

COUNCIL CAUCUS MINUTES
Monday, February 6, 2023 – 7:00 p.m.
Mayfield Village Civic Hall-Mayfield Village Civic Center
6622 Wilson Mills Road, Mayfield Village, Ohio

The Council of Mayfield Village met in Caucus Session on Monday, February 6, 2023. Council President Schutt called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL: Present: Mrs. Jurcisek, Mr. Marquardt, Mr. Meyers,
Mr. Murphy, Mr. Schutt and Mr. Williams

Also Present: Mayor Bodnar, Ms. Calta, Mr. Wynne,
Mr. Cappello, Chief Carcioppolo, Chief Matias,
Mr. Russell, Mr. Marquart, Mr. McAviney,
Ms. Wolgamuth and Mrs. Betsa

Absent: Mr. Arndt and Mr. Sipos

Council President Schutt stated, please let the record show that Councilman Arndt and Mr. Sipos are excused from this evening's meeting.

MAYOR

Thank you, Council President, I don't have a lot tonight. I want to wish everybody a Happy Valentine's Day next week and just let everyone know that tickets for the St. Jude Dream Home will be going on sale the morning of February 23rd at 6:00 a.m. Tickets are \$100. You can win a house, a hot tub, a car, a shopping spree and probably other things. More details can be found on the Fox 8 website. That's all I have today. Thank you.

Council President Schutt stated, thank you Mayor Bodnar.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT

I'd like to wish a Happy Belated Birthday to Chief Carcioppolo. It was on February 1st. Happy Early Birthday to Ms. Wolgamuth. Her birthday is February 21st. And although Mr. Sipos is not here, his birthday is on February 25th. So Happy Birthday.

I know I mentioned last month or the month before, I thanked everyone for their efforts through these challenging times. I just wanted to thank everyone again. We are going through some rough times with COVID. Whether people are couped up or just not out and about as much or just not seeing family and friends as often or whatnot, things have been crazy in our world lately. Thank

you everybody. A lot of times we thank the Police and Fire and Parks and Rec and Service Departments for all of the hard work they do. Sometimes we kind of lose sight of the rest of Council. Thank you for all of your hard work. Mayor Bodnar, thank you for your work as well. Thank you to our legal department. Thank you Ms. Calta, Mr. Marquart, Mr. Cappello, Mr. Russell, Ms. Wolgamuth.

A very special thanks to Mr. Wynne. What you have gone through in budgeting and transfers and finding different funds for Mayfield Village and you keep us in the financial situation that we are in with the situation with Progressive and the lack of income dollars. Thank you very much for all your hard work. You don't have an easy job as it is and when you throw all this into the work, it makes your job that much more challenging. Thank you very much. Thank you for the draft budgets we received and all the transfers that we went through as well at the last meeting. It's certainly making your job more difficult, so thank you.

The next Regular Meeting of Council is scheduled for Monday, February 20th at 7:00 p.m. in this room.

PENDING LEGISLATION

- **Ordinance No. 2023-01**, entitled, "An Ordinance appropriating funds for current expenses and expenditures of Mayfield Village, Ohio for the period from January 1, 2023 to December 31, 2023 and declaring an emergency." Introduced by Mayor Bodnar. (Read in title only – January 23, 2023) (Finance Department)

Council President Schutt asked, any discussion?

There was none.

Council President Schutt stated, Ordinance No. 2023-01 will be moved to Second Read at the February 20th Regular Meeting of Council.

- **Resolution No. 2023-02**, entitled, "A resolution requesting the Cuyahoga County Fiscal Officer to adjust the amended official certificate of estimated resources for 2023." Introduced by Mayor Bodnar. (Read in title only – January 23, 2023) (Finance Department).

Council President Schutt asked, any discussion?

There was none.

Council President Schutt stated, Resolution No. 2023-02 will be moved to Second Read at the February 20th Regular Meeting of Council.

**NEW BUSINESS FOR
DISCUSSION**

1) New Chapter 1157 - Fences and Screen Walls (Law/Building Department)

Council President Schutt asked, Ms. Calta or Mr. Russell, did you want to address this one?

