BUREAU OF COUNCIL Molly Bundrant, President Carl Sizer, Vice President William James David Koerth Taylor Galaska



Robert Fiscus, City Manager William J. Madden, City Solicitor Daphne Parrish, City Clerk

## SHARON CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

Meeting Held in Council Chambers Wednesday, December 7, 2022, at 7:04 PM

CALL TO ORDER AT <u>7:04</u> PM PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE ROLL CALL <u>Council:</u> ✓ President Bundrant

✓ Mr. Sizer

<u>V</u> Mr. Sizer

🖌 Mr. James

✓ Mr. Koerth
✓ Mr. Galaska

**News Media:** 

✓ The Herald

✓ Robert Fiscus, City Manager
✓ Attorney Madden, City Solicitor

✓ Daphne Parrish, City Clerk

Department Heads: ✓ Jason Tomko, Finance Director

✓ Edward Stabile, Chief of Police

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✓ David Tomko, Director of Code Enforcement

\_\_\_\_ Mark Settle, Public Works Director - Excused

## **CITY MANAGER'S REPORT**

• Mr. Fiscus said Ordinance #21-22 which amends the Codified Ordinances to update to the most recent Fire Code contains a typographical error. It should read 2021 Edition, rather than 2022 Edition.

## **PUBLIC COMMENTS - AGENDA ITEMS**

No comments.

# ORDINANCES

**MOTION** that Ordinance #19-22 entitled "An ORDINANCE of the Council of the City of Sharon, County of Mercer, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, appropriating specific sums estimated to be \$10,442,028 required for the specific purposes of City Government, hereinafter set forth, during the fiscal year 2023." **Pass FIRST reading by title** 

Motion: <u>Mr. James</u> Vote: <u>YES</u> Mr. Koerth

YES Mr. Koerth YES Mr. Sizer YES Mr. Galaska Second: <u>Mr. Koerth</u> <u>YES</u> Mr. James <u>YES</u> Mrs. Bundrant

**MOTION** that Ordinance #20-22 entitled "An ORDINANCE of the Council of the City of Sharon, County of Mercer, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, fixing the tax rate for the Fiscal Year 2023 for general city purposes, the sum of 29.51 Mills on each dollar of assessed valuation." **Pass FIRST reading by title.** 

Motion: <u>Mr. Sizer</u> Vote: YES Mr. J

e: <u>YES</u> Mr. James <u>YES</u> Mr. Koerth <u>YES</u> Mr. Sizer Second: <u>Mr. Koerth</u> <u>YES</u> Mr. Galaska <u>YES</u> Mrs. Bundrant **MOTION** that Ordinance #21-22 entitled "An ORDINANCE of the Council of the City of Sharon, County of Mercer, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, amending the Codified Ordinances of the City of Sharon, Part Sixteen, "Fire Prevention Code", Chapter 1602, "International Fire Code", Section .01 – Section .11", to replace all prior editions and adopt the 2022 2021 Edition." Pass FIRST reading by title

Motion: <u>Mr. James</u> Vote: <u>YES</u> Mr. Galaska <u>YES</u> Mr. James <u>YES</u> Mr. Koerth Second: <u>Mr. Sizer</u> <u>YES</u> Mr. Sizer <u>YES</u> Mrs. Bundrant

#### **RESOLUTIONS**

**MOTION** that Resolution #104-22 entitled "A RESOLUTION of the Council of the City of Sharon, Mercer County, Pennsylvania, authorizing allocating \$150,000 of American Rescue Plan Act funds to the Sharon Police Recruitment Fund" **be adopted**.

Motion: Mr. Sizer

Vote: <u>YES</u> Mr. Sizer <u>YES</u> Mr. Galaska <u>YES</u> Mr. James Second: <u>Mr. Koerth</u> <u>YES</u> Mr. Koerth <u>YES</u> Mrs. Bundrant

**MOTION** that Resolution #105-22 entitled "A RESOLUTION of the Council of the City of Sharon, Mercer County, Pennsylvania, adopting the Memorandum of Understanding between the City of Sharon and the Rose of Sharon Lodge of the Fraternal Order of Police" **be adopted**.

Motion: Mr. Koerth

Vote: <u>YES</u> Mr. Koerth <u>YES</u> Mr. Sizer <u>YES</u> Mr. Galaska Second: <u>Mr. Sizer</u> <u>YES</u> Mr. James <u>YES</u> Mrs. Bundrant

**MOTION** that Resolution #106-22 entitled "A RESOLUTION of the Council of the City of Sharon, Mercer County, Pennsylvania, authorizing the proper city officials to approve a Subdivision request for property located on Stewart Avenue" **be adopted**.

Motion: <u>Mr. Sizer</u> Vote: <u>YES</u> Mr. James <u>YES</u> Mr. Koerth <u>YES</u> Mr. Sizer Second: <u>Mr. Koerth</u> <u>YES</u> Mr. Galaska <u>YES</u> Mrs. Bundrant

## COMMENTS

NEWS MEDIA: No comments.

CITIZENS: No comments.

**MR. FISCUS:** Mr. Fiscus requested a brief Executive Session following the meeting to discuss litigation and contract negotiations with the IAFF.

**MR. JAMES** Mr. James thanked Mr. Tomko and Mr. Fiscus for their work on the budget. He has been on Council for 11 years and attended Council meetings for 30 years, and this was the easiest budget he has seen.

MR. SIZER: No comments.

MR. KOERTH: No comments.

MR. GALASKA: No comments.

MRS. BUNDRANT: Mrs. Bundrant echoed Mr. James' comments regarding the budget.

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 7:10 PM.