CITY OF OBETZ RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS



REGULAR MEETING OF JANUARY 8, 2024

The regular meeting was held in Council Chambers at the Government Center, 4175 Alum Creek Drive, on Monday, January 8, 2024 at 6:00 PM with Mayor Angela M. Kirk presiding.

SWEARING IN CEREMONY

U.S. Congressman Mike Carey provided opening comments. He stated he has represented Obetz for the last two years. He thanked Obetz for supporting him. He stated good things are happening in Obetz and work in Washington DC continues. He then administered oaths of office to Councilman Michael Robert Flaherty, Councilman James Derek Varney, and Mayor Angela May Kirk.

ROLL CALL

Ms. Boumis called the roll. Mr. Michael Flaherty – present; Mr. Robert Kramer – present; Mr. Guiles Richardson – present; Mr. Derek Varney – present; Mr. Mike Kimbler – present; Mr. Todd Gibbs – present. Also present were Mike Confer, Police Chief; Gene Hollins, Esq., Law Director; Stacey Boumis, Community Services Director, and Rod Davisson, Esq., City Administrator.

MINUTES

Mayor Kirk called for a motion to approve the minutes of the December 11th meeting. Motion made by Mr. Richardson; seconded by Mr. Kimbler. Voting as follows: Mr. Flaherty – yes; Mr. Richardson – yes; Mr. Kramer – yes; Mr. Kimbler – yes; Mr. Gibbs – yes; Mr. Varney – yes. Motion carried.

ORDINANCES

No pending legislation.

MAYOR'S REPORT

Mayor Kirk stated there will be a lot of stuff coming in the new year.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

No committee meetings were held. No reports.

Selection of Council President Pro-Tem

Mr. Davisson opened the floor for nominations. Mr. Flaherty nominated Mr. Gibbs; seconded by Mr. Richardson. No additional nominations. Mr. Davisson closed the nominations and called for the vote. All ayes. Mr. Gibbs was selected as Council President Pro-Tem.

Selection of Council Representative to the Planning and Zoning Commission

Mr. Davisson opened the floor for nominations. Mr. Gibbs nominated Mr. Flaherty; seconded by Mr. Varney. No additional nominations. Mr. Davisson closed the nominations and called for the vote. All ayes. Mr. Flaherty was selected to serve as the Council representative on the Planning and Zoning Commission.

ADMINISTRATION'S REPORT

Mike Confer, Police Chief – Chief Confer wished everyone a Happy New Year.

Eugene Hollins, Esq., Law Director – Mr. Hollins welcomed everyone and stated the elected officials have been doing a great job and he is looking forward to a great year.

Rod Davisson, Esq., City Administrator – Mr. Davisson stated this is going to be an exciting year.

NEW BUSINESS

Mayor Kirk stated she has reappointed Kay Peters and James Love to serve on the Planning and Zoning Commission. She needs Council to confirm them. Mr. Flaherty moved to confirm them; seconded by Mr. Gibbs. Voting as follows: Mr. Flaherty – yes; Mr. Richardson – yes; Mr. Kramer – yes; Mr. Kimbler – yes; Mr. Gibbs – yes; Mr. Varney – yes. Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Kirk called for a motion to adjourn. Motion made by Mr. Gibbs; seconded by Mr. Kramer. All ayes. Council adjourned at 6:20 PM.

Mayor Angela M. Kirk

Stacey Boumis Clerk of Council