

**MINUTES OF THE REGULAR ROMULUS CITY COUNCIL MEETING  
July 26, 2021**

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

The meeting was called to order at 7:34 p.m by Mayor Pro-Tem John Barden

**Pledge of Allegiance**

**Roll Call**

**Present:** Kathy Abdo, John Barden, Celeste Roscoe, Tina Talley, William Wadsworth, Eva Webb

**Absent / Excused:** Virginia Williams

**Administrative Officials in Attendance:**

Julie Wojtylko, Chief of Staff

Ellen L. Craig-Bragg, Clerk

Stacy Paige, Treasurer

**Administrative Staff in Attendance:**

D'Sjonaun Hockenhull - Deputy Clerk; Stephen Hitchcock - City Attorney; Kevin Krause - Director of Fire & Emergency Services; Roger Kadau - Co-Director of Cable

**1. Agenda**

A. Moved by **Tina Talley**, seconded by **Eva Webb** to accept the agenda as presented.

**Motion Carried Unanimously**

**2. Minutes**

A. **Res. #21-204** Moved by **William Wadsworth**, seconded by **Kathy Abdo** to approve the minutes from the regular meeting held on Monday, July 12, 2021, at 7:30 p.m. Roll Call Vote: Ayes - Abdo, Roscoe, Talley, Wadsworth, Webb Abstain: Barden **Motion Carried**

**3. Petitioner - None**

**4. Chairperson's Report, John Barden, Mayor Pro-Tem**

**Res. #21-205** Moved by **Celeste Roscoe**, seconded by **William Wadsworth** to adopt a memorial resolution for the family of Gerald Lee "Buck" Carney. **Motion Carried Unanimously**

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

**5. Mayor's Report - LeRoy D. Burcroff, Mayor**

Presented by Chief of Staff Julie Wojtylko.

A. **Res. #21-206** Moved by **Kathy Abdo**, seconded by **Eva Webb** to concur with the administration and authorize a no-fee permit for road closures for the Romulus Community Baptist Church (6200 Fourth Street) annual picnic on August 28, 2021. Subject streets include Boise walkway and Colorado Street from Fourth Street to the church property line. **Motion Carried Unanimously**

B. **Res. #21-207** Moved by **Eva Webb**, seconded by **Tina Talley** to concur with the administration and consent to Piggyback on the Florida Sheriffs Association Contract FSA20-VEF14.01 with Excellence Inc., for the purchase of a 2021 Ford E-450 Ambulance Demo in the amount of \$217,740.18.

**Motion Carried Unanimously**

C. **Res. #21-208** Moved by **William Wadsworth**, seconded by **Celeste Roscoe** to concur with the administration and introduce budget amendment 21/22-3 to recognize the funds being received from the Companion Animal Welfare Fund Grant and the associated expenditures.

<u>FUND/DEPT.</u> <u>ACCOUNT NO.</u>	<u>ACCOUNT</u> <u>NAME</u>	<u>ORIGINAL</u> <u>BUDGET</u>	<u>AMENDMENT</u>	<u>AMENDED</u> <u>BUDGET</u>
<u>Animal Control</u> <u>Revenue</u>				
101-430-530.000-CAWF21	Companion Animal Welfare Fund	\$-	\$ 4,376.00	\$ 4,376.00
<u>Expense</u>				
101-430-730.000-CAWF21	Operating Supplies	\$-	\$500.00	\$500.00
101-430-960.000-CAWF22	Operating Supplies	\$-	\$3,376.00	\$3,376.00
101-430-880.000-CAWF23	Operating Supplies	\$-	\$500.00	\$500.00

**Motion Carried Unanimously**

**6. Clerk's Report - Ellen L. Craig-Bragg, Clerk**

A. **Res. #21-209** Moved by **Eva Webb**, seconded by **Tina Talley** to approve the Second Reading and Final Adoption of Budget Amendment 21/22-1 Motor Vehicle Public Safety in the amount of \$217,740.00. **Motion Carried Unanimously**

B. **FOR YOUR INFORMATION: MML Annual Meeting Notice "No action needed"**

**7. Treasurer's Report - Stacy Paige, Treasurer**

**8. Public Comment** - Please see Clerk's Office for complete copy of the minutes.

**9. Unfinished Business**

**10. New Business** - Please see Clerk's Office for complete copy of the minutes.

**11. Warrant**

A. **Res. #21-210** Moved by **Kathy Abdo**, seconded by **Tina Talley** to approve Warrant #: 21-14 Checks presented in the amount of \$2,213,842.57 **Motion Carried Unanimously**


**12. Communication** - Please see Clerk's Office for complete copy of the minutes.

**13. Adjournment**

Moved by **William Wadsworth**, seconded by **Celeste Roscoe** to adjourn the meeting at 8:08 p.m.

**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 July 26, 2021.

  
Ellen L. Craig-Bragg, City Clerk  
City of Romulus, Michigan