Ms. Calta replied, I can jump in. I will call this a labor of love with the Administration, Building Department, Law Department, Planning and Zoning Commission. It started with Building looking at past variances and seeing where maybe we can look at some improvements. We are getting similar variances. A lot of board on board requests, things like that. It started with Building to identify that we needed to make some changes to the Fence Code. We worked diligently to come up with some revisions. Katie put a memo together to give you a high level view of all of the changes. As you look at the redline version, you can see a lot of time went into the definitions. I was just at a seminar the end of last week and one of the presenters was all about the definitions. He was a professor and he said he gave his students a project to review a Code and come back to him. He said it's all about the definitions. They came back and gave him 400 definitions in the revisions to the Code and he said, no, no, that's too many. You can see that we went through and made a lot of changes to those definitions to define what's permitted and what's not permitted. There's not so many changes when you go through it, like what's the front yard, side yard, rear yard, all those sort of things. A lot of it depends upon the definitions. It should be a clear read. We added in snow fences, one of those things we kind of all said, hey, do we regulate it, don't we regulate it and don't we expect that snow fences, if they are up, they should just be up because of the snow so they are not up all year round, things like that. Swimming pool fences are still handled in another section of the Village's Code so we identified that those are in another part of the Code to clarify that. You can see, I can go through these, but I will leave it to you guys to let me know if you have any questions. The idea is to simplify it, update it, make it more straightforward and to eliminate some of the requests we are seeing that are repetitive from property owners. It didn't change the 4 foot chain link fence height though. We kept that.

Council President Schutt asked, any discussion?

There was none.

Council President Schutt stated, thank you Ms. Calta.

2) Skoda Construction – Community Room Repairs (Finance Department)

Mr. Wynne stated, I just wanted to mention that the repairs are moving along nicely. Chris Skoda and I are working through the logistics with the insurance company to get it resolved and keep it moving. The way the insurance company is handling it though, it's with the company who sustained the loss. Based upon the estimates that they are agreeing to with Skoda for the cost of the repairs, they are sending us the money. We will have legislation at the Council meeting for Council to approve paying Skoda for his services. This will basically be a pass-through. All we

have is \$1,000 deductible on the policy. We will need to pass legislation so we can start paying him for the services he has been providing us.

Council President Schutt asked, any questions for Mr. Wynne?

Mr. Meyers asked, what's the amount at this point?

Mr. Wynne replied, it's pushing about \$150,000. That includes the cleanup, the initial mitigation process and all of the repairs, the cabinets and flooring.

Council President Schutt asked, any other questions?

There were none.

Council President Schutt stated, thank you, Mr. Wynne.

**3) NOPEC 2023 Energized Community Grant Agreement (Resolution 2023-15)
(Finance Department)**

Mr. Wynne reported, this is an annual thing. Did we get the letter from NOPEC yet?

Ms. Wolgamuth replied, yes.

Mr. Wynne stated, we get a letter from them every year saying what our award is that we will be able to use for energy-efficient projects through the Village. Once we get that letter, we have to pass legislation accepting the award and participating in the program. This is just a formality with them so we can accept the funds.

Ms. Wolgamuth added, we received the letter. Our amount this year is \$10,706.00.

Council President Schutt asked, discussion?

There was none.

Council President Schutt stated, thank you Mr. Wynne.

4) Resolution re: Life Force Billing (Resolution 2023-16) (Law/Fire Department)

Council President Schutt stated, Ms. Calta or Chief Carcioppolo?

Chief Carcioppolo stated, Life Force sent us a notification last year that we should look at raising our rates due to the increase in the going rate for the services provided. That's why we decided we should do this.

Ms. Calta added, we are billing \$650 and will be billing \$850 for the basic life support, advanced life support is going to be \$750 to \$1,000. These have not been updated since 2020. Advanced Life Support 1 will be \$850 to \$1,200. The mileage will go from \$14 a mile to \$16. We will be adding on a non-transport fee because now there is insurance available that you can find for the non-transport. I don't know how often it is, but there are occasions when you respond but you don't transport. In those instances, the way we have it now, you could not charge for them, but now if we have someone where you respond, treat, but they say they don't need transport or they refuse transport, that can be charged to the non-transport rate.

Mr. Meyers asked, is this paid by the insurance company?

Ms. Calta replied, yes.

Chief Carcioppolo stated, so the method in which the billing has been done isn't changing, it's just the rates are being brought up to what the billing company said is more appropriate for right now.

Mr. Meyers asked, if they don't have insurance, do they get billed? How does that work?

Ms. Calta replied, I don't think so. It's insurance only.

