

**JACKSON CITY COUNCIL**  
*Minutes From*  
**October 10, 2022**  
**7:00 P.M.**  
**REGULAR SESSION**

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Jackson City Council met in regular session on Monday, October 10, 2022. The pledge was led by Mrs. Colby, and the prayer was given by Mr. Ondera.

President Fulks called the meeting to order. Roll call was taken as follows:

- Mr. Foster –Present
- Mr. Ondera –Present
- Mrs. Colby – Present
- Mr. Peters – Present
- Mr. Newkirk - Present
- Mr. Crabtree - Present
- Mr. Bopp -- Present

**VISITORS/RECOGNITIONS~** None

**SIGNED IN VISITORS TO SPEAK~** None

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES~** Mr. Bopp made a motion to approve the regular meeting minutes from September 26, 2022 with a second from Mrs. Colby. In a voice vote, all members agreed.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**UTILITY ~** No Report

**BUDGET & FINANCE~** No Report

**SERVICE COMMITTEE ~**No Report

**CITY AUDITOR/ TREASURER~** No Report

**CITY ATTORNEY~** No Report

**FIRE CHIEF~** No Report

**POLICE CHIEF ~** No Report – Written Stat sheet for August in packets.

**MAYOR~**

- Most of Main St. paving is done and some striping is done. Have not started the repairs on E. Broadway St. yet.

**SERVICE DIRECTOR~**

- Codified Ordinance 305.06 states there must be a stop at Burlington and Huron St. but does not specify a stop light. Would like to proceed with removing the light and adding a 4-way stop there. Working with ODOT on the intersection of David and South St. because it is SR 776. Waiting to see if a study needs to be done in order to remove this light.

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**ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS:**

**ORDINANCE NO. 48-22**

**AN ORDINANCE APPROVING ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATIONS TO THE CEMETERY FUND – CONTRACTUAL SERVICES AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

**Third Reading**

Mayor Evans said this Ordinance was for a contract for the Sheriff Dept to do this cemetery work, and that didn't work out. Therefore, he requested that council table or vote down this Ordinance.

A roll call vote was taken to adopt the Ordinance, and the results are as follows:

Foster	No
Ondera	No
Colby	No
Peters	No
Newkirk	No
Crabtree	No
Bopp	No

**Ordinance 48-22 Duly Defeated**

**ORDINANCE NO. 49-22**

**AN ORDINANCE FOR TRANSFER OF FUNDS FROM THE GENERAL FUND: TRANSFER OUT TO THE CEMETERY FUND: TRANSFER IN AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

**Third Reading**

A roll call vote was taken to adopt the Ordinance, and the results are as follows:

Foster	No
Ondera	Yes
Colby	Yes
Peters	Yes
Newkirk	Yes
Crabtree	Yes
Bopp	Yes

**Ordinance 49-22 Duly Adopted**

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**ORDINANCE NO. 50-22**

**AN ORDINANCE APPROVING ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES, FUEL AND CHEMICAL EXPENSES AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

**First Reading**

Mrs. Colby made a motion to adopt the Ordinance, with a second from Mr. Ondera. In a voice vote, all members agreed.

This is for the sewer plant. All costs have gone up and there is not enough in the budget for the remainder of the year. Mr. Ondera asked about the cost of the professional services. Mr. Reed was not present at the meeting, and Mr. Swackhammer did not have the information with him. Will bring for the next meeting.

**ORDINANCE NO. 51-22**

**AN ORDINANCE TO REVISE THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES BY ADOPTING CURRENT REPLACEMENT PAGES THERETO AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

**First Reading**

Mr. Peters made a motion to adopt the Ordinance, with a second from Mrs. Colby. In a voice vote, all members agreed.

These are the changes needed to stay current with ORC.

Mr. Peters made a motion to suspend the rules, with a second from Mr. Newkirk. A roll call vote was taken and the results are as follows:

Foster	Yes
Ondera	Yes
Colby	Yes
Peters	Yes
Newkirk	Yes
Crabtree	Yes
Bopp	Yes

A roll call vote was taken to adopt the Ordinance, and the results are as follows:

Foster	Yes
Ondera	Yes
Colby	Yes
Peters	Yes
Newkirk	Yes
Crabtree	Yes
Bopp	Yes

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**Ordinance 51-22 Duly Adopted**

**RESOLUTION NO. 39-22**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE AND SAFETY OR THE CHIEF OF THE JACKSON POLICE DEPARTMENT TO FILE AN APPLICATION FOR THE OHIO LAW ENFORCEMENT BODY ARMOR GRANT PROGRAM OFFERED BY THE BUREAU OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION IN COOPERATION WITH THE OFFICE OF THE OHIO ATTORNEY GENERAL AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

**First Reading**

Mr. Peters made a motion to adopt the Resolution, with a second from Mr. Ondera. In a voice vote, all members agreed.

This grant opens annually. We have always applied in the past, but need to reapply each year.

