

**CITY OF SOUTHGATE
COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
September 19, 2018
City Building, 122 Electric Ave**

Call to Order: Mayor Hamberg called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm.

The following answered roll call: Council Members Anderson, Hayley, Payne, Enzweiler, Speier, and Robisch present. Also present: City Clerk Barton, Finance Director/Treasurer Hudson, Police Chief Christmann, Fire Chief Beatsch, and City Attorney Stewart. Public Works Foreman Bowman was absent.

Public Comments: Jerome and Misty Voges of 184 Valley View spoke about a problem they have with water from the creek behind their house. The runoff floods the yard and enters the house.

Approval of Meeting Minutes of 9/5/18. Motion/Second: Hayley/Speier. Approved by voice vote: Aye 6 Nay 0.

Approval of Public hearing Meeting Minutes of 9/5/18. Motion/Second: Robisch/Anderson. Approved by voice vote: Aye 6 Nay 0.

Public Works: Councilman Anderson reported that the references of Ortho Concrete Construction were positive. **There was a motion to accept the bid from Orth Concrete for \$7,150 to replace a portion of the sidewalk/steps closest to Ridgeway. Motion/Second: Anderson/Payne. Approved by voice vote: Aye 6 Nay 0.** Mr. Anderson explained an issue with water run-off from the Cemetery on the hillside by the lake. Public Works Foreman Bowman recommended placing channel rock on the hillside to drain the water better. This is in the budget. **There was a motion to spend \$500 on channel rock to fix the problem. Motion/Second: Anderson/Payne. Approved by voice vote: Aye 6 Nay 0.**

Public Safety: Councilman Speier had no report. Police Chief Christmann had no report. Fire Chief Beatsch said the Fire Department will hold an Octoberfest in front of the firehouse on Oct. 6th. University Air Care will land a helicopter at the community center for a training drill on Oct. 1 around 7:30pm. On Sept. 26th City BBQ will donate a portion of the sales to the Southgate Fire Dept.

Code Enforcement: Councilman Enzweiler reported 39 new cases and 36 active cases. There was \$550 in fines issued.

Community Relations & Recreation: Council Member Payne reported several upcoming events: Campbell County Senior Picnic 9/20, Movie Night 10/5, Cruise In 10/14, Campbell Co. Clean Up 10/19-20

Public Buildings: Councilman Robisch reported the air-conditioner at the community center was repaired. The boxes for the doorbells at the firehouse were delivered. The phone consultant is installing them.

Finance and Administration: Council Member Hayley reviewed the payables.

Finance Director/Treasurer Hudson said she completed the June 30th financials. The auditors will be onsite on Oct. 17. City Clerk Barton had no report. City Attorney Stewart read the following:

Ordinance 18-15 Repeal and amend animal ordinance and establish regulations to control animals classified as dangerous or vicious. Second reading. Discussion was held about the specifics of the ordinance. There was a request to add to the ordinance that the vicious or pit bull dog should be spayed or neutered. **Motion was made to amend Ordinance 18-15 to include the spayed or neutering of the vicious or pit bull dogs. Motion/Second: Enzweiler/Speier. Approved by voice vote. Aye 6 Nay 0.**

There was a motion to approve Ordinance 18-15 Repeal and amend animal ordinance and establish regulation to control animals classified as dangerous or vicious (including pit bulls). Roll call: Anderson – yes, Hayley – no, Enzweiler – no, Payne – no, Robisch – no, and Speier – no. Failed. Aye 1 Nay 5.

Mayor Hamberg said the special committee will meet to discuss a new ordinance to maintain the pit bull ban plus add additional regulations for vicious dogs.

Resolution 18-05 Authorize Mayor to sign amendment to join Kenton Co. SWAT. Motion/Second: Robisch/Speier. Approved by voice vote. Aye 6 Nay 0.

Order 18-14 Appoint Stacey McIntosh to Park and Tree Board. Mayor will sign.

Order 18-15 Appoint Fred Espencheid and Therese Paul to Parking Citation Appeal Board. Mayor will sign.

Old Business: Council Member Payne said the rescheduled yard sale went well (rain date 9/15).

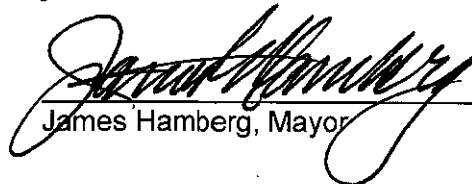
New Business: Hours for Trick or Treat will be the same as last year 5:30-7:30. The Community Christmas Party will be Dec. 16. Mayor Hamberg talked about the US 27 Corridor project.

Payment of Vouchers: Check vouchers #27761-27806 were presented for Council's review.

Mayor & Council Comments: none.

Announcements: none.

Adjournment: There being no further business, **Motion/Second: Anderson/Hayley to adjourn the meeting. Approved by voice vote. Aye 6 Nay 0.**


James Hamberg, Mayor

ATTEST: Brandi Barton
Brandi Barton, City Clerk