

Willard, OH  
March 5, 2018

The Council of the City of Willard met in regular session on Monday, March 5, 2018 with the Council President calling the meeting to order. The meeting was opened with prayer by Pastor Luigi Perez, Grace UMC.

**ROLL CALL:** Danhoff, Daniel, Elmlinger, Gerber, Johnson and Sattig present. Olson was absent.

**MINUTES:** Minutes of the Regular Council meeting held on February 20, 2018 were presented for approval. In that copies of these minutes were furnished to each Council person prior to the meeting, there was no request they be read. Moved by Elmlinger seconded by Danhoff that minutes be approved as received. In a called vote, Danhoff, Daniel, Elmlinger, Gerber, Johnson and Sattig voted yea. Motion carried.

**CITIZENS DISCUSSION:** None

**BID PROPOSALS:** None

**SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS:**

1. **Zoning Board of Appeals**, appointment still needed for Ward II. Zoning Board of Appeals will be meeting Wednesday, March 21<sup>st</sup>.
2. **City Development Commission**, minutes of their February 27<sup>th</sup> meeting were before Council. Moved by Elmlinger seconded by Daniel that Council accept and place on file the minutes of the February 27, 2018 City Development Commission. In a called vote, Danhoff, Daniel, Elmlinger, Gerber, Johnson and Sattig voted yea. Motion carried.

CDC also presented to Council Bryson Hamon's Annual Report for 2017 and Summer Events and Project Schedule for 2018 for Council's approval. Moved by Elmlinger seconded by Danhoff that Council accept as presented. Both are on file with the Clerk.

**COMMUNICATIONS AND PETITIONS:** None

**TABLED ITEMS:** None

**REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES:**

1. **Charter/Legislative-Danhoff, Gerber**
2. **Finance-Gerber, Sattig**
3. **Public Works-Daniel, Elmlinger**
4. **Safety-Elmlinger**
5. **Utilities-Danhoff, Daniel**

**REPORTS FROM OFFICERS:** None

**REPORT FROM CITY MANAGER:** The City Manager reviewed his report as it was presented in Council packets.

Unofficially, we have been notified that Willard will receive \$150,000 from the state's grant for the reservoir improvement project. This is not as much as we applied for, but this amount will enable us to accomplish more of the rehabilitation plan for the recreational aspect of the reservoir in a shorter period of time.

Doster Plaza is essentially complete with the completion of the cover over the stage.

Crestwood and Wedgewood area had approximately \$1,000 damage to mailboxes one night. Was not able to get anything on anyone's surveillance cameras, no arrests have been made, case is still open.

In February we had 3 cases that needed revived with Narcan. Police are starting to see more Meth in town right now, which is of concern. Those coming out of a Meth overdose are more combative than with Heroin. A Police officer will be responding to all overdose calls incase the squad needs assistance.

City Manager has been involved with some meetings at the school addressing some of the security issues schools are dealing with right now. Willard City Schools have done the ALICE training with their staff, now they would like to do it with the students.

City Manager requested a Work Session. Work Session was set up for Monday, March 26<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m.

Several checks were received to benefit the Clock Tower project: Don & Shirley Leininger - \$100; Tom and Rhonda Grama - \$100; an anonymous donor - \$500; Golden Rule Masonic Lodge - \$150 and \$7,250 from WBA for the sale of books. A check for \$500 was donated by Joe Daniel Willard Parks & Recreation for one-hole sponsorship for the new Disc Golf Project. Request that Council accept these donations. Moved by Elmlinger seconded by Gerber that these donations be accepted by Council. In a called vote, Danhoff, Daniel, Elmlinger, Gerber, Johnson and Sattig voted yea. Motion carried.

Elmlinger asked if our School Resource Office was always at the school and if he carried a gun. Ludban said he does carry a gun and when school is in session, he is there. Also, our Chief and Assistant Chief are in and out of the school through out the day, as well as other officers. There is especially an increase in Police presence before and after school, as well as during lunch sessions.

#### **ORDINANCES & RESOLUTIONS:**

##### **ORDINANCE NO.**

AN ORDINANCE ENACTING SECTIONS 198.70 TO 298.85 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF WILLARD, OHIO, REGARDING MUNICIPAL INCOME TAX, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY, was presented by the Council President for its first reading by title only. Ordinance was read by the Clerk.

Moved by Elmlinger seconded by Gerber that this Ordinance be declared an emergency measure, and the rule requiring the Ordinance to lay over for at least 7 days or until the next regular meeting of Council be waived. In a called vote therein Danhoff, Daniel, Elmlinger, Gerber, Johnson and Sattig voted yea. Motion carried.

Moved by Elmlinger seconded by Danhoff that the Ordinance be adopted. In a called vote, Danhoff, Daniel, Elmlinger, Gerber, Johnson and Sattig voted yea. Motion carried.

#### **COUNCIL/MAYOR COMMENTS:**

Daniel – he went to the new Child Care Open House, very nice facility.

Gerber – “thanked City Manager for contacting constituent about lighting in alley”; still looking at some options, but constituent may have to address it themselves.

Moved by Elmlinger seconded by Gerber that Council adjourn. In a called vote Danhoff, Daniel, Elmlinger, Gerber, Olson and Sattig voted yea. Motion carried.

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President of Council

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Clerk of Council