



PORTSMOUTH CITY COUNCIL

Regular Session

- A G E N D A -

*Being Held at Shawnee State University
Ballroom*

728 2nd Street
Portsmouth, Ohio 45662
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Diana Ratliff
City Clerk
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Monday January 11, 2021

6:00 p.m.

City Council

1. Call to Order by Mayor Kevin E. Johnson
 2. Invocation - Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
 3. Roll Call
 4. Reading and disposing of the Journal - Regular Session of December 28, 2020
 5. Public Hearing – None Scheduled
 6. Statements or remarks of citizens present in Council Chambers on items on the Agenda.
NOTE: All citizens who wish to express themselves in Council Meetings shall do so with dignity, shall avoid personal references and shall **adhere to the question on hand. Citizens that are speaking are requested to state their name and address for the record and there is a 5 minutes time limit.**
 7. **LEGISLATION – THIRD READING**
 - a) An Ordinance to make appropriation for the current expenses and other expenditures of the City of Portsmouth, Ohio beginning January 1, 2021 and ending December 31, 2021, as provided for in Section 49 of the Charter of the City of Portsmouth, Ohio. **CM-20-81**
 - b) An Ordinance authorizing the appropriation of a total of \$100,000 from General Fund No. 101 to cover the costs of the zoning ordinance update. **CM-20-83**
- LEGISLATION – FIRST READING**
- c) An Ordinance authorizing the appropriation in the amount of \$98,769.00 from Sewer Fund Number 621 for the repair of a sewer that needs replaced in the area of Union Street between Front and Second Street. Pursuant to Council Rule 5, this legislation is requested to be passed as an emergency in accordance with Section 10 of the Charter for the City of Portsmouth in order to facilitate administration, daily operation and avoid practical and legal entanglements. **CM-20-89**
 - d) An Ordinance authorizing an additional appropriation of \$40,040.00 from Capital Improvement Fund No. 301 to be paid from ODOT Transportation-Multipath Line-Item No. 301.661.5507 to cover the additional cost for payment to the Ohio Department of Transportation for the City of Portsmouth’s Riverfront Multi-Use Path. Pursuant to Council Rule 5, this legislation is requested to be passed as an emergency in accordance with Section 10 of the Charter for the City of Portsmouth in order to facilitate administration, daily operation and avoid practical and legal entanglements. **CM-20-90**

e) An Ordinance authorizing the City Service Director to enter into a lease agreement with WATCH ME GROW OHIO for the purpose of utilizing the flood wall adjacent to the campground and restroom facilities for artwork/enhancements and to repeal Ordinance No. 64 of 2020. CM-20-91

8. Statements or remarks of citizens present in Council Chambers on items **NOT** on the Agenda. **NOTE:** All citizens who wish to express themselves in Council Meeting shall do so with dignity, shall avoid personal references and shall **adhere to the question on hand.** *Citizens that are speaking are requested to state their name and address for the record and there is a 5 minutes time limit.*

9. **Miscellaneous Business and Reports**
- a. City Clerk Ratliff’s Report
 - b. City Manager Sutherland’s Report
 - c. Mayor Johnson’s Report

- d. Solicitor Haas’ Report
- e. Auditor William’s Report

Miscellaneous business from City Council:

Sean Dunne	1 st Ward	Charlotte Gordon	2 nd Ward
Kevin E. Johnson	3 rd Ward	Lyvette Mosley	4 th Ward
Edwin Martell	5 th Ward	Dennis Packard	6 th Ward

10. Adjournment