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MAYOR

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CITY CLERK

MINUTES
BERWYN CITY COUNCIL
MAY 23, 2006

1. The regular meeting of the Berwyn City Council was called to order at 8:15 p.m. with Mayor O'Connor presiding. Upon the call of the roll the following responded present: Chapman, Ramos, Weiner, Skryd, Brocato, Phelan, Lovero, Erickson. Absent: none.
2. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited and the Mayor called for a moment of silence for armed forces and for the safety of our firefighters and police officers.
3. The Open Forum portion of the meeting was announced. Bill Waterbury, 6449 W. 27th St., read a letter regarding an incident involving a Berwyn Police Officer, and submitted a copy to the Clerk for the records.
4. The minutes of the City Council meeting held on May 9, 2006, the Committee of the Whole held on May 2, 2006 and May 9, 2006 were submitted. Brocato made a motion, seconded by Skryd, to approve as submitted. The motion carried by the following roll call: Yeas: Chapman, Ramos, Weiner, Skryd, Brocato, Phelan, Lovero, Erickson. Nays: none.
5. Chapman made a motion, seconded by Ramos, to suspend the rules and bring forth Item E-5. The Mayor submitted a communication regarding 1523 S. Clarence. After discussion, Phelan made a motion, seconded by Lovero, to override the decision of the Zoning Board of Appeals, and approve the request. Thereafter, Phelan amended his motion to approve the request and refer the matter to the Law Department for drafting of an Ordinance, Brocato seconded the motion. The motion carried by the following roll call: Yeas: Chapman, Brocato, Phelan, Lovero, Erickson. Nays: Ramos, Weiner, Skryd.
6. The Mayor submitted a Proclamation declaring Tuesday, May 23, 2006, as a day of recognition for Senator Martin A. Sandoval. Thereafter, Skryd made a motion, seconded by Chapman, to concur, and Adopt the Proclamation as presented. The motion carried by a voice vote.
7. The Mayor submitted a communication regarding the Ordinance for Limiting the Time and Frequency of Meetings. Ramos made a motion, seconded by Chapman, to waive reading. After discussion, Ramos

made a motion, seconded by Erickson, to refer to the Administration Committee. The motion carried by a voice vote, with Weiner and Skryd voicing condescending nays.

8. The Mayor submitted an Ordinance entitled:

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 484.05 FOR THE RESERVATION OF STREET PARKING FOR HANDICAPPED PERSONS IN THE CITY OF BERWYN.

Thereafter, Weiner made a motion, seconded by Ramos, to Adopt the Ordinance as amended, and authorize the corporate authorities to affix their signatures thereto. The motion carried by the following roll call:
Yeas: Chapman, Ramos, Weiner, Skryd, Brocato, Lovero, Erickson.
Nays: Phelan.

9. The Mayor submitted a communication regarding Towing for the City of Berwyn. Skryd made a motion, seconded by Chapman, to refer to the Fire and Police Committee. The motion carried by a voice vote.
10. The Mayor submitted Item number E-6, an invitation for the Mayor to Mexico. Ramos made a motion, seconded by Skryd, to withdraw the Item. The motion carried by a voice vote with Phelan and Erickson voicing condescending nays.
11. Clerk Pavlik submitted a communication regarding appointments for Dollars for Scholars Committee. Thereafter, Skryd made a motion, seconded by Weiner, to waive reading, and defer for 2 weeks. Thereafter, the Mayor called for a voice vote and declared the motion carried with several condescending nays. Thereafter, Lovero requested that a roll call vote be taken. The motion failed upon the call to roll: Yeas: Weiner, Skryd. Nays: Chapman, Ramos, Brocato, Phelan, Lovero, Erickson. After discussion, Lovero made a motion, seconded by Erickson, to concur in the recommendation. Thereafter, the Mayor requested the matter also be referred to the Mayor's office. The motion to concur and refer the matter to the Mayor's office carried by a unanimous roll call vote.
12. The Clerk submitted a communication regarding Memorial Day services. After discussion, Skryd made a motion, seconded by Ramos, to concur, and refer the matter to Public Works and the Police Department for implementation.
13. A deferred communication from the Ordinance and Resolutions committee regarding the amendment of chapter 484.04, "Visitor Parking Permits". Erickson made a motion, seconded by Ramos, to

refer the matter back to the Ordinance and Resolutions committee. The motion carried by a voice vote.

14. A deferred communication from the Ordinance and Resolutions committee regarding, Motor Vehicle noise and an amendment to chapter 666. After discussion, Lovero made a motion, seconded by Ramos, to approve, section (I), in accordance with the request from the Building Director. The motion carried by the following roll call: Yeas: Chapman, Ramos, Skryd, Brocato, Lovero. Nays: Weiner, Phelan, Erickson. Thereafter, Lovero made a motion, seconded by Erickson, to concur with the Vehicle ordinance as amended and to refer to the Law Department. The motion carried by a unanimous roll call vote.
15. The Ordinance and Resolutions committee submitted a communication regarding the removal of items from the Referral list. Lovero made a motion, seconded by Skryd, to concur in the recommendation. The motion carried by a voice vote.
16. The Ordinance and Resolutions committee submitted an ordinance entitled:

ORDINANCE AMENDING THE ADMINISTRATION CODE OF THE CITY OF BERWYN REGARDING SECTION 210.10, RULES OF COUNCIL

Lovero made a motion, seconded by Erickson, to Adopt the ordinance as presented, and authorize the corporate authorities, to affix their signatures thereto. The motion carried by a unanimous roll call vote.

