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SHARON CITY COUNCIL
COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA

Council Chambers
Wednesday, November 15, 2023
Immediately Following First 2024 Budget Public Hearing

CALL TO ORDER AT ___ PM
PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
ROLL CALL

Council:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> President Bundrant | <input type="checkbox"/> Mr. Koerth |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mr. Sizer | <input type="checkbox"/> Mr. Galaska |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mr. James | |

CITY MANAGER’S REPORT

- Sharon Revitalization and Investment Grants
- Collective Bargaining Agreement – FOP
- Update – Comprehensive Plan
- Zoning Appeals Board Appointment

PUBLIC COMMENTS - AGENDA ITEMS

PUBLIC HEARING FOR ORDINANCES

Public Hearing for Ordinance #10-23, introduced October 18, 2023 – SECOND AND FINAL READING, amending the City of Sharon Police Pension Plan to clarify part-time, per diem and season police officers are not eligible to participate in the plan and remove the reduction in compensation for rehired retiree

ORDINANCES

MOTION that Ordinance #10-23 entitled “An ORDINANCE of the Council of the City of Sharon, County of Mercer, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, amending the City of Sharon Police Pension Plan to clarify the plan to make clear that part-time, per diem, and seasonal police officers are not eligible to participate in the plan and to remove the reduction in compensation for rehired retirees” **Pass FINAL reading by title.**

Motion: _____	Second: _____
Vote: <input type="checkbox"/> Mr. Galaska	<input type="checkbox"/> Mr. Sizer
<input type="checkbox"/> Mr. James	<input type="checkbox"/> Mrs. Bundrant
<input type="checkbox"/> Mr. Koerth	

MOTION that Ordinance #11-23 entitled “An ORDINANCE of the Council of the City of Sharon, County of Mercer, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, revising, amending, and restating Chapter 1020, “Excavations” of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Sharon” **Pass FIRST reading by title.**

Motion: _____	Second: _____
Vote: <input type="checkbox"/> Mr. Sizer	<input type="checkbox"/> Mr. Koerth
<input type="checkbox"/> Mr. Galaska	<input type="checkbox"/> Mrs. Bundrant
<input type="checkbox"/> Mr. James	

MOTION that Ordinance #12-23 entitled “An ORDINANCE of the Council of the City of Sharon, County of Mercer, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, revising, amending, and restating Chapter 464, “Commercial and Heavy Vehicles” of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Sharon” **Pass FIRST reading by title.**

Motion: _____ **Second:** _____
Vote: _____ **Mr. Koerth** _____ **Mr. James**
_____ **Mr. Sizer** _____ **Mrs. Bundrant**
_____ **Mr. Galaska**

MOTION that Ordinance #13-23 entitled “An ORDINANCE of the Council of the City of Sharon, County of Mercer, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, authorizing a Collective Bargaining Agreement between the City of Sharon and the Rose of Sharon Lodge #3 Fraternal Order of Police, setting forth wages, benefits and working conditions for the period beginning January 1, 2024, through December 31, 2028” **Pass FIRST reading by title.**

Motion: _____ **Second:** _____
Vote: _____ **Mr. James** _____ **Mr. Galaska**
_____ **Mr. Koerth** _____ **Mrs. Bundrant**
_____ **Mr. Sizer**

RESOLUTIONS

MOTION that Resolution #89-23 entitled “A RESOLUTION of the Council of the City of Sharon, Mercer County, Pennsylvania, approving the 2024 Council Meeting Schedule” **be adopted.**

Motion: _____ **Second:** _____
Vote: _____ **Mr. Galaska** _____ **Mr. Sizer**
_____ **Mr. James** _____ **Mrs. Bundrant**
_____ **Mr. Koerth**

MOTION that Resolution #90-23 entitled “A RESOLUTION of the Council of the City of Sharon, Mercer County, Pennsylvania, authorizing utilizing American Rescue Plan Act Funds to award a Sharon Revitalization and Investment Grant to one (1) applicant; total amount of award not to exceed \$50,000” **be adopted.**

Motion: _____ **Second:** _____
Vote: _____ **Mr. Sizer** _____ **Mr. Koerth**
_____ **Mr. Galaska** _____ **Mrs. Bundrant**
_____ **Mr. James**