Mr. Wynne replied, we just take what the insurance carriers pay and that's it.

Mr. Meyers stated, gotcha.

Council President Schutt asked, any other questions?

There were none.

Council President Schutt stated, thank you.

5) Sprinkler Systems - 5-year testing (S.A. Communale - \$26,690.00) (Fire Department)

Chief Carcioppolo stated, I sent a letter to go along with this explaining it. We are up on 5-year testing for all of the buildings in Mayfield Village. That's the total for all 7 buildings. I do have two other companies, Protegis and Koorsen that I requested quotes from. I met with Protegis and am waiting for them to give me something but I haven't gotten anything. Koorsen, I have not heard anything from since the first couple times I talked to them. This rate was given to us last year. We have until the end of the first quarter to have the work completed to realize this price. If it goes past that point, it will go up but I am waiting to see if I get those other quotes and if not, then I'd say we just need to go ahead and do it because it's sometimes hard to get people to come and do the work. It's also a big change midstream when you have a company that does that stuff all the time to switch a company and bring them in. It's not something that I would recommend or say it is easy to keep switching out all of the time because they maintain their records and then you get a new company that hasn't seen anything and they have to come and learn everything all

over again. But just to keep things up to snuff I have those two other companies coming to give us quotes.

Mr. Murphy asked, Chief, maybe it makes sense to reach out to them if you haven't heard from them in a while?

Chief Carcioppolo stated, like I said, I met with Protegis last week. They are sending someone back out again on Wednesday. Koorsen, I have already called back once. I can call them back again, but then I get to a point where I am not going to chase them around.

Mr. Murphy replied, I wouldn't spend your whole day trying to chase them down. I thought you said that you had only talked to them in the very beginning and you haven't talked to them since.

Chief Carcioppolo replied, no worries. I called them twice. You get busy with other things. At least the other company wanted to come and see everything before they quoted us. That's where we are at with that.

Council President Schutt stated, S.A. Communale is a very reputable company but it does make sense to make sure the pricing is in line. Any other questions or discussion?

There was none.

Council President Schutt stated, thank you everyone for the discussion.

6) Purchase of 7 new Motorola mobile radios and 7 new portable radios (B&C Communications - \$60,082.54 – State Purchasing Price) (Police Department)

Chief Matias stated, like I said in my letter, I included 7 of our portables and 7 of our mobile radios which are the radios in the cars. Because of the age of the radios, they have all reached the end of life meaning they can't be serviced anymore, they can't be updated, and in July of 2025, they will completely stop working because of a software update all the newer radios are getting. These can't be updated. We are looking to replace the old radios and it might take some time with parts and everything as they come in. We figured instead of waiting we might as well start buying them now.

Council President Schutt asked, any discussion?

Mr. Meyers asked, they will work until July of 2025? Is that like their end date? Or there's no set time?

Chief Matias replied, of the 14, yes they should work, but again, they can't be updated.

Mr. Meyers asked, basically they could quit tomorrow?

Chief Matias replied, right. And then we can't get them fixed. If we have problems with them, they are done.

Council President Schutt asked, any other discussion?

There was none.

Council President Schutt stated, thank you Chief.

7) Suburban Police Anti-Crime Network (SPAN) Dues - \$44,040 (Police Department)

Chief Matias stated, this is our annual SPAN dues. SPAN runs the bomb unit, SWAT team, accident investigation, negotiators and Drug Enforcement Unit. These are annual dues, our share for chipping in with five cities. It's higher than last year. That extra cost is because the Drug Enforcement Unit normally over the past bunch of years has been completely self-funded from money from awards of forfeitures. We kind of just hit a sweetspot to where they spent the money available and there's a bunch of funds tied up right now that we can't spend until it actually has been awarded through the forfeiture system through the Federal Government or through the Courts handling the cases. The additional money is to fund the Drug Enforcement Unit for this year. That's what the additional cost is.

Council President Schutt asked, any questions for Chief Matias?

Mr. Meyers asked, what was it last year, do you remember?

Chief Matias replied \$29,000 something.

Mr. Meyers asked \$29,000? I know it's substantial and it went up.

Council President Schutt asked, any other questions or discussion?

There was none.

Council President Schutt stated, thank you Chief.

