COUNCIL

Wilmington City Council met in regular session on Thursday, May 7, 2015, at 7:30 p.m. with President Cindy Peterson presiding.

Call to Order

Roll Call: Jaehnig, present; Spicer, present; Stuckert, absent; Mead, present; Miller, present; Milburn, present; McKay, present.

Chief Weyand was also present.

A motion was made by Mead and seconded by Spicer to excuse the absent member (Stuckert). Motion passed. Absent member excused.

<u>Pledge of Allegiance</u> Council gave the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

Moment of silence observed

President of Council

A motion was made by Miller and seconded by McKay to approve the minutes of the last regular meeting, April 16, as presented. Motion passed. Minutes approved as presented.

President Peterson announced the Notice of Public Hearing on the rezoning petition of For the Love of Ink regarding a certain tract or parcel of land located at 260 W. Locust Street in the City of Wilmington from PO Professional Office to B1(a) Neighborhood Business. The hearing will be on Thursday, June 18, 2015, at 7:30 p.m. in Council Chambers.

<u>Mayor</u> - Mayor Riley – Today is the National Day of Prayer. I just want to remind everyone that you haven't done all you can do until you've said a prayer for whatever it is your doing.

Representatives from the VFW presented an American flag and a POW/MIA flag to the City of Wilmington for use at Sugar Grove Cemetery. Mayor Riley assured them the City would get the hardware needed and the flag will be flying by Memorial Day.

Mayor Riley presented a proclamation announcing May to be Lupus Awareness Month.

WHEREAS, lupus is a chronic autoimmune disease in which the immune system is unbalanced, causing inflammation and tissue damage to virtually every organ system in the body, including the skin, lungs, heart, kidneys, and brain; and

WHEREAS, estimates indicate that more than 1.5 million Americans have lupus. More than 16,000 new cases of lupus are reported annually across the country; and

WHEREAS, many physicians worldwide are unaware of symptoms and health effects of lupus, causing people with lupus to suffer for many years before they obtain a correct diagnosis and medical treatment; and

WHEREAS, there is a deep, unmet need worldwide to educate and support individuals and families affected by lupus, and there is an urgent need to increase awareness in communities worldwide of the debilitating impact of lupus; and WHEREAS, in order to increase awareness, May 10, 2015, has been designated World Lupus Day.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RANDY RILEY, Mayor of the City of Wilmington, Ohio, hereby designate the entire month of May 2015 to be LUPUS AWARENESS MONTH throughout the City of Wilmington, and ask that all citizens show their support to our fellow citizens who suffer from this devastating disease.

Mayor Riley – The City of Wilmington has received recognition for safety from the Highland Fayette Clinton (HFC) Safety Council. This is sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce. We have decreased our incidence claims by more than 25% this year. It helps reduce our costs at the city. I would like to express my appreciation to all of the employees of the City of Wilmington and especially to Danny Mongold who keeps track of all of this and really takes safety in the workplace very seriously. This award will be hanging in the City building.

Mayor Riley – The Wilmington City Schools will offer their summer free lunch program. This is from June 1 through August 14, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and is for anyone who is 18 years and under. You do not have to be enrolled as a Wilmington City School student. You don't have to currently participate in reduced or free lunches. Lunch has to be consumed on site. Adults can participate for the cost of \$3 per meal. My hat is off to the school board and the school administration. If you have questions, call Wilmington City Schools.

Paul Hunter – They averaged 60 meals a day last summer.

<u>Auditor</u> - Auditor David Hollingsworth had no report.

Asset, Acquisition and Use. - Chairperson Mead had no report.

<u>Water Committee</u> - Chairperson McKay – We have an ordinance that has to do with \$2.5 million dollars of refinancing water-related notes.

Auditor David Hollingsworth – We have a water bond issue that is currently outstanding. It is a 2005 issue that we can refund this year. There are five years left on the existing bond issue. The interest rate on that issue ranges 3.75 to 4.0 or 4.25.

