

CANTON CITY COUNCIL

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Chris Smith, Ward 4
Robert Fisher, Ward 5
Jonathan Cooks, Ward 6
John Mariol, Ward 7 - **Majority Leader**
Richard Sacco, Ward 8
Frank Morris, Ward 9

Monday Agenda
May 20, 2024
7:00 PM

Roll Call: Ten Members Present

Motion to Excuse Members: Member Mariol and Member Morris Absent

Invocation: Robert Fisher, Ward 5 Council Member

Pledge of Allegiance: President Bates Aylward

AGENDA CORRECTIONS & CHANGES: (Suspended Rule 22A to add 1st Rdg O#15 and O#16; 2nd Rdg O#17 - O#20; O#15 and O#16 Adopted on 1st Rdg; O#17, O#19 and O#20 Adopted on 2nd Rdg)

PUBLIC HEARINGS: None

OLD BUSINESS: None

PUBLIC SPEAKS: David Kerestes spoke about him and his family's experiences with the police and government laws and is asking for change. Linjun Xu asked the Council to help him understand Canton procedures in relation to job postings. Eric Resnick, Ahmed Cheema, and Adallah Masri spoke about the ongoing tragedies in Gaza and also their concerns with the current police matters in the city. Brother Yaccob suggested the Police Department have one on one restraint training monthly. He also expressed his views on Civil Rights. Nicole Dietz stated her downtown business, as well as other businesses, have been vandalized. She is asking for video surveillance that will cover her street and for more of a police presence in that area. Tina Rhodes explained the ongoing problems at the Homeless Coffee House, and how it's affecting her family and property. Sierra Mason and Chris Smith expressed their concerns about the community and how the Police Department are handling Frank Tyson's tragedy.

INFORMAL RESOLUTIONS:

1. Personnel Committee: Confirm reappt of Mr. Zachary J. Malloy to Systems Planning Board commencing 5/20/24 to 5/31/26. - Adopted

COMMUNICATIONS:

2. Rpt of deposits and pay-ins to Ambulance Lock Box for April, 2024.- Chief Bennett
3. Req City of Canton Interior Renovation & Public Realm Prog; emergency (supp approp fr 1001 General Operating Fund to 1001 200501 General Gov't Support Admin; 2175 Comprehensive Plan Fund to 2175 200501 General Gov't Support Admin). - Finance Director Crouse
4. Req D5 D6 liquor permit trf from Brunomaria Inc DBA Arcadia Grill & BSMT & Patios to K&A Stead LLC DBA Arcadia Grill & BSMT & Patios @ 321 Court Ave NW 1st FL, (Ward 2). - Liquor Control Div
5. Req new C2 liquor permit for Murphy Oil USA Inc @ 3220 Atlantic Blvd NE, (Ward 6). - Liquor Control Div
6. Req new C2 liquor permit for Shree Radharaman INC DBA Mini Food Mart @ 905 Harrison Ave SW, (Ward 5). - Liquor Control Div
7. Req approp for demolition of 602 12th St. NE; emergency. - Safety Director Perry
8. Req 9th St. SW Bridge Replacement Proj, PID 112849, GP 1298 - Change Order #3; emergency. - Service Director Highman
9. Req 11 St. SE Intersection and Roadway Improvement Proj, PID 90465, GP 1144 - Change Order No. 4; emergency. - Service Director Highman
10. Req East Side Parks Trail, GP1131 Right-of-Way Acquisition Authorization; emergency. - Service Director Highman
11. Rpt of Parking Meter Revenue for 4/30/24. - Treasurer Perez
12. Rpts of Bank Reconciliations and Outstanding Investments as of 4/30/24. - Treasurer Perez

FIRST READINGS:

13. Auth to convey city-owned real property to Mary L. Argabright; emergency. - Community & Economic Development Committee
 14. Auth to convey city-owned real property to Habitat for Humanity East Central Ohio; emergency. - Community & Economic Development Committee
- (Council recessed at 7:40 PM for the Community & Economic Development Committee to discuss O#15 and O#16; reconvened at 7:43 PM)***
15. **106/2024** Auth to enter Community Reinvestment Area Argmt with JSC Properties; emergency. - Community & Economic Development Committee*

16. **107/2024** Establish JSC Properties, LLC Non-School TIF; Auth financing and maintenance of public infrastructure improvements; emergency. - Community & Economic Development Committee*

***Ordinances and Formal Resolutions for First Reading Vote**

SECOND READINGS: (SUSPENDED RULE 22A TO ADD 2ND RDG O#17 - O#20; O#17, O#19 AND O#20 ADOPTED)

17. **108/2024** Auth \$250,000 grant agreement with Community Building Partnership of Stark County utilizing issue 13 Comprehensive Plan Funds; emergency. - FIN*
18. Amend approp O#61/2024; emergency (various supp approps and trfs) - FIN
19. **109/2024** Auth Clerk of Council to certify to County Auditor unpaid and delinquent charges for board up/clean up/demo serves performed by or on behalf of the City of Canton Building and Code Dept; emergency - FIN*
20. **110/2024** Auth Auditor to create 5252 Water Service Shop Renovation Funds; amending approp O#61/2024; emergency (supp approp to project fund) - FIN*

***Ordinances and Formal Resolutions for Second Reading Vote**

THIRD READINGS:

21. **111/2024** Auth prof construction contract for oversight services; Execute cost-share agrmt with Perry Township for street paving; Auth to receive grant funds for Perry Hts Area Wtr Main Replacement Phase 2; Establish 5253 Perry Hts Wtr Ph2 Water Main Replacement Fund (supp approp in project fund).
22. **112/2024** Auth contract for abandonment of Collector Well #3 at Northwest Water Treatment Plan and release of easements; emergency (4125 Salway Avenue NW).
23. **113/2024** Auth agrmt for purch of Stark County Auditor parcel #5200863; emergency (Supp approp for Capital Projects Fund).
24. **114/2024** Auth to renew easement and make payments to U.S. Army Corps of Engineers for 50 year renewal term back-dated to 1/25/24; emergency.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS:

Monday, June 3, 2024 in Council Chambers @ 6:45PM
Community & Economic Development Committee

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS: None

ADJOURNMENT: 7:56 PM

THE NEXT REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING: MONDAY, JUNE 3, 2024 @7:00 PM

