

Council met in **REGULAR SESSION** on Monday, May 14, 2018, at 7:30 P.M. in the Council Chambers with President Megyes presiding. Members present: Angeloff, Coburn, Debevec, Frey, Griffin, Palmer, Conrad-Wokojance, and Zarle. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was recited and Mrs. Frey gave the Invocation.

It was moved by Mrs. Debevec, seconded by Mr. Griffin, to approve the Minutes of the Regular Legislative Session held on Monday, April 23, 2018, as presented. All Members voted “yea.” Motion carried.

It was moved by Mrs. Debevec, seconded by Mrs. Angeloff, to accept the Finance Department Report for the month of April 2018, as presented. All Members voted “yea.” Motion carried.

PETITIONS AND CLAIMS

None.

MATTERS REFERRED

Each Council Member, the Mayor and Service Director were given a report prepared by the Council Clerk listing all matters before all committees.

CITIZENS ADDRESSING COUNCIL

None.

President Megyes stated he will be going out of order tonight to give the following Resolution.

RESOLUTION NO. 48-2018

RESOLUTION NO. 48-2018. PRESENTED BY: ALL OF COUNCIL. SPONSORED BY: MRS. DEBEVEC. TITLE: COMMENDATION – CAPT. DONALD FOBEAN. A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BARBERTON TO HONOR AND GIVE PUBLIC RECOGNITION TO CAPT. DONALD FOBEAN FOR HIS 31 YEARS OF DEDICATED SERVICE TO THE BARBERTON FIRE DEPARTMENT AND TO THIS COMMUNITY. It was moved by Mr. Griffin, seconded by Mrs. Debevec, that the rule as required by Section 5.10 of the Barberton City Charter be suspended. All Members voted “yea.” Motion carried. It was moved by Mr. Griffin, seconded by Mrs. Debevec, that **RESOLUTION NO. 48-2018 BE ADOPTED.** All Members voted “yea.” Motion carried.

It was moved by Mrs. Debevec, seconded by Mr. Griffin, to enter into recess to order to give Capt. Fobean his resolution. All Members voted “yea.” Motion carried.

Adjourned into recess: 7:38

Various members of Council and City Administration spoke to Capt. Fobean on his accomplishments and wished him well in the future.

Returned to session: 7:45

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS

RESOLUTION NO. 50-2018

RESOLUTION NO. 50-2018. PRESENTED BY: MRS. ZARLE. TITLE: NATIONAL BIKE MONTH. A RESOLUTION BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BARBERTON RECOGNIZING MAY AS NATIONAL BIKE MONTH. It was moved by Mrs. Conrad-Wokojance, seconded by Mrs. Zarle, that the rule as required by Section 5.10 of the Barberton City Charter be suspended. All Members voted “yea.” Motion carried. It was moved by Mrs. Conrad-Wokojance, seconded by Mrs. Zarle, that **RESOLUTION NO. 50-2018 BE ADOPTED.** All Members voted “yea.” Motion carried.

ORDINANCE NO. 51-2018

ORDINANCE NO. 51-2018. PRESENTED BY: MR. PALMER. TITLE: ENTER INTO CONTRACT – CT CONSULTANTS - NORTON ACRES PACKAGE PLANT ELIMINATION. AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACT WITH CT CONSULTANTS IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$17,300 FOR THE DESIGN OF SANITARY SEWERS TO ELIMINATE THE NORTON ACRES PACKAGE PLANT – PHASE 2B, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. It was moved by Mr. Palmer, seconded by Mrs. Frey, that the rule as required by Section 5.10 of the Barberton City Charter be suspended. All Members voted “yea.” Motion carried. It was moved by Mr. Palmer, seconded by Mrs. Frey, that **ORDINANCE NO. 51-2018 BE ADOPTED.** All Members voted “yea.” Motion carried.

ORDINANCE NO. 52-2018

ORDINANCE NO. 52-2018. PRESENTED BY: MR. PALMER. TITLE: ENTER INTO CONTRACT – STANTEC - WATER TREATMENT PLANT. AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, OR HIS DESIGNEE, TO ENTER INTO A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACT WITH STANTEC IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$680,000 FOR THE WATER TREATMENT PLANT FILTERS REHABILITATION PROJECT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. It was moved by Mr. Palmer, seconded by Mrs. Frey, that the rule as required by Section 5.10 of the Barberton City Charter be suspended. All Members voted “yea.” Motion carried. It was moved by Mr. Palmer, seconded by Mrs. Frey, that **ORDINANCE NO. 52-2018 BE ADOPTED.** All Members voted “yea.” Motion carried.

ORDINANCE NO. 53-2018

ORDINANCE NO. 53-2018. PRESENTED BY: MR. GRIFFIN. TITLE: REPEAL SECTION 636.17 - SOLICITING ALMS. AN ORDINANCE REPEALING SECTION 636.17 ENTITLED “SOLICITING ALMS”, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. It was moved by Mr. Griffin, seconded by Mrs. Debevec, that the rule as required by Section 5.10 of the Barberton City Charter be suspended. All Members voted “yea.” Motion carried. It was moved by Mr. Griffin, seconded by Mrs. Debevec, that **ORDINANCE NO. 53-2018 BE ADOPTED.** All Members voted “yea.” Motion carried.