Scott Stubbins, Bond Underwriter – The average is 4.15.

Auditor David Hollingsworth – So we can go out on the market and refund those bonds at a lot lower interest rate in today's environment.

Councilman McKay – This has been discussed in water committee, but we need to move forward tonight on the ordinance.

Scott Stubbins – We have the 2005 water bonds. Just like you would do a home refinancing, on June 15 you have the opportunity to refund these bonds – essentially take them out. Right now, they have a 4.15 rate. Current market rates are much lower, and you have the opportunity to refinance them and get a new lower rate and make interest savings going forward. The unique aspect of this transaction is it was a water bond initially. What we are looking to do, though, is transition it to a general obligation note. This is for a couple of reasons, one being that the original indenture in which the water bond was issued was written back in the late 1980s and is a little outdated. It has some provisions in it that are a little stringent for what the City would like to do. By moving it to general obligation, it gives the city more flexibility. Additionally, the thought was that we move it to a note, because in addition to the 2005 bonds, there are some 2007 bonds that are outstanding that are also water bonds that come due for their call option in 2017. So, the idea being that we take these bonds out with a note and then we roll that note once next year and then roll it again and we will hit 2017 when the other bonds come due. At that point, you will have the opportunity to combine them together and do a

larger issue and completely rewrite the water indenture or keep it as a general obligation. In general, you are going to save a lot of money over that period of time because you will be borrowing at the one-year rate instead of borrowing at a five-year rate. So, essentially, instead of getting a five-year mortgage, you going are to end up getting a one-year, adjustable rate every year until you get to 2017. It offers great flexibility. Interest rates are incredibly low, potentially on the short end right now, so we are anticipating the rate being very good. We are hoping to save on these 2005 bonds about \$200,000 over the life of the issue, so it is a pretty significant amount.

Councilman McKay asked for other discussion.

President Peterson – Since this is a short-term obligation, how much flexibility or how nimble can we be if we need to lock in a lower rate if rates begin to go up.

Scott Stubbins – You can refinance these notes 30 days ahead of time when it comes time for them to mature. Essentially, you would have the opportunity again in June of next year. So, in between that period of time, you will not be able to redo it again. You have to wait a year. The benefit of locking in the low rate today is that interest rates can move up 70 basis points or 0.7 percent over this next year and you would be indifferent. Essentially, you would have to have a pretty big move in order for it not to make sense. I think the general intention is with the interest savings, you can also pay off the interest a little bit faster, which only makes it more economical.

Paul Hunter – For general obligation means we are not going to use the water revenue to support it, but we will use tax revenue to pay it? I don't understand what general obligation means.

Scott Stubbins – General obligation is talking about the pledge on the issue. Essentially, you will be pledging the full faith and credit of the City, but the intention is to use the water revenues that are currently paying the bonds to make the payment. So, the payment coming from the water doesn't change, it's just the pledge. In this case, it is what we call a self-supporting general obligation.

Paul Hunter – So, we don't have to meet the water revenue standards...the 1.1...anymore?

Scott Stubbins – You would still need to do it on the '07 issue.

A motion was made by McKay and seconded by Miller to give the first reading only on the ordinance Providing for the Issuance and Sale of Notes in the Maximum Aggregate Principal Amount of \$2,500,000, in Anticipation of the Issuance of Bonds, for the Purpose of Refunding at a Lower Rate of Interest a Portion of the Outstanding First Mortgage Waterworks System Refunding Revenue Bonds, 2005 Series, of the City, Heretofore Issued to Pay Part of the Costs of Refunding the City's Then Outstanding First Mortgage Waterworks System Revenue Bonds, Dated July 1, 1996, and Paying Related Lawful Costs; Authorizing a Purchase Agreement and a Registrar Agreement; Authorizing the Call for Optional Redemption of the Bonds to be Refunded, and Declaring an Emergency.

President called for vote.

Motion passed. All yeas.

Director of Law read ordinance by title only.

A motion was made by McKay and seconded by Jaehnig to suspend the rules and give the second and third reading on the ordinance by title only.