Mr. Peters made a motion to suspend the rules, with a second from Mr. Ondera. A roll call vote was taken and the results are as follows:

Foster	Yes
Ondera	Yes
Colby	Yes
Peters	Yes
Newkirk	Yes
Crabtree	Yes
Bopp	Yes

A roll call vote was taken to adopt the Resolution, and the results are as follows:

Foster	Yes
Ondera	Yes
Colby	Yes
Peters	Yes
Newkirk	Yes
Crabtree	Yes
Bopp	Yes

**Resolution 39-22 Duly Adopted**

**RESOLUTION NO. 40-22**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE AND SAFETY OR THE DIRECTOR OF THE LILLIAN JONES MUSEUM TO FILE AN APPLICATION FOR THE JACKSON COUNTY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION FUND GRANT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

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Mr. Bopp made a motion to adopt the Resolution, with a second from Mr. Newkirk. In a voice vote, all members agreed.

This is a request from the Lillian Jones Museum Board. They want to apply for this grant. It is due later this month.

Mr. Ondera made a motion to suspend the rules, with a second from Mr. Crabtree. A roll call vote was taken and the results are as follows:

Foster	Yes
Ondera	Yes
Colby	Yes
Peters	Yes
Newkirk	Yes
Crabtree	Yes
Bopp	Yes

A roll call vote was taken to adopt the Resolution, and the results are as follows:

Foster	Yes
Ondera	Yes
Colby	Yes
Peters	Yes
Newkirk	Yes
Crabtree	Yes
Bopp	Yes

**Resolution 40-22 Duly Adopted**

**RESOLUTION NO. 41-22**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SERVICE-SAFETY DIRECTOR OR CHIEF OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF JACKSON TO FILE AN APPLICATION TO THE STATE FIRE MARSHAL'S OFFICE FOR THE MARCS GRANT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

**First Reading**

Mr. Newkirk made a motion to adopt the Resolution, with a second from Mrs. Colby. In a voice vote, all members agreed.

This is a grant for the FD to get radios and other equipment.

Mr. Peters made a motion to suspend the rules, with a second from Mr. Newkirk. A roll call vote was taken and the results are as follows:

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Colby	Yes
Peters	Yes
Newkirk	Yes
Crabtree	Yes
Bopp	Yes

A roll call vote was taken to adopt the Resolution, and the results are as follows:

Foster	Yes
Ondera	Yes
Colby	Yes
Peters	Yes
Newkirk	Yes
Crabtree	Yes
Bopp	Yes

**Resolution 41-22 Duly Adopted**

**RESOLUTION 42-22**

**A RESOLUTION RATIFYING THE MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING MODIFYING  
THE CURRENT MASTER CONTRACT BETWEEN THE CITY AND AFSCME LOCAL 3619  
AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

**First Reading**

Mr. Peters made a motion to adopt the Resolution, with a second from Mr. Ondera. In a voice vote, all members agreed.

We passed the AFSCME contract in August. There was an error that was supposed to have been resolved. To better utilize our resources the plant mechanic for the water and the sewer are working interchangeably at times to assist one another. Administration wanted to match their wages because of this. They both require a license and the difference in pay added up to approximately \$600 per year. This memorandum rectifies the situation. Council asked if this requires further approval from the union and what happens if we do not approve this. Mr. Swackhammer said the contract is already in effect; there would just be a difference in the pay.

Mr. Ondera made a motion to suspend the rules, with a second from Mr. Bopp. A roll call vote was taken and the results are as follows:

Foster	Yes
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Colby	Yes
Peters	Yes
Newkirk	Yes
Crabtree	Yes
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A roll call vote was taken to adopt the Resolution, and the results are as follows:

Foster	Yes
Ondera	Yes
Colby	Yes
Peters	Yes
Newkirk	Yes
Crabtree	Yes
Bopp	Yes

**Resolution 42-22 Duly Adopted**

**RESOLUTION NO. 43-22**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF JACKSON TO PARTICIPATE IN THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION MUNICIPAL BRIDGE INSPECTION PROGRAM SERVICES AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

**First Reading**

Mr. Peters made a motion to adopt the Resolution, with a second from Mr. Newkirk. In a voice vote, all members agreed.

This will allow ODOT to continue to inspect and make recommendations to bridges within the city.

Mr. Ondera made a motion to suspend the rules, with a second from Mr. Newkirk. A roll call vote was taken and the results are as follows:

Foster	Yes
Ondera	Yes
Colby	Yes
Peters	Yes
Newkirk	Yes
Crabtree	Yes
Bopp	Yes

A roll call vote was taken to adopt the Resolution, and the results are as follows:

Foster	Yes
Ondera	Yes
Colby	Yes
Peters	Yes
Newkirk	Yes
Crabtree	Yes
Bopp	Yes

**Resolution 43-22 Duly Adopted**

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**CORRESPONDENCE**~ Flier in packets for an Open House for new Integrated Services/OhioRise

**OLD BUSINESS**

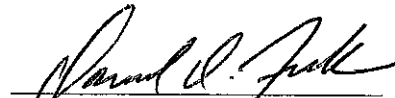
- Mr. Swackhammer asked for a motion to move forward with the 4-way stop at Burlington and Huron Streets.
  - Mr. Peters made a motion with a second from Mr. Ondera to proceed. In a voice vote, all members agreed. Motion Carried.

**NEW BUSINESS**~ None

Mr. Peters made a motion with a second from Mr. Crabtree to adjourn. In a voice vote, all members agreed. Motion Carried.

Meeting Adjourned 7:26 PM

  
Cindi Kuhn, Council Clerk

  
Dan Fulks, President

Date 10-24-22

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