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Delaware City Council

Meeting

The regular meeting of Council held on April 27, 2020 and was called to order at 7:08 p.m. and was held remotely through Cisco Webex and streamed Live through Facebook due to the State of Emergency – Executive Order 2020-01D. The following members of Council were remotely present: First Ward Chris Jones, Second Ward Lisa Keller, Third Ward Cory Hoffman, Fourth Ward Drew Farrell, At-Large George Hellinger, Vice-Mayor Kent Shafer and Mayor Riggle who presided. The invocation was delivered by Pastor Michael Curtis

Staff Present Remotely: Sean Hughes, Economic Development Director, Justin Nahvi, Finance Director, Darren Shulman, City Attorney, Bruce Pijanowski, Police Chief, John Donahue, Fire Chief, Kyle Kridler, Assistant City Manager, and Tom Homan, City Manager

### ITEM 3: APPROVAL OF MINUTES

APPROVAL of the Motion Summary of the regular meeting of Council held on April 13, 2020, as recorded and transcribed.

**Motion:** Mrs. Keller motioned to approve the Motion Summary of the regular meeting of Council held on April 13, 2020, as recorded and transcribed, seconded by Mr. Farrell. Motion approved by a 7-0 vote.

## **ITEM 4: CONSENT AGENDA**

A. Acceptance of the Motion Summary of the Finance Committee meeting held on February 11, 2020, as recorded and transcribed.

**Motion:** Mrs. Keller motioned to approve the Consent Agenda, seconded by Mr. Hoffman. Motion approved by a 7-0 vote.

## ITEM 5: LETTERS, PETITIONS, AND PUBLIC COMMENTS

### **ITEM 6: PRESENTATION**

A. Proclamation recognizing Delaware General Health District and Health Commissioner Shelia Hiddleson

ITEM 7: ORDINANCE NO. 20-26
AN ORDINANCE APPROVING A FINAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR DELAWARE GENERAL HEALTH DISTRICT FOR A NEW OFFICE BUILDING AT 470 SOUTH SANDUSKY STREET ON APPROXIMATELY 9.4 ACRES ON PROPERTY ZONED PO/I (PLANNED OFFICE/INSTITUTIONAL DISTRICT).

The Clerk read the ordinance for the first time.

### APPLICANT:

Bill Souders, Architect Moody Nolan Inc. 300 Spruce Street Columbus, Ohio

Pat Blayney, Vice-President Delaware General Health District Board of Health 1 West Winter Street

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Shelia Hiddleson Health Commissioner Delaware General Health District 1 West Winter Street Delaware, Ohio

**Motion:** Mrs. Keller motioned to suspend the rules for Ordinance No. 20-26, seconded by Mr. Hoffman. Motion approved by a 7-0 vote.

**Motion:** Mrs. Keller motioned to adopt Ordinance No. 20-26, seconded by Mr. Hoffman. Motion approved by a 7-0 vote.

ITEM 8: ORDINANCE NO. 20-27

AN ORDINANCE APPROVING A FINAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR DELAWARE DEVELOPMENT PLAN LTD, FOR A MIXED-USE COMMERCIAL/OFFICE BUILDING ON LOT 12724 WITHIN SUB-AREA 6 OF COUGHLIN'S CROSSING ON APPROXIMATELY 2.641 ACRES LOCATED EAST OF US 23, WEST OF COUGHLIN LANE AND JUST NORTH OF HAWTHORN BOULEVARD AND ZONED A-1 PMU (AGRICULTURAL WITH A PLANNED MIXED-USE OVERLAY DISTRICT).

The Clerk read the ordinance for the first time.

#### APPLICANT:

John Oney
Architectual Alliance
49 East 3<sup>rd</sup> Street
Columbus, Ohio

Randy VanTilburg 157 Thornapple Trail Delaware, Ohio

**Motion:** Vice-Mayor Shafer motioned to suspend the rules for Ordinance No. 20-27, seconded by Mr. Jones. Motion approved by a 7-0 vote.

<u>Motion:</u> Vice-Mayor Shafer motioned to adopt Ordinance No. 20-27, seconded by Mr. Jones. Motion approved by a 7-0 vote.

ITEM 9: ORDINANCE NO. 20-28 [First Reading]
AN ORDINANCE APPROVING A FINAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR
DELAWARE DEVELOPMENT PLAN LTD., FOR TWO MIXED-USE
COMMERCIAL/OFFICE BUILDING WITHIN SUB-AREA 5 OF
COUGHLIN'S CROSSING ON APPROXIMATELY 5.752 ACRES LOCATED
EAST OF US 23, WEST OF COUGHLIN LANE AND JUST SOUTH OF
HAWTHORN BOULEVARD AND ZONED A-1 PMU (AGRICULTURAL

The Clerk read the ordinance for the first time.

WITH A PLANNED MIXED-USE OVERLAY DISTRICT).

**Motion:** Vice-Mayor Shafer motioned to suspend the rules for Ordinance No. 20-28, seconded by Mr. Jones. Motion approved by a 7-0 vote.

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**Motion:** Vice-Mayor Shafer motioned to adopt Ordinance No. 20-28, seconded by Mr. Jones. Motion approved by a 7-0 vote.

## ITEM 10: FINANCE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Mr. Nahvi reviewed the monthly March Finance Report. He discussed the insert to be included in the May utility bill regarding the application for utility assistance. He discussed being contacted by Delaware County Auditor regarding extension of property tax due dates.

## ITEM 11: CITY MANAGER'S REPORT & COVID-19 UPDATE

Mr. Homan discussed staff is finalizing the Recovery Plan on having employees return to operations under new guidelines. He discussed that there will be a meeting with the YMCA to discuss summer planning of recreational services.

## A. John Donahue, Fire Chief

Chief Donahue discussed that operations going well. They currently are waiting on additional surgical masks in place before starting services, such as yard waste. He discussed the surgical masks have been ordered will be used for City Staff, Police, Fire and patients.

## B. Bruce Pijanowski, Police Chief

Chief Pijanowski discussed that operations continue and partner with other agencies in Delaware County.

## C. Sean Hughes, Economic Development Director

Mr. Hughes discussed the guidance received from the Governor's press conference earlier today along with the requirements to open businesses back up. He reviewed that 95% of industrial businesses did not lay off any employees and 36.11% of overall businesses did not lay off any employees. 85% of majority of businesses were at least partially open during the Stay at Home Orders. He discussed putting together a Business Recovery Task Force represented by businesses and community partners from a variety of industries. This task force will work on safety issues for employees.

## **ITEM 12: COUNCIL COMMENTS**

Mrs. Keller exited the meeting at 8:21 p.m.

Mayor Riggle discussed plans to not have Boards and Commission meetings for the month of May. There will be a Finance Committee meeting that will be held virtually on May 13 and a City Council meeting on May 11.

### ITEM 13: ADJOURNMENT

**Motion:** Mr. Jones motioned to adjourn the meeting. The meeting adjourned at 8:28 p.m.

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