Roll call: Jaehnig, yes; Spicer, yes; Mead, yes; Miller, yes; Milburn, yes; McKay, yes. Director of Law read the ordinance by title only.

A motion was made by McKay and seconded by Milburn to pass the ordinance as read. Roll call: Spicer, yes; Mead, yes; Miller, yes; Milburn, yes; McKay, yes; Jaehnig, yes. Motion passed.

President of Council declared Ord. No. 5222 passed as read.

<u>Streets Committee</u> - Chairperson McKay introduced legislation authorizing the Service Director to advertise for bids for the paving of streets in the City of Wilmington. All

councilmembers have a list at their place. Denny, are we anticipating using the total amount of money that we have set aside.

Denny Gherman – If anything comes in under that bid, the rest of the money we would like to use to do some crack sealing on the streets that were done four or five years ago.

Councilwoman Miller – Are the bids coming in under? The legislation authorizes entering into a contract and I would not want to do that unless we knew the money was in place.

Mayor Riley – The city would be entering into contract after the bid opening and that would be after Board of Control reviewed the bids and made sure everything was in order and prices were all right.

Councilwoman Milburn – This means we will do all eighteen?

Denny Gherman – If it comes in low enough.

Councilwoman Milburn – So if it is more than the \$500,000 we have allotted, then the Board of Control would not approve it. Correct?

Mayor Riley – We would have limits.

A motion was made by McKay and seconded by Mead to give the first reading only on a resolution Authorizing the Director of Public Services to Advertise for Bids and Enter into a Contract for the Repaying of Several Streets in the City of Wilmington and Declaring an Emergency.

President called for vote.

Motion passed. All yeas.

Director of Law read resolution by title only.

A motion was made by McKay and seconded by Mead to suspend the rules and give the second and third reading on the resolution by title only.

Roll call: Mead, yes; Miller, yes; Milburn, yes; McKay, yes; Jaehnig, yes; Spicer, yes. Director of Law read the resolution by title only.

A motion was made by McKay and seconded by Mead to pass the resolution as read. Roll call: Mead, yes; Miller yes; Milburn, yes; McKay, yes; Jaehnig, yes; Spicer, yes. Motion passed.

President of Council declared Res. No. 2412 passed as read.

<u>Solid Waste/Recycling</u> - Chairperson Jaehnig – We will be setting a Solid Waste meeting in the very near future. We have a proposal that has been diligently put together by the Director of the Landfill on a proposed move forward that will allow us to move forward without selling the landfill, without leasing out the landfill, and maintaining it on our own and extending the life and do it within the funds that are being generated. We will be discussing that.

Wastewater/Sewer Committee - Chairperson Milburn had no report.

<u>Judiciary Committee</u> - Chairperson Jaehnig introduced the second reading on legislation adopting the Wilmington Comprehensive Plan. It has been since the mid-70s that we have done this. Taylor Stuckert did a fantastic job on putting this together. This will be a guide on moving forward.

A motion was made by Jaehnig and seconded by Milburn to give the seconded reading only on a resolution Adopting the Wilmington Comprehensive Plan. President called for vote. Motion passed. All yeas. Director of Law read resolution by title only.

Jaehnig requested that the third reading be on the Agenda for the next meeting.

<u>Safety Committee</u> - Chairperson Spicer introduced the second reading authorizing the mayor to submit an application for a Safety Intervention Grant for a cot and stair chair to help the EMS personnel.

A motion was made by Spicer and seconded by Mead to give the second reading only on a resolution Authorizing the Mayor to Submit an Application for a Safety Intervention Grant of up to \$40,000.00 for a Cot and Stair Chair from the Ohio Bureau of Workers Compensation and Declaring an Emergency.

President called for vote.

Motion passed. All yeas.

Director of Law read resolution by title only.

Spicer requested that the third reading be on the Agenda for the next meeting.

