

**WAUSEON CITY COUNCIL
COUNCIL MEETING
Monday, August 15, 2022**

Mayor Huner called this meeting of the Wauseon City Council to order at 5:00 p.m. in Council Chambers. She led the Pledge of Allegiance which was followed by a moment of silence.

ROLL CALL

Roll was taken by the Clerk of Council. Present were Council President Stiriz, Councilors Chamberlin, Schneider, Stickley, Heising and Tijerina to constitute a quorum for the transaction of city business.

MINUTES

Mayor Huner asked for a motion to approve the prior meeting minutes. Councilor Stickley moved and seconded by Councilor Heising to approve the minutes as printed.

All in favor: *Motion Passed Unanimously*

DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS

Keith Torbet gave a brief report. He said the pool is at reduced hours for the rest of the season. He said the pool staff is limited due to back-to-school time. August 27, 2022 is the last day the pool will be open. Council President Stiriz asked for an update on the three houses that needed torn down. Keith Torbet said they are still working through the process with the state. Keith said Brunell Street is coming along well. Ohio gas should have their infrastructure done this week. They are still waiting on century link to move some things. Other than that, they are looking at completion being in about three to four weeks other than landscaping.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Council President Stiriz gave a report from the Park Board meeting on August 9, 2022. The tiling of Biddle Park fields starts this week. Keith Torbet shared at the meeting that Tom Manges raised approximately \$4,000 for the tee pads at the disc golf course at Reighard Park. They are almost completed. The pickle ball courts are getting utilized consistently. President Scott Stiriz explained that Richard Allen Studios and Paul Zumfelde would like to donate art sculptures to the City of Wauseon to be placed along the bike trail. The City would like to move forward with the idea, so Paul Zumfelde and Richard Allen Studios can begin working on the details regarding which sculptures and type of designs. Park Board Members do not want any sharp edges on the sculptures due to the potential dangers. Park Board members would like to see the sculpture ideas before they are placed at the park.

Recommendation that the City accept donated art sculptures to be placed along the bike trail pending design approval by the Board moved by Councilor Heising and seconded by Councilor Heising.

Vote: 6 Yeas 0 Nays *Motion Carries*

FIRST READING OF LEGISLATION OR EMERGENCY

There was no legislation under first reading.

SECOND READING OF LEGISLATION OR EMERGENCY

Resolution 2022-18: A Resolution Adopting The City Of Wauseon Local Government Manual

Motion to place Resolution 2022-18 on first reading moved by Councilor Chamberlin and seconded by Councilor Schneider.

Vote: 6 Yeas 0 Nays *Motion Carries*

SECOND READING OF LEGISLATION OR EMERGENCY

Ordinance 2022-4: An Ordinance Modifying the Rate Schedule for Sewer Rates for the City of Wauseon

Motion to place Ordinance 2022-4 on Emergency reading moved by Councilor Stickley and seconded by Councilor Schneider.

Vote: 5 Yeas 1 Nays *Motion Carries*

Motion to place Ordinance 2022-4 on final reading and the final reading be passed moved by Councilor Chamberlin and seconded by Councilor Tijerina.

Vote: 6 Yeas 0 Nays *Motion Carries*

Ordinance 2022-5: An Ordinance Modifying the Rate Schedule for Water Rates for the City of Wauseon

Motion to place Ordinance 2022-5 on emergency reading moved by Councilor Stickley and seconded by Councilor Heising.

Vote: 5 Yeas 1 Nays *Motion Carries*

Motion to place Ordinance 2022-5 on final reading and the final reading be passed moved by Councilor Chamberlin and seconded by Councilor Tijerina.

Vote: 6 Yeas 0 Nays *Motion Carries*

NEW BUSINESS

Motion to schedule Trick or Treat for Monday, October 31, 2022, from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. moved by Councilor Tijerina and seconded by Council President Stiriz.

Vote: 6 Yeas 0 Nays *Motion Carries*

Mayor Huner wanted to remind council members that the only Council Meeting in September is September 19, 2022.

Councilor Chamberlin asked Keith Torbet about the City's part time code enforcer. Keith Torbet explained how the process of city complaints works and what the part time code enforcer does.

APPROVAL OF THE BILLS

Motion to approve and pay the bills as presented moved by Councilor Schneider and seconded by Councilor Stickley.

Vote: 6 Yeas 0 Nays *Motion Carries*

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, Councilor Tijerina moved and seconded by Councilor Heising to adjourn this meeting at 5:26 p.m.

All in favor: *Motion Passed Unanimously*



Korin Miller, Clerk of Council



Scott Stiriz, President of Council