

COUNCIL CAUCUS MEETING MINUTES

CITY OF GARFIELD HEIGHTS, OHIO

Monday, January 11, 2021

(Note: This meeting was conducted via Zoom due to the current Covid-19 outbreak.)

Council President Matt Burke called the Caucus Meeting to order at 6:31 p.m.

Members Present: Jason Blake, Councilman Ward 5
Matt Burke, Councilman Ward 6
Shayla L. Davis, Councilwoman Ward 4
Charles Donahue, Councilman Ward 2
Michael Dudley, Sr., Councilman Ward 1
Michael Nenadovich, Councilman Ward 3
Tom Vaughn, Councilman Ward 7

President Burke said the record should reflect that all seven Council Members were present at the Caucus Meeting.

The Chair then moved to accept the Caucus Meeting Minutes for December 14, 2020 as submitted and asked the Clerk for a roll call vote. Clwn Davis and Clmn Dudley voted No because they had not received those Minutes. Clmn Nenadovich voted No because he had not read the Minutes. The Minutes stood approved by 4 Yeas (Burke, Vaughn, Donahue, Blake) and 3 Nays (Dudley, Nenadovich, Davis) votes.

Getting into the night's legislation, President Burke asked whether anybody had any queries and whether they preferred that he make all the motions. Clmn Nenadovich moved that he make all the motions for the legislation that night. Clwn Davis seconded it. The motion was approved unanimously.

ORDINANCE NO. 01-2021 President Burke advised that he would move to consider by title.

ORDINANCE NO. 02-2021 President Burke advised that he would move to consider by title.

ORDINANCE NO. 03-2021 President Burke advised that he would move to consider by title.

ORDINANCE NO. 04-2021 President Burke advised that he would move to consider by title.

RESOLUTION 01-2021 President Burke advised that he would move to consider by title.

RESOLUTION 02-2021 President Burke advised that he would move to consider by title.

Clmn Blake asked whether the application dates for the Community Relations Committee had been determined. President Burke replied that, after talking with the Mayor, he had announced in The Neighborhood News that February 28, 2021 was the deadline for applications. So far, he had three applicants and hoped for at least six, because the committee needs six. He would then submit the applications to Council and the Mayor for the interview process. Therefore, he was moving forward on that. Clwn Davis asked whether people were applying by just sending a statement by email or sending in a physical snail mail. The Chair had asked them to either email Jen Duber, the Mayor's secretary, or if they so chose, they could also physically snail mail their resume and letter of intent directly to the Mayor's office

at 5407 Turney Road, Garfield Heights, Ohio 44125. The announcement was scheduled to appear in The Neighborhood News on Wednesday. In addition, the Chair was trying to get Bruce and Justin to post it on the city Website.

Hearing no further questions, President Burke moved to adjourn the Council Caucus Meeting and Clmn Donahue seconded. The motion was approved unanimously.

Council President Burke adjourned the Caucus Meeting at 6:48 p.m. and stated that the Regular Council Meeting would begin as scheduled at 7 p.m.

Approved,

Respectfully Submitted,

Matt Burke
Council President

Barbara Molin
Clerk of Council

