meeting there have been 544 runs for service.

Wade Edwards, Captain, Hamilton Township Fire Department – Captain Edwards distributed the Hamilton Township Fire Department's annual report. No questions for Captain Edwards.

Stacey Boumis, Community Services Director – Ms. Boumis stated that there is a special Council meeting tomorrow to consider Ordinance 51 - 19. She further stated that there is a Planning and Zoning Commission Wednesday.

Rod Davisson, Esq., Village Administrator – Mr. Davisson stated that the Village is rolling out several new software packages in 2020 including City Works, Site Zeus, Civic Rec, and Archive Social. Mr. Davisson announced the first meeting of the Charter Review Commission. The meeting has been scheduled for March 2nd at 6:00 PM at the Government Center. He also stated that he is speaking at the March 21st new Council training sponsored by the Ohio Municipal League.

OLD BUSINESS

No old business.

NEW BUSINESS

Presentation from the Mid-Ohio Regional Planning Commission

Maria Schaper with the Mid-Ohio Regional Planning Commission (MORPC) addressed Council. She discussed the 2020-2050 Regional Transportation Plan (the Plan) which is prepared by MORPC. She stated that the Plan identifies regional transportation strategies and projects for the next 20 years. The Plan is a formal document that gets submitted to the Ohio Department of Transportation and the US Department of Transportation every four years. Transportation projects must be in the Plan to be eligible for federal funding. The Plan is based on six regional goals. This is the public input phase of the project. Draft projects are viewable on an interactive web map — www.morpc.org/mtp2050.

Premier365 Baseball

Wesley Fortune addressed Council. He discussed the proposed baseball training facility that would be located next to the Obetz Athletic Club. He stated that the facility will have two full size indoor fields, cages, and a workout area. There will be a development agreement between Premier365 Baseball and the Village of Obetz. Ideally there will be a soft opening of the facility in September.

REMARKS FROM THE AUDIENCE

No remarks.

<u>ADJOURNMENT</u>

Mayor Kirk called for a motion to adjourn. Motion made by Mr. Flaherty; seconded by Mrs. Wiley. All ayes. Council adjourned at 6:40 PM.

Mayor Angela M. Kirk

Stacey Boumis, Clerk of Council