17. The Public Works committee submitted a communication regarding the bids for the 2006 C.D.B.G. alleys improvements program, with the recommendation to accept the lowest bidder, Brothers Asphalt Paving, Inc. in the amount of \$312,695. Thereafter, Brocato made a motion, seconded by Skryd, to concur. The motion carried by a unanimous roll call vote.
18. The Education committee submitted a communication regarding cooperation with Districts No. 98, 100, and 201, with regards to overcrowding. Ramos made a motion, seconded by Skryd, to concur and approve as amended and accept the matter as informational. The motion carried by a voice vote.
19. The Budget committee submitted the payroll report for May 17, 2006, in the total amount of \$820,194.22. Chapman made a motion, seconded by Skryd, to concur in the recommendation, and approve for

payment. The motion carried by the following roll call: Yeas: Chapman, Ramos, Weiner, Skryd, Brocato, Lovero. Nays: Phelan, Erickson.

20. The Budget committee submitted the payables report for May 23, 2006, in the total amount of \$1,850,774.06. Thereafter, Chapman made a motion, seconded by Ramos, to concur in the recommendation, and approve for payment. . The motion carried by the following roll call: Yeas: Chapman, Ramos, Weiner, Skryd, Brocato, Phelan, Lovero, Erickson. Nays: none.
21. The Tree Board submitted a communication regarding the tree located at 6948 W. 29th Place, with the recommendation, that the tree in question, not be removed. Weiner made a motion, seconded by Skryd, to concur. The motion carried by a voice vote.
22. The Collector submitted a communication regarding Youth in Crisis Conditional Use Zoning for 6412 W. 27th Street. After discussion, Skryd made a motion, seconded by Chapman, to concur in the recommendation and approve for Conditional Use. The motion carried by a unanimous roll call vote.
23. The Human Resource Director submitted a communication regarding Kronos Automated Timekeeping System. Skryd made a motion, to concur and approve as submitted. After discussion, the motion was withdrawn. Brocato made a motion, seconded by Erickson, to refer the matter to the Committee of the Whole. The motion carried by a voice vote, with Weiner and Phelan voicing condescending nays.
24. Police Chief Kushner submitted a communication requesting permission to begin advertising for Lateral entry police officers(4). Chapman made a motion, seconded by Ramos, to waive reading and defer. After discussion, Chapman made a motion, seconded by Ramos, to withdraw the motion to defer. The motion carried by a voice vote. Thereafter, Brocato made a motion, seconded by Ramos, to refer the matter to the Committee of the Whole. The motion carried by a voice vote.
25. Fire Chief Kalivoda submitted a communication regarding Public Access AED program. Skryd made a motion, seconded by Brocato, to waive reading and refer to the Budget committee. The motion carried by a voice vote.
26. Fire Chief Kalivoda submitted a communication with regards to the Proposed fees for Annual Inspections. After discussion, Skryd made a

motion, seconded by Weiner, to refer to the Committee of the Whole. The motion carried by a voice vote.

27. The Public Works department submitted a communication regarding removal of items from the Referral list. Brocato made a motion, seconded by Chapman, to concur. The motion carried by a voice vote.
28. The Finance Director submitted a communication regarding the Utility tax exemption. After discussion, Chapman made a motion, seconded by Skryd, to waive reading, and refer to the Committee of the Whole. The motion carried by a voice vote.
29. The Consent Agenda items K-1 through K-3 were submitted.

K-1 Block party – 2300 & 2400 Grove Ave.-July 8, 2006

K-2 Block party - 1900 Harvey Ave. – July 2, 2006

K-3 Block party – 2400 Gunderson Ave. – June 24, 2006

Ramos made a motion, seconded by Skryd, to approve as submitted and accept the matter as informational. The motion carried by a voice vote.

30. The Mayor called a meeting for the Committee of the Whole on Tuesday, June 13, 2006 @ 6:00 p.m. Thereafter, the Mayor requested to hold an additional Committee of the Whole for Tuesday, June, 6, 2006 @ 6:30 p.m. for referrals. Weiner made a motion, seconded by Skryd, to approve. The motion carried by the following roll call: Yeas: Chapman, Ramos, Weiner, Skryd, Brocato, Phelan, Lovero. Nays: Erickson.
31. Alderman Erickson called a meeting for the Administration committee for Monday, June 12, 2006 @ 6:00 p.m. for referrals.
32. Alderman Skryd called a meeting for the Building, Zoning, Planning committee for Thursday, June 1, 2006 @ 7:00 p.m. for referrals.
33. Alderman Weiner called a meeting for the Fire and Police committee for Thursday, June 8, 2006 @ 7:00 p.m. for referrals.
34. Alderman Ramos called a meeting for the Education committee for Tuesday, June 27, 2006 @ 6:00 p.m. for referrals.
35. Alderman Chapman called a meeting for the Budget committee for Thursday, June 1, 2006 @ 6:00 p.m. for referrals.

36. There being no further business to come before the meeting, same was, after a motion by Ramos, seconded by Skryd adjourned at the hour of 9:05 by roll call vote.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas J. Pavlik
City Clerk