<u>Finance Committee</u> - Chairperson Miller introduced legislation making miscellaneous transfers: From Program Expense to Benefit Insurance, \$5,402.70, for an employee's insurance coverage.

A motion was made by Miller and seconded by McKay to give the first reading only on the ordinance Making Miscellaneous Transfers.

President called for vote.

Motion passed. All yeas.

Director of Law read ordinance by title only.

A motion was made by Miller and seconded by McKay to suspend the rules and give the second and third reading on the ordinance by title only.

Roll call: Miller, yes; Milburn, yes; McKay, yes; Jaehnig, yes; Spicer, yes; Mead, yes. Director of Law read the ordinance by title only.

A motion was made by Miller and seconded by McKay to pass the ordinance as read. Roll call: Milburn, yes; McKay, yes; Jaehnig, yes; Spicer, yes; Mead, yes; Miller, yes. Motion passed.

President of Council declared Ord. No. 5223 passed as read.

Councilwoman Miller introduced legislation making supplemental appropriations: From General Fund to Indigent Burial - \$750.00; From Waste Fund to Transfer to Bond Retirement - \$2,100.00; From Water Fund to Contractual Services - \$20,000.00; From General Fund to Auditor Capital Equipment - \$2,591.00.

Auditor David Hollingsworth explained that the auditor capital equipment was for a copier and it included a service agreement.

A motion was made by Miller and seconded by McKay to give the first reading only on the ordinance Supplemental Appropriations.

President called for vote.

Motion passed. All yeas.

Director of Law read ordinance by title only.

A motion was made by Miller and seconded by McKay to suspend the rules and give the second and third reading on the ordinance by title only.

Roll call: McKay, yes; Jaehnig, yes; Spicer, yes; Mead, yes; Miller, yes; Milburn, yes. Director of Law read the ordinance by title only.

A motion was made by Miller and seconded by McKay to pass the ordinance as read. Roll call: Jaehnig, yes; Spicer, yes; Mead, yes; Miller, yes; Milburn, yes; McKay, yes. Motion passed.

President of Council declared Ord. No. 5224 passed as read.

Councilwoman Miller said the final two items had to do with bonds and notes. These are renewals for Davids/Lowes and the Landfill. Davids Drive needs renewed for \$237,000. We are making the final payment for Lowes Drive, so we own it. With the landfill, we owed \$700,000. We're paying it down \$300,000. With this renewal we are hoping at getting a little less than 0.5 percent.

Auditor David Hollingsworth – I think we are using a rate of 0.4%.

A motion was made by Miller and seconded by McKay to give the first reading only on the ordinance Providing for the Issuance and Sale of Notes in the Aggregate Principal Amount of \$400,000, in Anticipation of the Issuance of Bonds, for the Purpose of Discharging at Maturity, Together with Other Lawfully Available Funds, Notes Heretofore Issued to Pay Part of the Cost of Constructing Additional Vertical Expansion to the City's Landfill Facility, and Paying Related Lawful Costs, and Declaring an Emergency. President called for vote.

Motion passed. All yeas.

Director of Law read ordinance by title only.

Miller requested that the second and third reading be on the Agenda for the next meeting.

Paul Hunter asked where the \$300,000 was coming from to pay down the landfill. Councilwoman Miller answered it was coming from the landfill. Auditor David Hollingsworth added that it would leave the city with about \$300,000 left in the landfill fund. Councilwoman Miller said that the mayor had a discussion with Braden who says he is confident with his operations that he can pay down \$300,000 and still operate effectively.

A motion was made by Miller and seconded by McKay to give the first reading only on the ordinance Providing for the Issuance and Sale of Notes in the Aggregate Principal Amount of \$237,000, in Anticipation of the Issuance of Bonds, for the Purpose of Discharging at Maturity, Together with Other Lawfully Available Funds, Notes Heretofore Issued to Pay Part of the Cost of Constructing Improvements to Davids Drive, and Paying Related Lawful Costs, and Declaring an Emergency. President called for vote. Motion passed. All yeas.

Director of Law read ordinance by title only.

