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Meeting Minutes - Draft

Tuesday, January 21, 2025

6:00 PM

Special Meeting with Executive Session

Trotwood Community and Cultural Arts Center
4000 Lake Center Drive, Trotwood, Ohio 45426

City Council

Mayor Yvette F. Page
Vice Mayor Tyna R. Brown, Ward 4
Council Member Bettye L. Gales, Ward 1
Council Member Martha H. Clark, Ward 2
Council Member (Vacant), Ward 3
Council Member Rhonda C. Finley, At Large
Council Member Denise Moore, At Large
Clerk of Council Kara B. Landis

I. Call to Order

Mayor Page called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

II. Pledge of Allegiance

Mayor Page led the Pledge of Allegiance.

III. Roll Call

Clerk Landis took Roll Call and announced that Council Member Finley was out of town for work and unable to attend the meeting. Further, Council Member Finley provided proper notice of her qualifying reason pursuant to Council Rule 4.5; therefore, her absence is excused.

Present: 5 - Council Member Gales, Council Member Moore, Council Member Clark, Vice Mayor Brown and Mayor Page

Excused: 1 - Council Member Finley

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT: City Manager Quincy Pope, Clerk of Council Kara Landis, Law Director Steve McHugh, Deputy City Manager Stephanie Kellum, Police Chief Erik Wilson, Deputy Police Chief Mark Ecton.

IV. Approve the Agenda

Mayor Page requested a Motion to approve the Agenda. A Motion was made by Vice Mayor Brown, seconded by Council Member Gales, and the Motion CARRIED by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Council Member Gales, Council Member Moore, Council Member Clark, Vice Mayor Brown and Mayor Page

Excused: 1 - Council Member Finley

V. Enter into Executive Session**[SR25-04](#)**

The Trotwood City Council will move into Executive Session pursuant to Section 121.22(G)(1) of the Ohio Revised Code for the purpose of discussing the appointment of a public official.

Mayor Page requested a Motion to enter into Executive Session pursuant to Section 121.22(G)(1) of the Ohio Revised Code for the purpose of discussing the appointment of a public official. A Motion was made by Vice Mayor Brown, seconded by Council Member Gales, and the Motion CARRIED by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Council Member Gales, Council Member Moore, Council Member Clark, Vice Mayor Brown and Mayor Page

Excused: 1 - Council Member Finley

VI. Adjourn Executive Session

Mayor Page requested a Motion to adjourn the Executive Session. A Motion was made by Vice Mayor Brown, seconded by Council Member Gales, and the Motion CARRIED by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Council Member Gales, Council Member Moore, Council Member Clark, Vice Mayor Brown and Mayor Page

Excused: 1 - Council Member Finley

VII. Resolutions

[25-02](#)

A Motion by the Trotwood City Council adding a name to Resolution No. R25-11.

Mayor Page opened the floor for a Motion. Vice Mayor Brown made a Motion to add the name Milton Pearson to Resolution No. R25-11. The Motion was seconded by Council Member Moore, and the Motion CARRIED by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Council Member Gales, Council Member Moore, Council Member Clark, Vice Mayor Brown and Mayor Page

Excused: 1 - Council Member Finley

[R25-11](#)

A RESOLUTION BY THE TROTWOOD CITY COUNCIL APPOINTING A CITIZEN TO THE WARD 3 CITY COUNCIL VACANCY ACCORDING TO THE CITY CHARTER, ARTICLE 3, SECTION 3-4, ITEM (C): REMOVAL AND VACANCIES.

Attachments: [R25-11](#)

Mayor Page requested a Motion to approve Resolution No. R25-11. A Motion was made by Vice Mayor Brown, seconded by Council Member Moore, and the Motion CARRIED by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Council Member Gales, Council Member Moore, Council Member Clark, Vice Mayor Brown and Mayor Page

Excused: 1 - Council Member Finley

VIII. Adjourn

Mayor Page adjourned the meeting at 8:35 p.m.