

Ordinance No. 2020-26 - Introduced by Council – An Ordinance authorizing the proper city official to file a grant application for certain improvements to the Zanesville Municipal Airport.

Mrs. Osborn moved for third reading, seconded by Miss Bradshaw.

Mr. Roberts: Is there any discussion? Hearing none, roll call.

Roll call vote for passage.

9 Ayes

0 Nays

Motion carries. Ordinance is passed.

Ordinance No. 2020-27 - Introduced by Council – An Ordinance authorizing the proper city official to enter into a professional contract with Crawford, Murphy & Tilly, Inc. Consulting Engineers (CMT), for the design, bid, and construction phase of the Airport Rehabilitate Runway 4/22 Cracksealing Project.

Ms. Gildow moved for third reading and passage, seconded by Mrs. Gentry.

Mr. Roberts: Is there any discussion on third reading? Hearing none, roll call.

Roll call vote for passage.

9 Ayes

0 Nays

Motion carries. Ordinance is passed.

Ordinance No. 2020-28 - Introduced by Council – An Ordinance authorizing the proper city official to enter into a professional contract with Crawford, Murphy & Tilly, Inc. Consulting Engineers (CMT), for the design, bid, and construction phase of the Airport Runway 4 Obstruction Removal Project.

Mrs. Gentry moved for third reading and passage, seconded by Miss Bradshaw.

Mr. Roberts: Is there any discussion? Hearing none, roll call.

Roll call vote for passage.

9 Ayes

0 Nays

Motion carries. Ordinance is passed.

Ordinance No. 2020-29 - Introduced by Council – An Ordinance authorizing the proper city official to enter into a professional contract with Crawford, Murphy & Tilly, Inc. Consulting Engineers (CMT), for the design, bid, and construction phase of the Airport South Runway Wildlife Habitat Removal Project.

Mrs. Osborn: First for third reading.

Mr. Ware: Seconded.

Mr. Roberts: A first by Mrs. Osborn, seconded by Mr. Ware. Is there any discussion on third reading?

Mr. Ware: I missed something here.

Mr. Foreman: I probably missed something on this obviously because it got to third reading and it has just come to my attention, I guess. Why a habitat removal project? Why are we removing and not relocating? Is that something that number one we can do? Is that something that we should do?

Mr. Roberts: I believe it is a safety issue, Mr. Foreman. This is with the airport and I believe it is to keep the ducks and geese away from the airport.

Mayor Mason: I used to be over the Division of Wildlife. You are extremely limited on relocation. You have to hold them a certain amount of days. You have to do medical testing on relocation.

Mr. Foreman: So we don't normally do that.

Mayor Mason: Do you want to hold them for 90 days?

Mr. Foreman: Well, maybe not at this point, but during the first reading I may have considered it.

Mayor Mason: I am just speaking from my knowledge having been over wildlife and I am guessing that is pretty much it.

Mr. Foreman: Oh, okay. The Park Society President is having trouble, but okay. Thank you.

Mr. Roberts: Is there any other discussion? Roll call.

Roll call vote for passage.

8 Ayes

1 Nays

Motion carries. Ordinance is passed.

Ordinance No. 2020-30 - Introduced by Council – An Ordinance authorizing the proper city official to purchase grinder pumps for the City's East End Sewer Collection System for Covalen.

Mrs. Osborn moved for third reading, seconded by Miss Bradshaw.

Mr. Roberts: Is there any discussion? Mr. Foreman?

Mr. Foreman: I am good, thank you.

Roll call vote for passage.

9 Ayes

0 Nays

Motion carries. Ordinance is passed.

TRAFFIC ORDERS

No traffic orders were filed for this meeting.

MISCELLANEOUS AND UNFINISHED BUSINESS

There were no comments from the administration.

PRIVATE PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

No non-agenda item petitions were filed for this meeting.

Mr. Roberts: We have an Executive Session for a conference with the Law Director regarding imminent court action.

Do I have a motion to enter into executive session for such reason?

Mrs. Osborn moved.

Mr. Tarbert: I believe there might be some discussion about purchasing real estate as well.

Mr. Roberts: So for imminent court action and purchase of real estate. Is that your motion Mrs. Osborn?

A motion to enter executive session for imminent court action and purchase of real estate was made by Mrs. Osborn and seconded by Mr. Baker at 7:35 p.m.

Roll Call Vote:

9 Ayes

0 Nays

Motion carries.

Mr. Roberts: With that we will now go into executive session so everybody can go ahead and clear out and we will let you know when we are out of executive session.

The executive session was then held.

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Those remaining that had been excused from the executive session were brought back into the Council Chambers and the session was ended in open session at 7:49 p.m.

Mr. Roberts: We are now out of executive session. No decisions were made in executive session. That brings us to the end of this big show.

A motion to adjourn was made by Mrs. Osborn and it was seconded by Miss Bradshaw at 7:50 p.m. A voice vote was taken with all present being in favor of adjournment. Motion carries.

Susan Culbertson
Clerk of Council

Andrew Roberts
President Pro-Tempore of Zanesville City Council

Mayor

RESOLUTION No. 2020-56

A RESOLUTION DECLARING THAT A LOCAL EMERGENCY EXISTS IN THE CITY OF ZANESVILLE, OHIO, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, The City of Zanesville, Ohio has been or is immediately threatened by the COVID-19 Virus, also known as the Coronavirus, a biological hazard and/or pandemic as determined by the World Health Organization, the U.S. Center for Disease Control, the Ohio Department of Health, and the Zanesville-Muskingum County Board of Health;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City of Zanesville, of Muskingum County, State of Ohio:

SECTION ONE: That a State of Emergency exists in the City of Zanesville, Ohio, and we hereby invoke and declare those portions of the Revised Code of the State of Ohio which are applicable to the conditions and have caused this issuance of this proclamation, to be in full force and effect for the City of Zanesville for the exercise of all necessary emergency authority for the protection of lives and property for the people of the City of Zanesville, Ohio, and the restoration of local government with a minimum of interruption.