Miller requested that the second and third reading be on the Agenda for the next meeting.

<u>Cemetery Committee</u> – Chairperson Mead – One of the past board members of the cemetery passed through the cemetery and made a comment that it looked very nice and is moving along well.

Mayor Riley – I would ask that you have a Cemetery Committee meeting so we can keep council updated on what is happening at Sugar Grove. It is all administrative stuff, but I want to keep council involved.

<u>Downtown Revitalization Committee</u> – Convener McKay – The Wine Walk is coming up and is completely sold out. Becca Muchmore has taken over the reins of Main Street. We can look forward to the Third Friday events coming up soon.

<u>Parks and Recreation Committee</u> – In the absence of Convener Stuckert, Councilwoman Milburn had no report.

<u>Service Director</u> – In the absence of Service Director Reinsmith, there was no report.

<u>Safety Director</u> – Safety Director Russ Burton had no report.

Reports

A motion was made by Jaehnig and seconded by Miller that the Income Tax Report – April 2015; Auditor-Treasurer Report – march 2015; and Hotel Lodging Tax Report – 1st Quarter 2015, be accepted as presented. Motion passed. Reports accepted as presented.

President Peterson opened the meeting up to the general public and/or members of council to address council while in session.

Mark Rembert – Today I am here on behalf of Energize Clinton County. EEC was founded in 2008. Since then, as an organization, we have been very involved in grassroots economic development. Most of our work is funded by philanthropy. This past year, we came across a grant program sponsored by Frontier, Dish Network, CoBank and the Weather Channel. The grant program is called America's Best Communities. Frontier and Dish are saying that America's Best Communities are rural communities, which we agree with wholeheartedly. The program is structured so a nonprofit organization representing each community is allowed to submit one application in the competition. Last fall, we went to the mayor and asked for a letter of support. There was a long wait. There were close to 300 communities across the country that submitted an application -- one per community. These are the best nonprofits from each of these communities across the country. The way the program works, they announced 50 communities across the country that will move to the quarterfinals. Wilmington was selected as one of those communities. We are very excited to share this with the city. It is recognition of the work of the entire community. One of the great things is we received a \$50,000 grant as quarterfinalists that we will be using to develop a community project. We have between now and November to do the planning for that project. After we submit, we may be selected for a semifinalist round in which we would receive \$100,000 to implement the project. Then, of those that get to implement their projects, they will select three grand prize winners. One will receive \$3,000,000, one will receive \$2,000,000, and one will receive \$1,000,000. It is an extremely exciting opportunity for the community and for Energize Clinton County. We are excited to be here to share it.

Mark Rembert – The grant prioritized projects that focused on economic development and supporting small businesses. Something that has been inspiring to us in thinking about the future of our community is looking back at the past of our community and recognizing that so much of our community's economic foundation was laid by manufacturing. So, companies like Champion Bridge Company, which is the oldest continually running business in Clinton County, Irwin Auger Bit, Farquhar Furnace, Ferno, Alkermes. Throughout history, manufacturers have been very important. Moving forward, many people, especially young people, don't get access to the kind of training to go into those fields. We see that as an important need and a great opportunity to get the community involved in dreaming up new ideas and turning those into new businesses. The project that we are working on developing is to create a Maker's space, which is kind of like a gym for tools. It will be a community center that will have equipment available for metalworking, woodworking, 3-D printing, and electronics, that someone could come in with an idea with varying levels of expertise and have the supports and tools they need to turn their idea into reality. It is a trend that is taking off across the country. It's not totally new, but the success is demonstrated. That is one of the reasons we think it is a great project. We think it will really serve the community in a lot of unique ways. We are very excited to have some funding to go through the planning process to put a project together that we can submit to the next round.

