

Council met in regular session at 5:30 p.m. with Mayor Rick presiding.

Mr. M. Raddish asked everyone to join him in a moment of reflection for their own intentions. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was recited by all.

Roll Call – Ms. K. Miller, p; Mr. M. Kelly, p; Mr. J. Tonsic, p; Mr. M. Raddish, p; Ms. B. Van Dike, p; Mr. R. McDowall, ex; Mr. C. Yoho, p.

Motion by Mr. M. Raddish, second by Mr. C. Yoho for the approval of the agenda as presented. Vote. Unanimous ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. M. Raddish, second by Ms. K. Miller to adopt the minutes of the February 19, 2020 Council meeting. Vote. Unanimous ayes. Motion carried.

COMMENTS ON PENDING LEGISLATION – No comments.

Mr. Greg Johnson, candidate for Portage County Sheriff (D) introduced himself to Council. He stated that when he was working with the county sheriff department, Mogadore Police Department was a help to them due to limited presence in southern Portage County. He will be available for questions and comments after the council meeting.

COMMITTEE REPORTS –

PARKS – No Report due to Mr. McDowall's absence.

UTILITIES – Mr. Tonsic had no report.

SAFETY – Mr. Kelly reported he has four pieces of legislation to read.

STREETS – Mr. Yoho had no report.

PLANNING AND ZONING – Ms. Miller reported the new sign at Mock Pond was passed at the February 27 Planning and Zoning meeting.

FINANCE/AUDIT – Ms. Van Dike reported she has two pieces of legislation to read.

Mr. Raddish said Work Session will be February 26 at 5:30 with all committees reporting.

OLD BUSINESS –

Ms. B. Van Dike presented the third reading of Resolution 2020-11 sponsored by the Finance Committee as follows:

A RESOLUTION PROVIDING PAY SCALE AND BENEFITS FOR VILLAGE FIRE OFFICERS AND FIREFIGHTERS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Mayor Rick stated a revision was made to this legislation. Chief Cain asked the pay date be changed to March 15. This date is the beginning of the pay cycle. The new pay rate for overnight duty will be \$13.20 per hour.

Ms. B. Van Dike made a motion to amend and substitute the new starting pay date; a second was made by Mr. C. Yoho. Vote. Unanimous ayes. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Ms. B. Van Dike to adopt Resolution 2020-11; a second was made by Mr. M. Kelly. Vote. Unanimous ayes. Motion carried.

Mr. M. Kelly presented the third reading of Ordinance 2020-12 sponsored by the Safety Committee as follows:

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND CLERK-TREASURER TO PURCHASE A “LADDER” FIRE TRUCK AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Mr. M. Kelly made a motion to table Ordinance 2012-12; Mr. M. Raddish second the motion. Vote. Unanimous ayes. Motion carried.

Ms. K. Miller presented the third reading of Ordinance 2020-15 sponsored by the Planning and Zoning Committee as follows:

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 150.203(A)(A1-5) OF THE VILLAGE OF MOGADORE CODIFIED ORDINANCES AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

A motion was made by Mr. K. Miller to adopt Ordinance 2020-15; a second was made by Mr. M. Kelly. Vote. Unanimous ayes. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS –

Mr. M. Raddish presented Ordinance 2020-19 sponsored by the Parks Committee as follows:

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH MOGADORE LOCAL SCHOOLS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Mr. M. Raddish made a motion to suspend the rule required three readings; Mr. M. Kelly seconded the motion. Vote. Unanimous ayes. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Mr. M. Raddish to adopt Ordinance 2020-19; a second was made by Mr. M. Raddish. Vote. Unanimous ayes. Motion carried.

Ms. B. Van Dike presented Ordinance 2020-20 sponsored by the Finance Committee as follows:

REOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE TRANSFERS WITHIN FUNDS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Ms. B. Van Dike made a motion to suspend the rule requiring three readings; Mr. C. Yoho seconded the motion. Vote. Unanimous ayes. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Ms. B. Van Dike to adopt Ordinance 2020-20; a second was made by Mr. C. Yoho. Vote. Unanimous ayes. Motion carried.

Mr. M. Kelly presented Ordinance 2020-21 sponsored by the Safety Committee as follows:

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, CLERK-TREASURER AND FIRE CHIEF TO PURCHASE TURN-OUT GEAR AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Mr. M. Kelly made a motion to suspend the rule requiring three readings; Mr. C. Yoho seconded the motion. Vote. Unanimous ayes. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Mr. M. Kelly to adopt Ordinance 2020-21; a second was made by Ms. K. Miller. Vote. Unanimous ayes. Motion carried.

Mr. M. Kelly presented Ordinance 2020-22 sponsored by the Safety Committee as follows:

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, CLERK-TREASURER AND FIRE CHIEF TO PURCHASE A HOSE AND AIR BAG EQUIPMENT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Mr. M. Kelly made a motion to suspend the rule requiring three readings; Ms. K. Miller seconded the motion. Vote. Unanimous ayes. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Mr. M. Kelly to adopt Ordinance 2020-22; a second was made by Ms. K. Miller. Vote. Unanimous ayes. Motion carried.

Mr. M. Kelly presented Ordinance 2020-23 sponsored by the Safety Committee as follows:

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SELL AND/OR DISCARD UNNEEDED PERSONAL PROPERTY AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Mr. M. Kelly made a motion to suspend the rule requiring three readings; Ms. K. Miller seconded the motion. Vote. Unanimous ayes. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Mr. M. Kelly to adopt Ordinance 2020-23; a second was made by Ms. K. Miller. Vote. Unanimous ayes. Motion carried.

COMMENTS ON THE BILLS – Ms. B. Van Dike made a motion to approve the payment of the bills as presented on the invoice report. Mr. C. Yoho seconded the motion. Vote. Mr. M. Kelly abstained due to a niece receiving check. Motion carried 6-0.

COMMENTS from the Public: Police Chief Higgins updated Council on the recent car break-ins. He is working with the Akron Police Department on charges and one suspect has been identified.

He also wanted to say that he appreciates Mr. Greg Johnson, Portage County Sheriff candidate. He has supported Mogadore in the past when other seem to forget about the village.

Mr. Robert Schrock, 3636 Orchard St., thanked Chief Cain and his department for the professional care when he had a medical emergency.

Mr. Jon Mencer, 242 S. Cleveland Ave., stated that he was glad to see the legislation to purchase a new ladder truck was tabled.

COMMENTS from Council: Mr. M. Kelly thanked Greg Johnson for coming to the meeting and introducing himself.

Mr. M. Raddish thanked all committee chairmen.

COMMENTS from the Village Engineer: Mr. M. Glass stated the Prospect Street work is on hold this week. The grade work will begin next week.

COMMENTS from the Clerk: No comments.

COMMENTS from the Mayor: No comments.

Meeting adjourned at 5:47 p.m.

R. G. H. 3-26-20

Mayor

Date

Attest:

Scott KV _____

Clerk-Treasurer