Reference is hereby made to all appropriate laws, statutes, ordinances, resolutions and particularly to Section 5502 and Section 715.37, and other relevant sections, of the Revised Code of the State of Ohio.

All public offices and employees of the City of Zanesville, Ohio are hereby directed to exercise the utmost diligence in the discharge of duties required of them for the duration of the emergency and in the execution of laws, regulations, and Federal, State and local directives.

All City, Village, County, and Township offices and employees situated within the City of Zanesville are hereby requested by the City of Zanesville, Ohio to assist any and all the City of Zanesville public offices and employees in the discharge of their duties in response to the emergency.

All citizens of the City of Zanesville, Ohio are hereby called upon and directed to comply with necessary emergency measures, to cooperate with public officials and disaster services forces in executing emergency operations plans, and to obey and comply with the lawful directions of properly identified officials.

All operating forces are requested to direct their communications and requests for assistance and operations to the Muskingum County Emergency Management Agency and/or the Emergency Operations Center.

SECTION TWO: This Council finds and determines that the COVID-19 pandemic constitutes an emergency in the City of Zanesville, and that additional efforts to safeguard

the health, safety and welfare of the public are required. In making the determinations and findings in this Resolution, it is Council's intention to exercise and avail itself, on behalf of the City of Zanesville, of the fullest extent of its power and authority under Article XVIII, Section 3 of the Ohio Constitution as well as the laws of the State of Ohio and the Ordinances of the City of Zanesville.

SECTION THREE: This Council finds and determines that the efforts needed to prepare for, respond to and mitigate the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic have and will place extraordinary requirements upon the City in its mission to deliver services to residents and advance the public health, safety and welfare.

SECTION FOUR: This Council finds and determines that the City's ability to effectively respond to and manage the COVID-19 pandemic locally will require disruptions to normal meeting schedules and may impact staffing levels, work schedules, and performance of non-essential functions; that ensuring the City's ability to discharge its essential functions is of critical importance; and that the use of technology and digital communications including virtual and telephonic meetings, remote meeting and work technologies and other advanced communications technologies, including streaming technologies, is encouraged at this time, subject to the approval of the Mayor.

SECTION FIVE: This Council finds and determines that:

- (a) The regular schedule of Council meetings, including all committee meetings and those boards and commissions created by municipal ordinance, under Title One of the Zanesville Codified Ordinances is hereby suspended until Council determines that the local emergency declared herein has abated;
- (b) Council, committees, boards and commissions may, during the period of emergency, hold regular or special meetings with 24 hours' notice when practicable, or emergency meetings pursuant to the Ohio Revised Code; that it may hold such meetings via teleconference or other means of remote communications pursuant to guidance from the Attorney General of Ohio; that the Council Rules in the Zanesville Codified Ordinances may be suspended and dispensed with at any such meeting; and that during such meetings during this time, public comment period may not be provided, although comments submitted in a signed writing or an email identifying the writer will be noted, may be read, and will be included in the journal of proceedings.

SECTION SIX: This Council finds and determines that in order to meet the challenges and objectives described herein, it will be necessary to provide for the maximum regulatory and operational flexibility permitted by Ohio law and the ordinances of the City of Zanesville, and that it is necessary to empower and authorize the Mayor to identify the best means and methods to ensure the City's ability to discharge its duties, in consultation with the Department Directors and other key staff and outside consultants, and to take all appropriate actions to discharge such duties within the foregoing parameters, and he is hereby so authorized. The flexibility and authority provided under this Resolution shall

continue until Council determines that the current state of emergency has sufficiently abated that such additional measures are no longer necessary.

SECTION SEVEN: For the reasons stated above, this Resolution is declared to be an emergency measure. Provided it receives the affirmative votes of six (6) or more members of Council, this Resolution shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval of the Mayor. Otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: _____, 2020

ATTEST:

SUSAN CULBERTSON
Clerk of Council

DANIEL M. VINCENT
President of Council

APPROVED: _____, 2020

DONALD MASON, MAYOR

This Legislation Approved As To Form:



LAW DIRECTOR'S OFFICE

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-48

**A RESOLUTION DECLARING THE CITY OF ZANESVILLE'S
SUPPORT FOR THE 2021 ZANE TRACE COMMEMORATION.
JUNE 18-20, 2021**

WHEREAS, it is the opinion of the Mayor and this Council, the Zane Trace Commemoration was beneficial to commerce, in and around the City, and served to promote the reputation of the City among people near and far; and

WHEREAS, the Zane Trace Commemoration honored the historical significance of the City of Zanesville and surrounding areas; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council of the City of Zanesville wishes to commend the proper officials and organizations who wish to undertake this endeavor; and

WHEREAS, the past Zane Trace Commemorations have been especially successful and well managed.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Zanesville, State of Ohio, that:

SECTION ONE: The Zane Trace Commemoration as proposed by the Friends of Putnam and its organizers are hereby given the support of the Mayor and the Council of the City of Zanesville, Ohio.

SECTION TWO: The Mayor is hereby authorized to organize and plan the 2021 event on behalf of the City.

SECTION THREE: This resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.