

MINUTES OF COUNCIL

A regular session of Troy City Council was held Monday, May 1, 2017, at 7:00 p.m. in Council Chambers.

Members Present: Heath, Kendall, Oda, Phillips, Schweser, Snee, Terwilliger, Tremblay and Twiss.

Presiding Officer: Martha A. Baker President of Council

Others Present: Michael L. Beamish, Mayor
Patrick E. J. Titterington, Director of Public Service and Safety
Grant D. Kerber, Director of Law
John E. Frigge, Auditor

INVOCATION: An invocation was given by Mr. Twiss, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

MINUTES: The Clerk gave a summary of the minutes of the April 17, 2017 meeting of Troy City Council. There were no corrections or additions to these minutes. A motion was made by Mr. Kendall, seconded by Mr. Schweser, to approve these minutes. Motion passed by unanimous roll call vote.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Law & Ordinance Committee: Mr. Schweser, Chairman, gave an oral report of notice of transfer of the existing D5 and D6 liquor permits from Mito, Inc. dba, Sakais Japanese Restaurant, 2303 W. Main Street to Chens Sushi LLC, with the same restaurant name and address.

CITIZEN COMMENTS: None

RESOLUTIONS: None

ORDINANCES: None

The 2017 Sculptures on the Square exhibit started April 26.

COMMENTS OF THE MAYOR: Mayor Beamish commented:

- There will be a public open house for the newly renovated Hobart Arena on May 22 from 6-8 p.m.

COMMENTS OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE AND SAFETY: Mr. Titterington noted that the new automated refuse collection system using 65-gallon carts started on May 1.

COMMENTS OF THE CITY AUDITOR: Mr. Frigge commended the Park Superintendent for quickly replacing a backstop at the Heywood Field, which had been damaged when being struck by a vehicle.

COMMENTS OF THE PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL: Mrs. Baker asked that a request be made to the agencies that receive City funding (Troy Main Street, Troy Development Council, Troy REC, and Lincoln Community Center) for monthly Board minutes and financial reports to be provided to Council.

COMMENTS OF MEMBERS OF COUNCIL:

- Mrs. Oda asked how the City will handle situations when residents may exceed the capacity of the refuse totes, such as when holding a party. Mr. Titterington commented that will be handled on a case by case basis.
- Mr. Terwilliger commented that the Mayors Cycling Advocacy Committee has a new program for businesses to sign up to be designated as bicycle friendly and to distribute information that may be helpful to cyclists. He also commented that seven volunteer groups are cleaning up areas along the bike paths.
- Mrs. Snee thanked City staff for a quick follow up when she called on behalf of a citizen who had the water shut off. She noted this was a situation of a shut off due to something that was causing excessive water usage and suggested citizens keep their information current so they can be contacted under such circumstances.

AUDIENCE COMMENTS:

- Members of the Leadership Troy class introduced themselves.
- Ralph Brown, Tipp City, Ohio, related his dissatisfaction with the way the police handled a February incident in which he was involved, and with not receiving return phone calls.

There being no further business, Council adjourned at 7:24 p.m.