

**KETTERING CITY COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES
June 9, 2020**

The Council of the City of Kettering, Ohio, met in regular session on Tuesday, June 9, 2020, at 7:30 p.m. in Council Chambers at the Kettering Government Center South Building, 3600 Shroyer Road. Mayor Patterson presided and the Clerk of Council, LaShaunah D. Kaczynski, recorded. This meeting was telecast live on the cable access channel.

Council Members Present: Patterson, Klepacz, Lautar, Fisher, Duke and Wanamaker

Council Members Absent: Scott (Excused)

Total Members Present: Six (6)

Mayor Patterson led the audience in the Pledge of Allegiance and gave the invocation.

Mayor Patterson expressed that it is good to be back in Council Chambers. He thanked the residents for their patience in watching the city council meetings on cable TV during the COVID-19 pandemic, state of emergency. There is no substitute for being able to engage with residents face-to-face.

Mayor Patterson introduced the cable TV operator Mike Sopronyi. He thanked him for his assistance.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

May 26, 2020- Council Meeting & Workshop Minutes

Mr. Lautar reported that he reviewed the above minutes and moved the minutes be approved. Mr. Wanamaker seconded the motion of the above minutes and there being six (6) yea votes and no (0) nay votes for the May 26, 2020 Council Meeting & Workshop Minutes the motion was declared carried by roll call vote.

PROCLAMATIONS, SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS, AWARDS, SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS, APPOINTMENTS TO BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS

Appointment- Board of Community Relations- Jyl Hall Smith (Term ending 12/31/21)

Mr. Klepacz made a motion to appoint Jyl Hall Smith to the Board of Community Relations. Mrs. Fisher seconded the motion which was followed by a unanimous like sign vote.

PUBLIC HEARINGS

PUBLIC COMMENT ON LEGISLATION

Mayor Patterson mentioned Mr. Scott has an excused absence this evening.

ORDINANCES IN SECOND READING

RESOLUTIONS

A RESOLUTION
NO: 10454-20
BY: MR.KLEPACZ AND MRS.FISHER

AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A COST-SHARING AGREEMENT WITH THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE KETTERING CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR THE SAFETY SUPERVISORS SECTION PROGRAM FOR THE 2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR

Mr. Klepacz read the above resolution and moved for approval. Mrs. Fisher seconded the motion.

Mr. Bergstresser, Assistant City Manager gave a brief description of the resolution.

The following votes were recorded: Mr. Klepacz, Yea; Mr. Lautar, Yea; Mrs. Fisher, Yea; Mr. Duke, Yea; Mr. Wanamaker, Yea; Mayor Patterson, Yea. There being six (6) Yea votes and no (0) Nay votes, the motion was declared carried and the resolution duly adopted.

A RESOLUTION
NO: 10455-20
BY: MRS.FISHER AND MR.LAUTAR

TO AMEND RESOLUTION NO.10400-20

Mrs. Fisher read the above resolution and moved for approval. Mr. Lautar seconded the motion.

Mr. Bergstresser, Assistant City Manager gave a brief description of the resolution.

The following votes were recorded: Mr. Klepacz, Yea; Mr. Lautar, Yea; Mrs. Fisher, Yea; Mr. Duke, Yea; Mr. Wanamaker, Yea; Mayor Patterson, Yea. There being six (6) Yea votes and no (0) Nay votes, the motion was declared carried and the resolution duly adopted.

A RESOLUTION
NO: 10456-20
BY: MR.LAUTAR AND MR.WANAMAKER

AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO AGREEMENTS WITH THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ALLOW THE CITY OF KETTERING TO SERVE AS RESPONSIBLE LEAD AGENCY FOR ADMINISTRATION OF THE WEST STROOP ROAD SIDEWALK-STONEBRIDGE ROAD TO RIDGEWAY ROAD PROJECT (CITY PROJECT NO. 05-213F; ODOT PROJECT MOT-W STROOP WALK PH.2, PID 113340)

Mr. Lautar read the above resolution and moved for approval. Mr. Wanamaker seconded the motion.

Mr. Bergstresser, Assistant City Manager gave a brief description of the resolution.

The following votes were recorded: Mr. Klepacz, Yea; Mr. Lautar, Yea; Mrs. Fisher, Yea; Mr. Duke, Yea; Mr. Wanamaker, Yea; Mayor Patterson, Yea. There being six (6) Yea votes and no (0) Nay votes, the motion was declared carried and the resolution duly adopted.

ORDINANCES IN FIRST READING

CERTIFICATIONS AND PETITIONS

MANAGER'S REPORT/COMMUNITY UPDATE

Mr. Schwieterman, City Manager updated Council on upcoming and community events.

- A new flag pole has been installed at Lincoln Park Civic Commons.
- The deadline to file city income tax is July 15, 2020.
- The Kettering Rec Complex and the fitness center adjacent to the Trent Arena are opened.
- Tennis courts, pickle ball courts, and the skate park are opened.
- Playgrounds will be opening on Wednesday, June 10.
- The Kettering Rec Center track, fitness locker rooms (Kettering Rec Center and Kettering Fitness & Wellness Center) BMX track, and ballfields will open on June 22.
- Indoor pool will open on June 22.
- The Splash Pad and group exercises will open on June 29.
- Habitat programs, Rosewood programs, Kettering Rec Programs, and adult softball leagues will open on July 6.
- Thank you to all departments in assisting to help ensure the unity march was safe.

Mr. Klepacz asked Mr. Schwieterman to elaborate on how the city will ensure playground equipment is safe and sanitized.

Mr. Schwieterman informed city council that the city is adhering to the re-opening guidance that has been provided by the state. Playgrounds will be sanitized on a weekly basis with an organic substance that will help with COVID-19. There will be signs posted throughout the playgrounds that remind visitors to social distance while visiting the playground. Spacing requirements have been implemented at the Fitness Center. It is encouraged that once a patron has finished working out to leave the Fitness Center and not engage in social hour. This plan will help ensure social distancing is still a top priority.

OTHER BUSINESS NOT ON WRITTEN AGENDA Audience Participation (5 Minute Limit per Speaker)

COUNCIL COMMITTEE REPORTS

Mr. Lautar reported:

- Support local small Kettering businesses.

Mr. Duke reported:

- He offered his condolences to John Adam's family.
- Kettering Leadership Academy class for next year has been canceled.
- The March for Unity on June 3 was very peaceful.
- We have to talk to one another with tolerance and understanding.
- Shop Kettering.

Mr. Wanamaker reported:

- He offered his condolences to John Adam's family.

Mr. Scott reported:

- Absent.

Mr. Klepacz reported:

- The Kettering and United States of America flag are in the perfect location at Lincoln Park Civic Commons.
- Thank you Chief Protsman for speaking at the March for Unity on June 3.
- Support local small Kettering businesses.

Mrs. Fisher reported:

- It was a very difficult decision to close summer activities.
- She participated in the March for Unity on June 3.

Mayor Patterson reported:

- He offered his condolences to John Adam's family.
- Thank you to the Parks, Recreation and Cultural Arts Department for working diligently to open summer activities and facilities.
- The March for Unity on June 3 was a great event.
- Thank you to the surrounding jurisdictions for helping with the March for Unity.

They're being no further business to come before this meeting of the Kettering City Council; Mayor Patterson adjourned the City Council Meeting at 7:59 p.m.

ATTEST:

LaShaunah D. Kaczynski
Clerk of Council

DONALD E. PATTERSON, MAYOR