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2 City of Montgomery
3 City Council Business Session Minutes
4 February 7, 2024

5 Present

6 Brian Riblet, City Manager
7 Terry Donnellon, Law Director
8 John Crowell, Police Chief
9 Kevin Chesar, Community Dev. Director
10 Gary Heitkamp, Public Works Director
11 Maura Gray, Finance Director
12 Matthew Vanderhorst, Communications and Information Service Director
13 Paul Wright, Fire Chief
14 Amy Frederick, Communications and Engagement Coordinator
15 Connie Gaylor, Clerk of Council

City Council Members Present

Ron Messer, Mayor
Sasha Naiman, Vice Mayor
Lee Ann Bissmeyer
Chris Dobrozsi
Craig Margolis
Catherine Mills-Reynolds
Ken Suer

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17 City Council convened in Council Chambers at 5:57 p.m. with Mayor Messer presiding.

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19 **ROLL CALL**

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21 Mayor Messer asked for a roll call.

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23 All members were present except for Council Member Mills-Reynolds. Mrs. Bissmeyer made a motion to excuse
24 Mrs. Mills-Reynolds. Mr. Margolis seconded. City Council unanimously agreed.

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26 Council welcomed Boy Scout Troop 672 to the meeting. The Troop was there to observe in order to obtain a
27 badge.

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29 Mrs. Mills-Reynolds arrived at the meeting at 6:00 p.m.

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31 **PENDING LEGISLATION**

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33 There was no pending legislation

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35 **NEW LEGISLATION**

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37 There was no new legislation.

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39 **ADMINISTRATION REPORT**

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41 Mr. Riblet gave the following report:

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- 43 • City Council Work Session is scheduled for February 21, 2024 at 6:00 p.m.
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 - 45 • The Parks and Recreation, Government Affairs and Public Works Committees have cancelled their
46 meetings for February.
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 - 48 • A contract was signed in the amount of \$39,000 to Y2K Mowing to provide mowing services for
49 Hopewell Cemetery through the 2024 mowing season. Additional mowing contracts will be forthcoming.
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 - 51 • MCLA Session #5- Sycamore Schools and the 21st Century Learner will be held at Sycamore Junior High
52 School beginning at 5:45 p.m.
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54 Mr. Riblet requested an Executive Session to consider the purchase of property for public purposes.
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MINUTES

Mr. Margolis moved to approve the January 17, 2024 Public Hearing and Work Session minutes as written. Vice Mayor Naiman seconded. City Council unanimously agreed.

MAYOR'S COURT REPORT

Mayor Messer requested a motion to disburse the January Mayors Court collections in the amount of \$5,215.00

Mr. Margolis made the motion to disburse the January Mayors Court Collections in the amount of \$5,215. Vice Mayor Naiman seconded. City Council unanimously agreed.

OTHER BUSINESS

Liquor Permit- Chief Crowell explained that staff received notification from the Ohio Division of Liquor Control, for the transfer of stock of an existing liquor license to Taglio's Montgomery, LLC dba Taglio's Bar & Pizzeria located at 9321 Montgomery Road. He explained the notice does not change the permit classes that the license covers, and he was not aware of any information that would cause the City of Montgomery to object to the issuance of this permit or any need to request a hearing. He recommended that City Council make a motion not to request a hearing with the Liquor Control Board.

Mrs. Bissmeyer made a motion to not request a hearing on the change of the license. Vice Mayor Naiman seconded. City Council unanimously agreed.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Mayor Messer asked for an Executive Session to consider the purchase of property for public purposes Mr. Margolis made a motion to adjourn into Executive Session to consider the purchase of property for public purposes. Vice Mayor Naiman seconded.

The roll was called and showed the following vote:

AYE: Bissmeyer, Mills-Reynolds, Dobrozsi, Messer, Naiman, Suer, Margolis (7)
NAY: (0)

Council adjourned into Executive Session at 6:05 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

Council reconvened from Executive Session into Public Session at 6:25 p.m.

Mayor Messer asked if there was any further business to discuss in the Public Session. There being none he asked for a motion to adjourn.

Mr. Margolis moved to adjourn. Vice Mayor Naiman seconded. City Council unanimously agreed.

City Council adjourned at 6:25 p.m.



Connie Gaylor, Clerk of Council