

City Council Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, April 5, 2022, 5:30pm

City Council Chambers

PRE-COUNCIL SESSION

City Clerk Deputy Linxwiler called the Pre-Council Session of the Springfield City Council to Order on Tuesday, April 5, 2022.

CITY COUNCIL SESSION

Mayor Jim Langfelder called the April 5, 2022 meeting of the Springfield City Council to order at 5:30 PM. He invited everyone to rise for the Pledge of Allegiance.

Clerk Lesko took the roll call of members.

PRESENT: Alderman Redpath ☐, Alderman Gregory ☒, Alderman Williams Jr. ☒, Alderman Fulgenzi ☒, Alderwoman Purchase ☒, Alderwoman DiCenso ☒, Alderman McMenamin ☒, Alderwoman Conley ☒, Alderman Donelan ☒, Alderman Hanauer ☒ and Mayor Langfelder ☒

Clerk Lesko announced there was a quorum for a meeting.

Mayor Langfelder mentions that there will be a proclamation for SHG Boys' Basketball team when they arrive. Mayor Langfelder proceeded to call up Springfield Police Chief Kenneth Scarlette to speak about racism within the police department. There was discussion between Alderpersons, Mayor Langfelder and Springfield Police Chief Scarlette.

Next, Mayor Langfelder asked for a motion to dispense with a reading of the minutes of the March 15, 2022 City Council meeting and approve the minutes. Alderman Donelan made the motion to approve the minutes with Alderwoman DiCenso seconding the motion. The motion passed with a voice vote of 9-0 voting yes.

Next, Mayor Langfelder asked for a motion to incorporate the Pre-Council first reading of ordinances into the record of the City Council meeting. Alderman Donelan made the motion with Alderwoman DiCenso seconding the motion. The motion passed with a voice vote of 9-0 voting yes.

Next, Mayor Langfelder asked to incorporate the Pre-Council the reading of the Consent Agenda into the record of the City Council meeting. Alderman Donelan made the motion with Alderwoman DiCenso seconding the motion. The motion passed with a voice vote of 9-0 voting yes.

Next, Mayor Langfelder asked for a motion to place the Consent Agenda on final passage. Alderman Donelan made the motion to place the Consent Agenda on final passage with Alderwoman DiCenso seconding the motion. Motion passed with 9-0 voting yes with the following exceptions:

Alderwoman DiCenso voting present on agenda item 2022-097.

Alderman Fulgenzi voting present on agenda items 2022-103, 2022-104 and 2022-105.

CONSENT AGENDA

2022-092 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING PAYMENT TO THE ENERGY AUTHORITY, INC. AND MIDCONTINENT INDEPENDENT SYSTEMS OPERATOR, INC. FOR TRANSMISSION SCHEDULE FEES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2023 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$4,685,715.00 FOR THE OFFICE OF PUBLIC UTILITIES. **(Requested by Mayor Jim Langfelder)**

2022-093 AN ORDINANCE APPROVING A FARM LEASE (#1060) WITH LANCE HEDRICK FOR A ONE-YEAR TERM, FOR THE OFFICE OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.
(Requested by Mayor Jim Langfelder)

2022-094 AN ORDINANCE APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF A LEASE AGREEMENT FOR 4121 GREENBERRY ROAD (SITE 95), FOR OFFICE OF PUBLIC UTILITIES. **(Requested by Mayor Jim Langfelder)**

2022-095 AN ORDINANCE DECLARING THE STREET NAME OF AN APPROXIMATELY 950 FOOT SEGMENT OF ROAD TO BE OFFICIALLY RECORDED AND KNOWN HEREBY AS EAST SHORE LANE, FOR THE OFFICE OF PUBLIC WORKS.
(Requested by Mayor Jim Langfelder)

2022-096 AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE PLAN FOR THE LARGE SCALE DEVELOPMENT OF AMBROSE AT PANTHER CREEK FOR THE OFFICE OF PUBLIC WORKS. **(Requested by Alderman Ralph Hanauer, Mayor Jim Langfelder)**