MOTION that Resolution #91-23 entitled “A RESOLUTION of the Council of the City of Sharon, Mercer County, Pennsylvania, exonerating the Sharon Tax Collector from the collection of municipal real estate taxes for tax year 2023 on property located on Buhl Boulevard, Sharon, PA, Map Number 2 AU 15X; total amount not to exceed \$404.14” **be adopted.**

Motion: _____ **Second:** _____
Vote: _____ **Mr. Koerth** _____ **Mr. James**
_____ **Mr. Sizer** _____ **Mrs. Bundrant**
_____ **Mr. Galaska**

MOTION that Resolution #92-23 entitled “A RESOLUTION of the Council of the City of Sharon, Mercer County, Pennsylvania, adopting the 2022 Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Report (CAPER) for Community Development Block Grant Program, which captures accomplishments from October 1, 2022, to September 30, 2023” **be adopted.**

Motion: _____ **Second:** _____
Vote: _____ **Mr. James** _____ **Mr. Galaska**
_____ **Mr. Koerth** _____ **Mrs. Bundrant**
_____ **Mr. Sizer**

MOTION that Resolution #93-23 entitled “A RESOLUTION of the Council of the City of Sharon, Mercer County, Pennsylvania, appointing 2024 Tax Collection Committee Voting Delegates” **be adopted.**

Motion: _____ **Second:** _____
Vote: _____ **Mr. Galaska** _____ **Mr. Sizer**
_____ **Mr. James** _____ **Mrs. Bundrant**
_____ **Mr. Koerth**

MOTION that Resolution #94-23 entitled “A RESOLUTION of the Council of the City of Sharon, Mercer County, Pennsylvania, authorizing the proper city officials to apply for a Statewide Local Share Assessment Grant of \$930,000 from the Commonwealth Financing Authority to be used for renovations to the Police Department and renovations and an addition to the Fire Department” **be adopted.**

Motion: _____ **Second:** _____
Vote: _____ **Mr. Sizer** _____ **Mr. Koerth**
_____ **Mr. Galaska** _____ **Mrs. Bundrant**
_____ **Mr. James**

MOTION that Resolution #95-23 entitled “A RESOLUTION of the Council of the City of Sharon, Mercer County, Pennsylvania, authorizing the proper city officials to proceed to apply for a USDA Community Facilities Direct Loan/Grant to be used to purchase vehicles for the Public Works Department” **be adopted.**

Motion: _____ **Second:** _____
Vote: _____ **Mr. Koerth** _____ **Mr. James**
_____ **Mr. Sizer** _____ **Mrs. Bundrant**
_____ **Mr. Galaska**

CONSENT AGENDA

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE CONSIDERED BY CITY COUNCIL TO BE ROUTINE CITY BUSINESS AND WILL BE ENACTED BY ONE MOTION AND ONE ROLL CALL VOTE. ANY COUNCIL MEMBER, CITY OFFICIAL OR CITIZEN WISHING CLARIFICATION OF AN ITEM MAY ASK A QUESTION BY RAISING THEIR HAND AND IDENTIFYING THE ITEM BEFORE ADOPTION OF THE ITEM.

MOTION that Resolution #96-23 entitled “A RESOLUTION of the Council of the City of Sharon, County of Mercer, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, authorizing, in accordance with Section 915 of the Home Rule Charter, The City Manager and Financial Officer to pay bills on attached Schedule “A” **be adopted.**

MOTION that Resolution #97-23 entitled “A RESOLUTION of the Council of the City of Sharon, Mercer County, Pennsylvania, authorizing appointments for certain Committees, Boards and Commissions” **be adopted.**

- Zoning Appeals Board
 - Bob Mentrek – Appointment (3 Years)

MOTION approving minutes from the October 4, 2023, Special Council Meeting and the October 18, 2023, Council Meeting **be adopted.**

MOTION approving changing the December Council Meeting date from December 20, 2023, to December 6, 2023 **be adopted.**

Motion: _____ **Second:** _____
Vote: _____ **Mr. James** _____ **Mr. Galaska**
_____ **Mr. Koerth** _____ **Mrs. Bundrant**
_____ **Mr. Sizer**

COMMENTS:
CITY MANAGER:

NEWS MEDIA:

MR. JAMES:

MR. SIZER:

MR. KOERTH:

MR. GALASKA:

MRS. BUNDRANT:

CITIZENS:

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at ___PM