ORDINANCE NO. 54-2018

ORDINANCE NO. 54-2018. PRESENTED BY: MR. GRIFFIN. TITLE: AMENDING CHAPTER 355 OF THE BARBERTON - CODIFIED ORDINANCES. AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 355 OF THE BARBERTON CODIFIED ORDINANCES REGARDING PARKING IN RESERVED SPACES IN MUNICIPAL PARKING LOTS. It was moved by Mr. Griffin, seconded by Mrs. Debevec, that the rule as required by Section 5.10 of the Barberton City Charter be suspended. All Members voted “yea.” Motion carried. It was moved by Mr. Griffin, seconded by Mrs. Debevec, that **ORDINANCE NO. 54-2018 BE ADOPTED.** All Members voted “yea.” Motion carried.

ORDINANCE NO. 55-2018

ORDINANCE NO. 55-2018. PRESENTED BY: MRS. ANGELOFF. TITLE: AMEND CHAPTER 1068.05 - RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES. AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 1068.05, SECTION (D) “HUNTING AND FIREARMS”, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. Mrs. Angeloff stated that this ordinance needs to be amended. She said to remove the wording “any instrument that can be loaded with fire blank cartridges.” It was moved by Mrs. Angeloff, seconded by Mrs. Coburn, that the rule as required by Section 5.10 of the Barberton City Charter be suspended. All Members voted “yea.” Motion carried. It was moved by Mrs. Angeloff, seconded by Mrs. Coburn, that **ORDINANCE NO. 55-2018 BE ADOPTED, AS AMENDED.** All Members voted “yea.” Motion carried.

ORDINANCE NO. 56-2018

ORDINANCE NO. 56-2018. PRESENTED BY: MRS. DEBEVEC. TITLE: AUTHORIZE PAYMENT - ROETZEL & ANDRESS. AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF FINANCE TO PAY AN INVOICE TO ROETZEL & ANDRESS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$5,126, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. It was moved by Mrs. Debevec, seconded by Mrs. Angeloff, that the rule as required by Section 5.10 of the Barberton City Charter be suspended. All Members voted “yea.” Motion carried. It was moved by Mrs. Debevec, seconded by Mrs. Angeloff, that **ORDINANCE NO. 56-2018 BE ADOPTED.** All Members voted “yea.” Motion carried.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS

Resolution No. 48-2018. Passed before 1st Readings.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS

None.

APPOINTMENTS

The clerk stated the agenda had two appointments, but only one will be voted on tonight.

Board of Zoning Appeals

Antoinette James-Carter Immediately – December 31, 2023

It was moved by Mrs. Conrad-Wokojance, seconded by Mrs. Zarle to appoint Antoinette James-Carter to the Board of Zoning Appeals effective immediately through December 31, 2023. All Members voted “yea.” Motion carried.

MISCELLANEOUS AND UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Mrs. Conrad-Wokojance stated on Sunday at the Cherry Blossom. from 12:00 – 4:00 in the community tent they will be registering people to vote. She said if anyone is interested in helping out, it is a great way to volunteer.

President Megyes stated the 7th Annual Yard Sale will be on June 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE MAYOR

Mayor Judge stated they had a rich weekend helping the community between the Job Fair, the Community Health Fair teamed with the Salvation Army and the Teaming Up for Turf Auction. He said it was three community events which were very successful.

Mayor Judge said he was honored to be asked to be part of a panel discussion through Leadership Akron with Summit County Executive Ilene Shapiro, Cuyahoga Falls Mayor Don Walters, and James Hardy from the City of Akron. He said they talked to executives from Huntington Bank on Community Development, Community Budgets and Funding. He said it was a great way to put Barberton out front and how we are dealing with the changes at the federal and state level.

Mayor Judge stated last week he worked with Barberton City Schools/Elementary West Watchdog School for the “Bike to School Day.” He said you don’t realize how many kids are in the neighborhood until you have an event like this. He said this goes well with the Resolution that was passed tonight regarding May as National Bike Month.

Mayor Judge said he attended a conference last week on Economic Development in Columbus where they talked about incentives for business expansion and new businesses coming into a town and what the city can offer. He said it was very informative.

Mayor Judge said he met with Dr. Para Jones earlier in the day who is President of Stark State College regarding updates for the campus here in Barberton.

Mayor Judge stated Cherry Blossom will be this upcoming weekend. He said to knock on wood for no rain. He said they have met with the Jaycees and the organizers so they have a good plan going forward for the weekend. He said the City of Barberton will have a float so if any council members would like to walk they will right behind the band.

Mayor Judge said the next Change for Change will be Friday, May 25th at El Jalapeño benefiting the Krska Scholarship.

It was moved by Mrs. Debevec, seconded by Mr. Griffin, to adjourn. All Members voted “yea.” Motion carried.

Adjourned: 8:02 P.M.

Craig Megyes
President of Council

Renee Fox
Clerk of Council