8) Renewal of Cleaning Services at Police Department for 2023 (City Wide-Resolution 2023-13)

Chief Matias stated, we had the renewal on last month but we ended up having to pull it. City Wide has been doing a nice job with us but for this year, the renewal, they wanted to give us a pretty significant increase in pricing so we worked with them and we made some changes to the scope of work. In 2022, we were at \$995/998 a month. We got it down to about \$783 a month. We made the changes to kind of eliminate some things that were not necessary and save us a little money. So, that's our renewal for 2023.

Council President Schutt asked, any questions for Chief Matias?

There were none.

Council President Schutt stated, thank you Chief.

**9) Sound Production for Summer Concerts (Clear Gold Audio & Lighting - \$17,000)
(Parks & Recreation)**

Mr. McAvineu stated, thank you, Council President. I went out and got proposals from 10 different companies. They ranged anywhere from \$1,200 a show to almost \$12,000 a show. I don't know where they got the \$12,000 from. It is my recommendation to go with Clear Gold Audio. I worked with Clear Gold Audio previously. They did a really good job. My recommendation is to go with Clear Gold Audio for all of the shows at the Grove plus a show at the Gazebo plus a little buffer in there so if we get in the situation where we need to add more lights or more sound versus last year we will have the money set aside.

Council President Schutt asked, any questions for Mr. McAvineu?

Mr. Williams stated, yes. At our Citizen's Advisory meeting this week, we had another resident talk about not being able to get in to the venues because outside Mayfield Village people are coming in and blocking them from getting in. I just wanted to share it again. I know you have been thinking about it.

Mr. McAvineu stated, we have done less advertising from outside the area to almost no advertising outside of the Mayfield School District area. A lot of times what I tell people is that if you come 45 minutes before the show, you will get a good parking spot. The issue lies if anyone ever comes 15-20 even 30 minutes before a show, at that point more people are there. My recommendation is to show up 45 minutes or even an hour before the show. We have wonderful food trucks. They can enjoy those before the show. That's why I had the food trucks get there about an hour and a half before the show so people can sit down. If anyone shows up after 30 minutes before a show, there's nothing you are going to be able to stop that large amount of people at that point. The Police Department has done a really wonderful job of focusing for our older adults at our Parkview Pool area. They can't really enforce it but they do a good job trying to make sure that's set aside for them. What we have also done is we are not doing any tournaments any more on the same nights we have the concert at the Grove. Additionally, we are closing the pool on Fridays during concert season 30 minutes early. On Friday people leave 30 minutes early anyways, but that way we can get the parking lot cleared out so we will have more spots available for everyone. We have made some changes hopefully, but if anyone shows up 15 minutes before a show, I have to tell them to please come earlier. We will do our best, but at that point, it gets pretty full.

Mr. Williams stated, good. Thanks. That's good feedback.

Mr. Meyers stated, one of the questions that had come up with residents is the handicapped parking. It's supposed to be by the pool but when they get there, the lot is full because people don't leave. Is there any way to address that?

Mr. McAviney replied, that's why we are closing the pool early.

Mr. Meyers stated, they are saying that people get there at 4:00 and they don't leave. It's for the handicapped and that's the question. They get there and they can't get to the show because they can't park behind Progressive and walk a half a mile because they are handicapped.

Mr. McAviney stated, the police officers usually get there about 45 minutes before showtime. We are hoping by closing the pool early, it will help. We don't just do it for handicapped, we do it for older adults at the pool. Everything is not labeled handicapped with the ORC number. There's cars in there without handicapped stickers. But we encourage older adults to come in. The police officers are at the entranceway. It's not perfect, but I definitely say it's going to make an improvement.

Council President Schutt asked, any other questions?

There were none.

Council President Schutt stated, thank you, Mr. McAviney.

**10) Field Preparation and Maintenance (Lewis Landscaping, not to exceed \$12,947.55)
(Parks & Recreation)**

Mr. McAviney stated, this is for the annual maintenance on all three of the fields at Parkview. The company, Lewis Landscaping comes in, re-edges everything, puts fertilizer down, fills the holes, fill the batter boxes. It's an ongoing annual thing. I reached out to another company in Lodi. You don't have anyone answer phone calls anymore. I am doing the same thing with a fence repair company at the baseball fields. Right now I have one company who has returned my phone call out of a half of a dozen companies. I have worked with Lewis Landscaping in the past. They are reliable. They generally do a very very good job. They do a lot of fields in Northern Ohio. It's also one of the things you want to keep up on. You don't want to fall behind because then you will have bigger problems down the road. Any questions?

