

CITY OF LAWRENCE
Common Council
May 18, 2022
Regular Meeting

MEMBERS PRESENT: Lisa Chavis, Shawn Denney, Tom Shevlot, William Tyrrell Giles, Sherron Freeman, Deborah Whitfield, Rick Wells, and Maria Rusomaroff

MEMBERS BY ZOOM: None

MEMBERS ABSENT: Lauren Russel

ALSO BY ZOOM: None

ALSO PRESENT: Clerk Kathleen Walton, Attorney Jacob Antrim (Bose McKinney & Evans LLP)

STAFF PRESENT: Controller Douthit, Deputy Controller Nagila, Chief of Staff Hofmann, Fire Chief Batalis, and Deputy Fire Chief Wallace,

STAFF BY ZOOM: None

Council President Lisa Chavis called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. and announced a quorum was present.

COMMENTS OF COUNCIL MEMBERS: Councilor Freeman thanked DPW for fixing the lights at 56th Street and Franklin Road. Councilor Rusomaroff thanked DPW and the Street Department for clearing out the brush along the 56th Street bridge just east of German Church Road.

APPROVAL OF VOUCHERS 5-18-22: Councilor Wells moved to approve Payroll Claims for \$1,006,342.80 [April 30, 2022, 2022, payroll], Payroll Claims for \$962,546.89 [May 15, 2022, 2022, payroll], and Invoices [for vendors] as presented today [for \$1,015,887.52]. Councilor Giles seconded the motion. By a show of hands, the motion carried unanimously.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: Proposal No. 10, 2022, appropriating additional funds and amending the 2022 budget as approved by the Common Council with respect to the Stormwater Fund, was read only by title by Clerk Walton. Councilor Chavis said there will be a public hearing on Proposal No. 10, 2022 on June 6, 2022, at 6:30 p.m.

Proposal No. 11, 2022, appropriating additional funds and amending the 2022 budget with respect to the General Fund, was read only by title by Clerk Walton. Councilor Chavis said there will be a public hearing on Proposal No. 11, 2022 on June 6, 2022, at 6:30 p.m.

Resolution No. 9, 2022, approving the issuance of Storm Water Revenue Bonds of the City of Lawrence Storm Water Management District and matters related thereto, was read only by title by Clerk Walton. Following discussion, Councilor Chavis said Resolution No. 9, 2022 has been given more time in the Administration, Budget, and Finance Committee. The committee will meet on June 6, 2022, at 5 p.m.

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NEW BUSINESS: Proposal No. 13, 2022, amending the 2022 civil salary ordinance, was introduced and read only by title by Clerk Walton. Councilor Chavis assigned Proposal No. 13, 2022 to the Administration, Budget, and Finance Committee.

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business to come before the Council, the meeting was adjourned at 6:43 p.m., by the unanimous vote of the Council.

Lisa Chavis, President

Kathleen A. Walton, Clerk

These minutes are not intended to be verbatim. They are a summary of discussions held, except for the motions.