2022-097 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING PAYMENT TO TYLER TECHNOLOGIES IN THE AMOUNT OF \$61,269.00 FOR THE ANNUAL MAINTENANCE FEE FOR E- CRASH / E-CITATION REPORTING SYSTEMS, FOR THE SPRINGFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT.
(Requested by Mayor Jim Langfelder)

2022-098 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING PAYMENT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$29,649.00 TO CLINT WARNISHER, A CITY OF SPRINGFIELD FIREFIGHTER, FOR SETTLEMENT OF A WORKERS' COMPENSATION CLAIM CASE NUMBER 18-WC-031425. **(Requested by Mayor Jim Langfelder)**

2022-103 AN ORDINANCE TO INCREASE THE NUMBER OF CLASS "D" LIQUOR LICENSES BY LAGUNA BRAVA MEXICAN RESTAURANT, LLC D/B/A LAGUNA BRAVA MEXICAN RESTAURANT LOCATED AT 2466 WABASH AVENUE.
(Requested by Ward 10 Ralph Hanauer, Mayor Jim Langfelder)

2022-104 AN ORDINANCE TO INCREASE THE NUMBER OF CLASS "D" LIQUOR LICENSES BY TURBO FP CORP D/B/A INDIAN CUISINE LOCATED AT 3114 SOUTH 6TH STREET. **(Requested by Mayor Jim Langfelder)**

2022-105 AN ORDINANCE TO INCREASE THE NUMBER OF CLASS “D” LIQUOR LICENSES BY TURBO FP CORP D/B/A INDIAN CUISINE LOCATED AT 4151 WABASH AVENUE. **(Requested by Mayor Jim Langfelder)**

Next, Mayor Langfelder 2021-337 remain tabled or in committee.

2021-337 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 131 SECTION 131.12 OF THE 1988 CITY OF SPRINGFIELD CODE OF ORDINANCES, AS AMENDED, PERTAINING TO SOLICITATION (held from 8.10.21). **(Requested by Mayor Jim Langfelder)**

No movement made to agenda item remain tabled or in committee.

Mayor Langfelder recognizes SHG Boys’ Basketball team. Alderman Hanauer makes motion to bring SHG Boys’ Basketball forward before continuing to the Debate Agenda with Alderman Donelan seconding the motion. The motion passed with a voice vote of 9-0 voting yes. Mayor Langfelder proclaims April 5, 2022 SHG Boys’ Basketball Day in the City of Springfield.

Next, Mayor Langfelder introduced the Debate Agenda.

DEBATE AGENDA

2022-076 AN ORDINANCE ANNEXING CERTAIN DESCRIBED REAL PROPERTY LOCATED AT 11 LAKE KNOLLS DRIVE. **(Requested by Mayor Jim Langfelder)**

Mayor Langfelder asks for a motion to recess of the regular meeting to hold the public hearing. Alderman Donelan motioned to recess the regular meeting to hold the public hearing with Alderwoman DiCenso seconding the motion. The motion passed with a voice vote of 9-0 voting yes.

Public hearing is now opened. No discussion or citizens to address the council.

Mayor Langfelder asks for a motion to adjourn the public hearing and reconvene the regular city council meeting. Alderman McMenamin motioned to adjourn the public hearing and reconvene the regular city council meeting with Alderwoman DiCenso seconding the motion. The motion passed with a voice vote of 9-0 voting yes.

Alderman Donelan motioned to move this agenda item to final passage with Alderwoman DiCenso seconding the motion. The motion passed with a voice vote 9-0 voting yes.

Alderman Hanauer motioned to move this agenda item to final passage with Alderwoman Purchase seconding the motion. The motion passed with a vote of 9-0 voting yes.

2022-099 AN ORDINANCE REAPPOINTING ROGER W. HOLMES AS INSPECTOR GENERAL FOR CITY OF SPRINGFIELD. **(Requested by Mayor Jim Langfelder)**

Alderman Donelan motioned to move this agenda item to final passage with Alderman Gregory seconding the motion. The motion passed with 9-0 voting yes.

2022-100 AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE REAPPOINTMENT OF JASMIN L. WOOLFOLK TO THE POLICE COMMUNITY REVIEW COMMISSION.
(Requested by Mayor Jim Langfelder)

Alderman Gregory motioned to move this agenda item to final passage with Alderwoman Purchase seconding the motion. The motion passed with 9-0 voting yes.

