

COMMON COUNCIL

Regular Meeting

March 3, 2014

The regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Shelbyville, Indiana, was held in the Common Council Chambers of City Hall on Monday, March 3, 2014, at 7:00 P.M. Councilman Brown opened with the Pledge of Allegiance, and Councilman Hamilton followed with a prayer. Councilman Nolley was absent, coaching his last swim meet of the season, and Mayor DeBaun presided.

Councilman Asher moved to approve the minutes of the previous meeting, February 17, 2014, and Councilman Brown seconded. There was no public comment. The motion was carried on a 6-0 voice vote.

Under miscellaneous business, concerning the City Financial Reports for January, Councilman Hamilton moved to approve them, and Councilman Asher seconded. There being no discussion, the motion was carried on a 6-0 voice vote.

Under old business, on Ordinance No. 14-2734, amending Chapter 35 of the City Code of Ordinances concerning special entitlements of health benefits for qualifying public safety and non-safety retirees, Councilman Brown moved to approve this on second and final reading, and Councilman Asher seconded. Mayor DeBaun gave a description of the Ordinance to the high school students in attendance. Councilman Asher said this will be changed on the Police and Fire contracts beginning next year. There being no further discussion, the motion was carried on a 6-0 voice vote.

Under new business, on Resolution No. 2014-6, a transfer of funds totaling \$20,000.00 was requested by the Engineering Department. Councilman Fero moved to approve the request, and Councilman Hamilton seconded. The money is being transferred to cover consultant fees since the City's Engineer moved to Texas in January. There being no further discussion, the motion was carried on a 6-0 voice vote.

On the Uniform Conflict of Interest Disclosure Statements filed by William Marcum and Shane Scott, Councilman Brown moved that it be approved, and Councilman Hamilton seconded. The motion was carried on a 6-0 voice vote.

Under comments or requests from citizens, Mayor DeBaun asked each of the four students to stand, identify themselves, and state why they were in attendance. They were from Shelbyville High School, and Mr. Bradburn was their teacher. Mr. Hamilton asked the students to stay after the meeting so he could hand them copies of the Constitution, which they might find handy.

Under miscellaneous business, Mayor DeBaun said March is Disability Awareness Month, and Friday afternoon Mayor DeBaun will be reading a Proclamation at Shares, Inc. Today, Mayor DeBaun helped kick off the Proclamation for Read Across America Day, and Cat In the Hat was here to help with cake and a ribbon cutting ceremony on the front steps of City Hall. Tomorrow is the annual kickoff breakfast in giving from the heart day for SCUFFY. On a final note, Mayor DeBaun said the City of Shelbyville received a notification from Congressman Luke Messer congratulating the City for receiving a grant on the Trails Project. The Mayor said the City received a Certificate of Special Congressional Recognition for improving the quality of life in the City of Shelbyville. He said it would be displayed proudly.

There being no further business, Councilman Brown moved to adjourn, and Councilman Hamilton seconded.

Thomas D. DeBaun
Mayor

ATTEST:

Frank M. Zerr, Clerk-Treasurer

