

MINUTES OF REGULAR ROMULUS CITY COUNCIL MEETING

February 04, 2019

Romulus City Hall Council Chambers, 11111 Wayne Rd. Romulus, MI 48174

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Mayor Pro Tem John Barden.

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call: Kathy Abdo, John Barden, Celeste Roscoe, Tina Talley, William Wadsworth, Eva Webb, Virginia Williams.

Administrative Officials in Attendance:

LeRoy D. Burcroff, Mayor

Ellen L. Craig-Bragg, Clerk

Stacy Paige, Treasurer

1. Moved by **Abdo**, seconded by **Talley** to accept the agenda as presented. **Motion Carried Unanimously.**

19-027 2A. Moved by **Abdo**, seconded by **Roscoe** to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held on January 28, 2019. **Roll Call Vote: Ayes** – Abdo, Barden, Roscoe, Talley, Webb. **Nays** – None. **Abstain** – Wadsworth, Williams. **Motion Carried.**

3. Petitioner

4. Chairperson's Report

Councilwoman Talley gave a reminder of the 18th Annual Soul Food Dinner on Feb. 7, 2019 at 5:00 p.m at Romulus High School. Councilwoman Williams presented a resolution to Sharon Walker recognizing the award she received from the 13th Congressional District Democratic Party Organization for her commitment to the 13th District and the City of Romulus.

4. Moved by **Roscoe**, seconded by **Talley** to accept the Chairperson's Report. **Motion Carried Unanimously.**

5. Mayor's Report

Mayor Burcroff presented a video of upcoming City events.

6A. Clerk's Report

19-028 6A1. Moved by **Wadsworth**, seconded by **Webb** to concur with City Clerk, Ellen Craig-Bragg, to schedule the City-Wide Spring No-Fee Permit Yard Sale dates as follows: Thursday, May 16th thru Sunday, May 19, 2019, with rain dates: Thursday, May 23rd thru Sunday, May 26, 2019 **Motion Carried Unanimously.**

19-029 6A2. Moved by **Abdo**, seconded by **Roscoe** to grant a no-fee permit to Mr. Dean Bacheller, from Affordable Comfort Heating and Cooling in Allen Park, Michigan to install a furnace at 5987 Metro Street, Romulus. **Motion Carried Unanimously.**

6B. Treasurer's Report

City Treasurer, Stacy Paige, gave a reminder of the various ways to pay property taxes which are due on February 14th. They can be paid by mail, city hall drop box, credit card (over the counter), credit card (by phone), on-line, e-check. Wayne County Clerk, Cathy Garrett, performed the swearing-in ceremony for four of the Romulus School Board members: Judy Kennard, Edward Martell, Denisa Terrell, and Ursula Wester.

7. Public Comment

Gina Wilson-Steward, River Rouge, announced that the next meeting of the NAACP will be held on Feb. 11th at 7:00 p.m. at the Caroline Kennedy Library in Dearborn Heights; and, the March 11th meeting will be held in Garden City.

8. Unfinished Business

9. New Business

Councilwoman Williams announced that Lavora Barnes was elected as the first woman party chair at the Michigan Democratic Convention.

10. Communication

Councilwoman Talley gave a thank you to those who have been praying for her father, Deacon Talley, during his surgery which took place earlier today. Councilman Wadsworth spoke about the new concrete being laid in the Oakbrook Subdivision. Mayor Pro-Tem Barden complimented the DPW workers on the fine job they did plowing the roads.

11. Moved by **Wadsworth**, seconded by **Roscoe** to adjourn the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council. **Motion Carried Unanimously.**

I, Ellen L. Craig-Bragg, Clerk for the City of Romulus, Michigan do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held on February 4, 2019.