

MINUTES OF COUNCIL

A regular session of Troy City Council was held on Monday, September 16, 2024, at 7:00 p.m. in Council Chambers, City Hall.

Members Attending: Marshall, Phillips, Pierce, Schilling, Severt, Snee, Twiss, Westfall and Whidden.

Presiding Officer: William G. Rozell President of Council

Others Present: 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 Westfall, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

MINUTES: The Clerk gave a summary of the minutes of the September 3, 2024, meeting of Troy City Council. There were no corrections or additions to these minutes. Upon motion of Mr. Twiss, seconded by Mr. Schilling, the minutes were approved by unanimous roll call vote.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Community & Economic Development Committee: Mr. Schilling, Chairman, reported that Committee recommends legislation be prepared accepting the final plat of Section 7 of the Halifax Estates Subdivision Section 7 and the dedication of right-of-way, as recommended by the Troy Planning Commission.
Report submitted by Pierce, Snee and Schilling.

Streets & Sidewalks Committee: Mr. Phillips, Chairman, reported that Committee recommends legislation be prepared authorizing the Director of Public Service and Safety to enter into a professional services agreement with American Structurepoint, Inc. of Columbus, Ohio to design the Adams Street/Riverside Drive/Staunton Road Roundabout Project at a total cost not to exceed \$175,000.

Report submitted by Schilling, Westfall and Phillips.

Discussion. In response to Mr. Twiss, it was stated that a different company designed the roundabout at Dorset and McKaig Roads.

CITIZEN COMMENTS ON AGENDA ITEMS: None.

RESOLUTION NO. R-48-2024

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE AND SAFETY OF THE CITY OF TROY, OHIO TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH AMERICAN STRUCTUREPOINT, INC. OF COLUMBUS, OHIO FOR THE DESIGN OF THE ADAMS STREET / RIVERSIDE DRIVE / STAUNTON ROAD ROUNDABOUT PROJECT

This Resolution was given first title reading.

Mr. Phillips moved for suspension of rules requiring three readings. Motion seconded by Mr. Twiss.

Yes: Phillips, Whidden, Marshall, Pierce, Snee, Twiss, Schilling, Severt and Westfall.

No: None.

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

Yes: Whidden, Marshall, Pierce, Snee, Twiss, Schilling, Severt, Westfall and Phillips.

No: None.

RESOLUTION ADOPTED

RESOLUTION NO. R-49-2024

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING TAX LEVIES FOR THE CITY OF TROY, OHIO FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2025 AS DETERMINED BY THE BUDGET COMMISSION AND CERTIFYING SUCH LEVIES TO THE COUNTY AUDITOR AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

This Resolution was given first title reading.

Mr. Severt moved for suspension of rules requiring three readings. Motion seconded by Mr. Twiss.

Yes: Marshall, Pierce, Snee, Twiss, Schilling, Severt, Westfall, Phillips and Whidden.

No: None.

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

Yes: Pierce, Snee, Twiss, Schilling, Severt, Westfall, Phillips, Whidden and Marshall.

No: None.

RESOLUTION ADOPTED

ORDINANCE NO. O-34-2024

ORDINANCE ACCEPTING THE FINAL PLAT OF HALIFAX ESTATES, SECTION 7 SUBDIVISION IN THE CITY OF TROY, OHIO AND DEDICATING RIGHT-OF-WAY

This Ordinance was given first title reading.

Mr. Whidden moved for suspension of rules requiring three readings. Motion seconded by Mr. Pierce.

Yes: Snee, Twiss, Schilling, Severt, Westfall, Phillips, Whidden, Marshall and Pierce.

No: None.

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

Yes: Twiss, Schilling, Severt, Westfall, Phillips, Whidden, Marshall, Pierce and Snee.

No: None.

ORDINANCE ADOPTED

COMMENTS OF THE MAYOR: Mayor Oda thanked the organizers, hosts and bands involved in the Porchfest event held September 14.

COMMENTS OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE AND SAFETY: Mr. Titterington, regarding R-49-2024, stated it is following a statutory process regarding certain revenues allocated to the City during 2025 based on townships and school districts within the City, and is not created any new taxes or levies. Mr. Titterington noted the following dates:

-October 14, scheduled date for first round of leaf pickup

-October 16, Planning Commission public hearing regarding the Comprehensive Plan update

-October 31, Trick or Treat.

COMMENTS OF MEMBERS OF COUNCIL:

-Mr. Severt thanked the staff who worked on the Streetscape Project, noting that recommendations from the public meetings were incorporated into the final design.

-Mrs. Snee thanked the Mayor and advisors Grant Kerber and Tim Davis for continuing to have the Youth Council program.

-Mrs. Westfall commented that the Troy Schools' twilight cross-country event, held September 14, was well organized and well attended.

-Mr. Pierce also complimented the twilight cross-country event, and thanked Mr. Titterington and staff for placing signage on Walnut Street to assist with persons going the wrong way.

COMMENTS OF THE PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL:

Mr. Rozell asked that drivers continue to be patient with the West Main Street construction and noted that the Troy Optimist Club maintained the American Flags along the levee to remain up for the twilight cross country event.

There being no further business, Council adjourned at 7:25 p.m.

Clerk of Council

President of Council