There were none.

Council President Schutt stated, thank you, Mr. McAviney.

ANY OTHER MATTER BEFORE COUNCIL

Council President Schutt asked, are there any other matters to come before Council this evening?

Mr. Wynne stated, yes.

Council President Schutt stated, go ahead.

Mr. Wynne stated, just a couple of things. The State finally finished the 2021 audit report. I got a copy of it this morning so I gave it to Jeff Thomas. It should be on the website tomorrow. That's finally done. You should have all received a copy of the 2022 budget. If you have any questions, feel free to reach out. I plan on doing a 10-15 minute brief presentation at the Council meeting to highlight some of the main points of the budget.

Council President Schutt asked, Councilman Williams, did you have something?

Mr. Williams stated, perfect timing. Great segue Ron, thank you. In light of what you said Council President about the hard work everyone's doing, especially Finance. I have been thinking about something since our organizational meeting. Council's Finance Committee as I understand it does not meet or meet as needed. In light of these extenuating circumstances and times, should that be something we look into and talk about? To have a regular or at least some level of Finance Committee discussion separate from Caucus. I am not trying to create any extra work, but we have a Finance Committee and we still have to meet. Open for discussion. I wanted to bring it up.

Mrs. Jurecsek asked, when was the last time the Committee met?

Mr. Wynne replied, it's been years. I don't recall.

Mrs. Jurecsek asked, was it created for a certain time? Has it always been in existence?

Mr. Wynne replied, it was in existence when I started here 14 years ago. I can't recall when they stopped it. There was a lot of redundancy between what was talked about at the Finance Committee meeting and discussed at the Council meeting. I think Council decided to only hold the meetings as needed.

Mr. Williams stated, I was here for part of that transition. It was a lot of redundancy. It appeared we were saying the exact same thing from one meeting to the next. At the same time, here we are "x" years later, would it be appropriate to talk about? Is there a need for it?

Mrs. Jurecsek stated, Ron's always answered my questions if I have questions.

Mr. Williams asked, do we pull it off of our organizational chart?

Council President Schutt stated, I am open to it if people want to meet for that. I just looked at it now and it looks like the representatives are Jen, Bill and Denny and George, you are the alternate. I don't want to just pass the buck. I am certainly open to it and would be willing to attend as well if you wanted me to even though I am not technically part of the Committee.

Mr. Meyers stated, I would attend.

Mr. Williams asked, do we need to?

Mrs. Juncisek stated, the topics that would be discussed during this Finance meeting, would they be of importance that we would again have to reiterate it during the Council meeting so then it goes back to the redundancy? I am just thinking.

Mr. Williams stated, I don't know. I just know every month we have to come up with a topic for Citizen's Advisory.

Mrs. Juncisek asked, Ron, what do you think?

Mr. Wynne replied, it depends on how you want to use the Committee. It used to be where the Committee met and I am going back to probably when Joe Saponaro was the Council President, it used to be the Committee met around budget time with the Department Heads and ask each one of the Department Heads to explain their operating budget for the year and engage in dialogue back and forth and maybe make some suggestions but just to get a better feel from the Department Heads what's going on in that department which you really don't get with me giving an overview of the budget.

Mr. Williams stated, I wasn't necessarily looking for an answer today but something had been nibbling at me since the organizational meeting. I am on there as an Alternate.

Mr. Murphy stated, I don't think that's a terrible idea to discuss the operating budget with Department Heads. I would be open to that. I think we may have to have meetings whether it be Council or Finance. We are missing out on a half a million dollars a month on Progressive. It's going to be coming down the pipeline. It's going to be here before we know it, so we have to do something about it, so whether that's in a Finance meeting or whether that's in Caucus or Council, I don't know if anyone else is losing sleep over it but we can't sustain what we are doing based on missing out on a half a million dollars a month from Progressive, or at least until Progressive realizes that people aren't going back into the offices and unloading them and putting John to work over there in trying to get businesses in there. We are not going to get all that money back but if we can crack half that nut, I think that's good. We are in a standstill until we can. It's going to be some rude awakenings, I think. So whether that's at a Council or Finance meeting or here.

Mr. Williams stated, I was thinking that to me that sounds like more of a Committee. Looking at options and just talking about it. From talking might come answers.