2022-101 AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE REAPPOINTMENT OF MARCUS LUCAS TO THE POLICE COMMUNITY REVIEW COMMISSION.
(Requested by Mayor Jim Langfelder)

Alderman Donelan motioned to move this agenda item to final passage with Alderwoman DiCenso seconding the motion. The motion passed with 9-0 voting yes.

2022-102 AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE APPOINTMENT OF MICHAEL L. JAMESON II AS INFORMATION SYSTEMS DIVISION DIRECTOR.
(Requested by Mayor Jim Langfelder)

Alderman Hanauer motioned to move this agenda item to final passage with Alderwoman Purchase seconding the motion. The motion passed with 9-0 voting yes.

Mayor Langfelder asked for an ominous vote to place agenda items 2022-156 through 2022-163 on first reading. Alderman Donelan motioned for an ominous vote to place agenda items on first reading with Alderwoman DiCenso seconding the motion. Discussion had by Alderwoman DiCenso and Alderman Gregory. The motion passed 6-2 voting yes with Alderwoman DiCenso and Alderman Gregory voting no. Mayor Langfelder reads agenda items 2022-156 through 2022-163 into the record. Alderman Donelan motioned to approve agenda items for committee consideration with Alderwoman Purchase seconding the motion. Discussion had by Alderman Gregory and Alderman McMenamin. The motion passed with a voice vote of 9-0 voting yes.

2022-156 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF AN AGREEMENT WITH JANET S. WILLIAMS, TO PROVIDE SERVICES AS PROGRAM MANAGER REQUIRED BY A GRANT FROM THE CORPORATION FOR NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE - AMERICORPS - FOR THE YOUTH INITIATIVES PROGRAM GRANT No. FCSAY06273 FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$26,000.00 FROM JANUARY 1, 2022 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2022, FOR THE OFFICE OF PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
(Requested by Mayor Jim Langfelder)

2022-157 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF SUBRECIPIENT AGREEMENT NO. 21-SR-0008 FOR SOUTH TOWN CONSTRUCTION AND BONE TRAINING CENTER UTILIZING THE CITY'S COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FUNDS IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$400,000.00 FOR THE OFFICE OF PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT. **(Requested by Mayor Jim Langfelder)**

2022-158 AN ORDINANCE APPOINTING BRIAN MCFADDEN TO THE SPRINGFIELD ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION.

(Requested by Mayor Jim Langfelder)

2022-159 AN ORDINANCE APPOINTING TERRY SCHIERHOLZ TO THE SPRINGFIELD ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION.

(Requested by Mayor Jim Langfelder)

2022-160 AN ORDINANCE APPOINTING LESLIE SGRO TO THE SPRINGFIELD ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION.

(Requested by Mayor Jim Langfelder)

2022-161 AN ORDINANCE APPOINTING JOE AIELLO TO THE SPRINGFIELD ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION.

(Requested by Mayor Jim Langfelder)

2022-162 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 91, SECTION 91.01 OF THE 1988 CITY OF SPRINGFIELD CODE OF ORDINANCES, AS AMENDED, PERTAINING TO ANIMAL DISTURBANCE. **(Requested by Alderwoman Kristin DiCenso)**

2022-163 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 80, SECTION 80.08(a)(b)(c) AND SECTION 82.02(a)(1) OF THE 1988 CITY OF SPRINGFIELD CODE OF ORDINANCES, AS AMENDED, PERTAINING TO PEDESTRIANS ON ROADWAYS.

(Requested by Mayor Jim Langfelder)

Discussion of old business.

Discussion of new business.

Citizens that addressed the Council:

Jamie Adaire, Jane McBride, Sam Arnold aka Lukeman Hakim, Vincent Cottingham, Eleanor Nailing, James Johnson, Sunshine Clemons and Nick Dodson.

No executive session.

Mayor Langfelder requested a motion to adjourn. Alderman Hanauer motioned for adjournment with Alderwoman DiCenso seconding the motion. Motion passed with voice voting 9-0 voting yes. Meeting adjourned at 7:40 p.m.



Frank J. Lesko
City Clerk

Minutes approved on April 19, 2022.