

# RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

## Minutes of WEST CARROLLTON CITY COUNCIL REGULAR Meeting

Held April 23,

2019

PRESENT: Mayor Jeff Sanner, Councilmembers Rick Barnhart, Angie Fryman, Leanne Nash, Harold Robinson, and Jill Tomlin. City Staff – City Manager Brad Townsend, Law Director Lori Denlinger, Public Relations Coordinator Erika Mattingly, and Assistant Clerk of Council Carie Cottongim.

EXCUSED: Councilmember Amanda Zennie

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Sanner at 6:30 p.m. The Pledge of Allegiance and Roll Call followed.

### MINUTES

Mrs. Fryman moved, seconded by Mrs. Tomlin to approve the regular meeting minutes of April 9, 2019. A vote was taken: Ms. Nash-yes, Mr. Robinson-yes, Mrs. Tomlin-yes, Mr. Barnhart-yes, Mrs. Fryman-yes, and Mayor Sanner-yes

### PUBLIC HEARINGS

None

### COMMUNICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

#### *PROCLAMATION – MOTORCYCLE AWARENESS WEEK*

Mr. Barnhart read the proclamation in its entirety.

#### *PROCLAMATION – NATIONAL ARBOR DAY*

Mayor Sanner read the proclamation in its entirety and reminded everyone of the Arbor Day Tree planting at Wilson Park by the pool at 5:30 p.m. on Friday April 26, 2019.

#### *PROCLAMATION – PUBLIC SERVICE RECOGNITION WEEK*

Ms. Nash read the proclamation in its entirety.

### COMMENTS BY THE AUDIENCE

None

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## UNFINISHED BUSINESS

None

## NEW BUSINESS

None

## REPORTS BY OFFICERS

Mr. Townsend informed the city is in a legislative lull right now and the next council meeting may be the same with maybe one item on the agenda. The railroad is here repairing the Elm Street crossing tracks and their target is to finish tomorrow, April 24<sup>th</sup>. We were also informed today that AT&T will be removing and relocating their fiberoptic line on the South Elm Street bridge on Monday, April 29<sup>th</sup>. Once they get done and out of there the bridge repair will begin. This area will be a mess all summer long and it's best to find another route during this construction. Mr. Townsend informed our survey is still on-going until May 1<sup>st</sup>. If you would like to participate in the survey there is still time to do so.

Mrs. Mattingly gave community updates:

- Friday, April 26, Arbor Day Tree Planting at Wilson Park. Also, the winners of the Arbor Day art contest will be announced at that time.
- Saturday, April 27, 9:00 a.m. the City Beautiful Commission will host a Spring Spruce Up event starting at the Civic Center. They plan to go to the Old Downtown area and mulch some flower beds. In conjunction with that you may notice that there are three parking lots that are going to be repaved. Also, curb and sidewalk repairs are also going on in two different areas of the city. We ask that residents be patient while they finish up over the next few weeks.
- Saturday, May 4, Garage Sale Saturday. If you would like to have your address listed please call Carrie Cottongim at 937-847-4633 by Wednesday, May 1<sup>st</sup> to have your address included. The garage list and map will be posted on our website Thursday morning and copies will also be placed in our Civic Center Lobby.
- May 5<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 a.m., Cycle de Mayo - The City will be partnering with Miamisburg to host a 9-mile bike ride along the river. Bikers will start at the Miami/Erie Canal park on Marina Drive. The first 100 bikers will receive a goodie bag, free bike helmet, as well as discount coupons for El Meson which will also be having events that day. The cost is \$5.00/person and children under 3 are free.

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- May 8<sup>th</sup>, 8:30 a.m. – 1 p.m. The parks and recreation department will be hosting QPT day activities for grades 3-5. Cost is \$15/child. This will be an outing to Carillon Historical Park. Lunch and transportation provided.
- Registration has been extended to May 5<sup>th</sup> for the Junior Fire Academy which is set for Saturday, May 11<sup>th</sup>. This program is aimed at children ages 6-12. They will get to learn some first-aid, climb through a smoky house, and complete a firefighter obstacle course with the tools and equipment the firefighters use.

### UNSCHEDULED BUSINESS

#### Comments by the Audience

None

#### Comments by Council

Mr. Robinson informed he had the opportunity to attend the Great Miami Riverway Summit. This years Summit was held at the Hobart Arena in Troy. This year they had over 300 people in attendance. The Summit is all about how people can take advantage of the Miami River starting from Sidney and going all the way to Hamilton which is also where the Bikeway pretty much goes. Some of the bigger cities are well on their way to creating waterway experiences like we have talked about over the years. We will get to do the same once the dam gets rebuilt in the future making the river accessible for kayakers and canoers. Some cities like Sidney, Troy, and Hamilton in particular have already made some moves to establish an entertainment/destination area along the river in their city. Troy has talked about having a new boathouse restaurant which is now erected and sits out partially into the river. Christian Mattingly, Parks and Recreation Director, sits on the Board of Directors for the Great Miami Riverway, and Erika Mattingly, our Public Relations Director, also gets involved as well. It brings enthusiasm to me to hear about what is going to happen here eventually because you can see it happening around the other cities.

Mrs. Tomlin inquired if the bulk item pickup would be the week after Garage Sale Saturday and Mrs. Mattingly replied it is.

### WORK SESSION

None



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## ADJOURNMENT

With no further business, Mayor Sanner motioned, seconded by Angie Fryman to adjourn the meeting. Voice vote was unanimous, motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 6:46 p.m.

  
Assistant Clerk of Council

  
Mayor