Mrs. Juncisek asked, were these meetings open to the public?

Ms. Calta replied, yes. For what it's worth, I recall they were very redundant in the respect that you had the same agendas for Council and Finance. Everything touched on some sort of

expenditure one way or another. It just became very redundant and I think repetitive of the conversation.

Mr. Meyer stated, I had a resident call me today and ask me why they never talk about the finances in the meetings? The resident asked me that and I said I never really asked the question. They were wondering why. So it's a good thing you brought this up George. People want to know what's going on now especially with the times. We have to buckle down and figure out what's going on. There's got to be a way to save.

Mayor Bodnar stated, for what it's worth, I think that we do talk about finances. Even tonight, we are talking about how to save money, dealing with different vendors and the different issues we are facing. We are talking about the budget. We will be voting on the budget. If you look on our website, Ron posts tons of information monthly with how much money we bring in, how much money we are not bringing it. It's all there.

Mr. Meyers stated, no one is here. There's no participation.

Mayor Bodnar stated, how many people come here? Was the person who complained to you someone who regularly comes to the meeting?

Mr. Meyers stated, they can call and ask. But that's the funny point, no one wants to participate or get involved but they want to know what's going on. That's what's hard about what we do and what they do.

Mayor Bodnar stated, one of the things I wanted to say about the Finance Committee because it's just starting to jog my memory. We had various subcommittees. Something would go through one of the other subcommittees on a particular topic. And then it would go to the Finance Committee and then to Caucus or Council. The exact same thing would be on its third round before Council. There was a lot of redundancy not just from Finance to Council but from another Committee to Finance and then to Council. There would be evenings when you do three meetings in a row and it would be the same items on every agenda. It was actually hard to split hairs and only talk about a piece of it at the one meeting and then another piece at the other meeting. I think in the end everything has to come before all of Council so Caucus is kind of like the Committee As a Whole and everybody needs to be informed on everything. That doesn't impact what you are going to do. Just my thoughts.

Mr. Meyers stated, we are back to participation. I think Ron does a great job. Ron fills us in on almost everything we need to know. There's not a question he can't answer for us.

Mayor Bodnar stated, this Council is engaged. They will ask questions and there's discussion that goes on. I don't think that was always present in the past. We are at a good point now where it is present.

Council President Schutt stated, it was mentioned earlier that the Finance Committee meetings were open to the public and then Ron you mentioned about a meeting with Department Heads regarding budgets and things of that nature. I assume those conversations were not open to the public then? It was the Committee and the Department Heads?

Mrs. Jurcisek stated, that was my question too Steve.

Mr. Wynne replied, at that time, the Council President just had a meeting with himself and the Department Heads, so it wasn't a public meeting. But the Finance Committee itself because of the number of Council representatives on it was a public meeting.

Ms. Calta replied, any time you are going to get a Council majority, it has to be a public meeting. If it's just one, that's fine.

Council President Schutt stated, okay. At this point, I would think that we will definitely keep it open for discussion and if we feel the need to have the Committee meet, I don't see any issues with it. I hope everyone else would be open to it as well. It seems like we are. At this point, I don't know if there are any topics per se but maybe it makes sense to kind of see how the year goes and also maybe have some of those discussions towards the end of the year when we are coming up to budget season again and then have some of that dialogue and communication with Department Heads and Mr. Wynne if that is okay.

Mrs. Jurcisek asked, how much notice do you have to give the public if Finance Committee decides to convene?

Ms. Calta asked, 24 hours, Mary Beth?

Mrs. Betsa replied, yes.

Council President Schutt stated, thanks for bringing it up George. That makes sense. Any other matters to come before Council? I just have one other thing too. I wanted to apologize to Mrs. Betsa for my brain freeze. I did not acknowledge you in my report. Thank you for all of your hard work as well. You make my life a lot easier. When people say you pack for vacation, you get there or you are on your way and can't turn around and you realize you forgot some items or when you have a speech and want to acknowledge people and realize you forgot to mention someone. I apologize for not acknowledging you in my report. Mrs. Betsa, you make my life much easier as well. Thank you very much for all your hard work.

Mrs. Betsa stated, thank you.

Mr. Williams stated, our lives too.

Council President Schutt stated, all of them. Are there any other matters to come before Council?

There were none.

There being no further matters, the meeting concluded at 7:38 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary E. Betsa, MMC
Clerk of Council