

Minutes from the City Council Meeting on Tuesday June 2, 2020 at 7:15 pm in the City Council Chambers are as follows:

Brooks, Shane D.	Ward 2 Councilor	Present
Laflamme, Frank N.	At-Large Councilor	Present
Roy, Gerard (Jerry) A.	At-Large Councilor	Present
Tillotson, James K.	At-Large Councilor	Present
Zygarowski, Robert J.	At-Large Councilor	Present
McAuliffe, Joel D.	Ward 1 Councilor	Present
Galecki, Lucjan J.	Ward 3 Councilor	Present
Balakier, George A.	Ward 4 Councilor	Present
Krampits, Fred T.	Ward 5 Councilor	Present
Dobosz, Derek	Ward 6 Councilor	Present
Courchesne, William C.	Ward 7 Councilor	Present
Labrie, Gary R.	Ward 8 Councilor	Present
Walczak, Stan	Ward 9 Councilor	Present

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Public Input-None

--Motion made by Councilor Zygarowski to accept the minutes of May 18, 2020 & May 21, 2020. Motion passed.

MO-1 Mayors appropriation of Nineteen thousand six hundred forty three and 45/100 dollars (\$19,643.45) to the following named account Human Resources Special Account for Indemnification of Police & Fire from available funds in the Undesignated Fund Balance "Free Cash" Account.

--Motion made by Councilor McAuliffe to receive and pass. Councilor McAuliffe stated routine insurance, uninsured city, cover Police & Fire. Councilor Tillotson stated accidents on the job. Motion passed through all stages by a unanimous roll call vote.

MO-2 Ordered that the City Council accept the FY'20 Washer-Extractor Equipment Grant from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Fire Services in the amount of Five thousand and 00/100 dollars (\$5,000.00). Said grant will be used for the purchase of a gear washer/extractor for Station 7 in Aldenville and is accepted in accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 44 Section 53A.

--Motion made by Councilor Roy to receive and pass. Councilor Roy stated grant for a washer for Station 7, takes all carcinogens from the gear. Councilor Zygarowski stated valuable donation in light of the Covid-19, valuable to wash down equipment. Motion passed through all stages by a unanimous roll call vote.

MO-3 Ordered that the City Council accept the donation from Ralph Gunning to the Chicopee Fire Department in the amount of One hundred and 00/100 dollars (\$100.00). Said donation is accepted in accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 44 Section 53A.

--Motion made by Councilor Krampits to receive, pass and the donation accepted. Councilor Krampits stated donation is in appreciation of Fire Department, letter of thanks to be sent. Motion passed through all stages by a unanimous roll call vote.

MO-4 In accordance with the authority granted to the City Council by the City Charter and Chapters 40, 79, and 83 of the Massachusetts General Laws, the City hereby takes eminent domain over parcels of land located at Bluebird Acres Mobile Home Park, Old Fuller Road Extension, shown in more detail on a plan entitled "plan of land in Chicopee Massachusetts prepared for the City of Chicopee-Easement & Acquisition plan Old Fuller Rd. Ext. & Lombard Road."

See attached order of taking and plan to be recorded at the Registry of Deeds. A betterment shall not be assessed for this order of taking. A betterment shall be assessed as part of a separate betterment assessment contemplating the larger sewer project planned to serve BlueBird Acres Mobile Home Park.

--Motion made by Councilor Galecki to receive and pass. Councilor Galecki stated project with the septic system, wasn't enough for the park. Councilor Dobosz thanked the Mayor, part of the master plan to connect BlueBird Acres to the city system.

5 Be it ordered that the Ordinance Committee review Article V (Receptacles for Used Clothing or Furnishings) Chapter 169-40 (Maintenance; violations and penalties; enforcement) for possible changes.

--Motion made by Councilor Tillotson for a 1<sup>st</sup> reading and refer to the Ordinance Committee. Councilor Tillotson stated several individuals excessive materials on the sites. Clerk wants it reviewed. Some taken out of the city due to health reasons. Motion passed, referred.

6 A proposed ordinance adding to Chapter 260: East Main Street-South side-from Belcher Street to 5 feet past driveway at 254 East Main Street-Parking Prohibited.

--Motion made by Councilor Krampits for a 1<sup>st</sup> reading and refer to the Ordinance Committee. Councilor Krampits stated to continue no parking on East Main, lot of accidents, Police/Engineer want this to be done. Motion passed, referred.

7 A petition from Level 3 Communications: Level 3 (now CenturyLink) of 300 Bent Street, Cambridge, MA, hereby requests that it be granted a location and permission to install and maintain approximately 660' of (1) 4' Schedule 40 PVC conduit from an existing private property manhole at 591 Memorial Drive to existing Level 3 conduit on Sheridan Street with such laterals and service connections as it may now or subsequently find necessary.

Said installation will be installed in accordance with the plans enclosed.

--Motion made by Councilor Labrie to refer to the Utilities Committee. Councilor Tillotson stated if this is critical there are no public hearings. Deals with gas, serious issue. Motion passed, referred.

ATTEST:



Keith W. Rattell  
City Clerk