

June 21, 2021

MINUTES OF COUNCIL

A regular session of Troy City Council was held on Monday, June 21, 2021, at 7:00 p.m. in Council Chambers, City Hall.

Members Attending: Phillips, Rozell, Schilling, Schweser, Severt, Snee, Terwilliger, Twiss and Whidden.

Presiding Officer: William Lutz President of Council

Also Attending: Robin I. Oda Mayor
Patrick E. J. Titterington Director of Public Service and Safety
Grant D. Kerber Director of Law

INVOCATION & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: An invocation was given by Council Member Whidden followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

MINUTES: The Clerk gave a summary of the minutes of the June 7, 2021 meeting of Troy City Council. There were no corrections or additions to these minutes. Upon motion of Mr. Rozell, seconded by Mr. Schilling, these minutes were approved by unanimous roll call vote.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Recreation & Parks Committee: Mr. Schilling, Chairman, reported that Committee recommends legislation be prepared naming a new prairie reserve on the north side of Duke Park the 'Robinson Reserve at Duke Park.' Report signed by Phillips, Terwilliger and Schilling.

COMMENTS ON AGENDA ITEMS: NONE

RESOLUTION NO. R-25-2021

RESOLUTION NAMING A PRAIRIE RESERVE AT THE PAUL G. DUKE PARK AS THE "ROBINSON RESERVE AT DUKE PARK"

This Resolution was given first title reading.

Mr. Phillips moved for suspension of three readings. Motion seconded by Mr. Severt.

Yes: Snee, Whidden, Twiss, Severt, Terwilliger, Schilling, Phillips, Schweser and Rozell.

No: None.

Mr. Phillips moved for adoption. Motion seconded by Mr. Schweser.

Yes: Whidden, Twiss, Severt, Terwilliger, Schilling, Phillips, Schweser, Rozell and Snee.

No: None.

RESOLUTION ADOPTED

ORDINANCE NO. O-42-2021

ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. O-56-2020 APPROPRIATING FUNDS NECESSARY FOR THE VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS AND OFFICES OF THE CITY OF TROY, OHIO, FOR THE YEAR 2021

This Ordinance was given first title reading.

Mr. Schweser moved for suspension of three readings. Motion seconded by Mr. Twiss.

Yes: Twiss, Severt, Terwilliger, Schilling, Phillips, Schweser, Rozell, Snee and Whidden.

No: None.

Mr. Schweser moved for adoption. Motion seconded by Mr. Twiss.

Yes: Schweser, Terwilliger, Schilling, Phillips, Schweser, Rozell, Snee, Whidden and Twiss.

No: None.

ORDINANCE ADOPTED

ORDINANCE NO. O-43-2021

ORDINANCE AMENDING THE AMENDED GENERAL PLAN OF THE TROY CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS EDUCATION AND PERFORMING ARTS FACILITY PLANNED DEVELOPMENT (PD-R) IN THE CITY OF TROY, OHIO AND REZONING A 0.764 ACRE AREA ADDED TO THIS PLANNED DEVELOPMENT AS A PART OF THE AMENDED GENERAL PLAN, FROM R-5, SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL ZONING DISTRICT, TO A RESIDENTIAL PLANNED DEVELOPMENT (PD-R)

This Ordinance was given first title reading.

COUNCIL MEMBER COMMENTS:

Mr. Severt commented that the first Juneteenth event was held in Troy on June 19, with the event coordinated by members of the Human Relations Commission with other organizations. He commented that the event was well received, and he appreciated the work of the Commission members and some members of City staff.

AUDIENCE COMMENTS:

-Brad Boehringer, 105 Crestwood Drive, commented that he thought the Juneteenth event was very good. He commented that he had no concerns with the naming of a portion of Duke Park as the Robinson Reserve at Duke Park, but suggested that Council include the Human Relations Commission in the future naming of public places.

-Christopher Harshbarger, 2717 Southside Drive, again asked that City Council enact legislation to name the City as a Sanctuary City for the unborn.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 7:20 p.m.

Clerk of Council

President of Council

. He commented that he has heard

Re the naming of part of Duke Park do not have a problem but going forward in naming public spaces, should have the HRC at the table when naming streets. There have been comments that a street should be named for Lucille Wheat, do not know her, but understand did good things.

similar to that approved in Lebanon, Ohio, to prohibit abortions from taking

277 Southside Drive, Christopher Harshbarger, appreciate speaking and sent emails with some responses. Continue asking that Troy become a sanctuary city for the unborn. If you won't stand for this how can we trust you to stand for the citizens in other situations. Plans to provide more information in the future. If called upon to protect the Jews in the Holocaust or protect slaves in the Civil War, this is your chance to find out what you would have done.