[Group photo taken with promotional banner]

Paul Hunter – 200 Randolph Street – What's the down side? Back in my working years, the 700-plane Air Force air refueling tanker fleet was running out of replacement parts for the very expensive and dangerous liquid oxygen system. Stepping outside of my regular duties, I took on the modification of this system as a personal project. Some may call it being a busybody. The solution was fairly straightforward. Replace the system with a simple, safer, less-expensive, off-the-shelf system. As you can imagine, there was considerable pushback from Air Command Headquarters in Omaha, Systems Command in Oklahoma City and various operating units throughout the country. Long story short – all resistance was dimmed when no one could offer a viable, workable alternative. There was no downside to the proposal. Therefore, they implemented the change and in the process it saved a quarter of a billion dollars in logistical costs. There is a local connection to this story. Jason Besser, a young airman at the time in Texas, his first job as a technician was to install the modifications. In 2005, Wilmington did not have a recycling program, curbside or otherwise. After convincing a skeptical administration that there was no downside and with the help with then-Councilmember Peterson, the

current program was established, resulting in tons of material being diverted from the landfill to be repurposed, thus saving finite resources and space. Three other initiatives stand out. Convincing the county and the City that electric aggregation was a win-win proposition with no downside. It saved the residents and government millions of dollars and continuing so far. Later, gas aggregation, is still a positive project. The cardboard recycling project is ongoing because there is no downside in moving on that program. There was no downside in investing a few thousand dollars to finally repair our leaky water pipes. The result of doing so will save millions over the next decade. The summer feeding program, after finally convincing them there is no downside, they went ahead with it. My current preoccupation is with gaining a voice in the ongoing street repair and financing debate. We voters are the only ones that approve new revenue. Council cannot do it and should not deny me or me being the public the right to make a decision about financing. Is there a downside to a dedicated ballot initiative to grant the right to choose? I don't see one. I'm not sure how I would vote myself on the issue, but that is not the point. If the voters pass a levy, we can start fixing our streets sooner. If they vote no, we are back where we are right now as we find ourselves currently, hoping for a budget surplus of more than a million dollars in two years to match state's funding for Truesdell and South Street as well as potential repair to Davids Drive and Airborne Road, probably another million dollars in those two. Where is the downside? I don't see one. I would ask council if they would offer me a downside to giving me the right...granting me what only I can do as a citizen...vote up or down on this issue. Mark is on board more or less. Are you not?

Councilman McKay - I am.

Paul Hunter - Do you see a downside?

Councilwoman Milburn – I wouldn't support an increase myself.

Paul Hunter – You can vote against it and you can tell you neighbors to vote against it. All I am asking for is the option, which is only fair.

Councilwoman Miller – You make a really good argument. I don't support the tax increase, but your argument is valid.

Paul Hunter – So you don't see the downside?

Councilwoman Miller – Not as of yet. On the spot, I don't have one.

Councilman Mead – Just whatever cost there is in presenting the levy and getting it on the ballot.

Paul Hunter – It is practically cost-free. We'll piggyback on the general election. It's just a few dollars. Another minor detail, if we do the wording right in the fall levy, we can use this tax year and start collecting next year. I've talked to people about leveraging the \$500,000 revenue from the 2-mil tax levy to bond out so that we can fix our streets and bring them up to standards now rather than doing piecemeal. It saves money because of economy of scale. We can then use that money to get on a regular basis for repair and maintenance. The Air Force gave me a cash award for that oxygen fix. I just gave you my quasi-consultancy free.

President Peterson asked if anyone else wished to address council while in session.

Mayor Riley announced that Police Chief Duane Weyand has agreed to participate in the the next Dancing with the Clinton County Stars.

Chief Weyand – It started at Holidazzle when the mayor said that the Chief of Police would make a great contestant. It didn't take long for them to grab me and give me an invite, so I will be doing Dancing with the Stars this year. I'm already fundraising.

[Banter and discussion of Murphy Theatre upcoming events]

Councilman Mead – Most of you probably have seen the article in the paper about the Y. There is some inference in there that they thought the City should be involved in some manner in supporting or continuing the Y. Has the City had any involvement or does it intend to have any or is this something we should not be involved in?

Mayor Riley – From the City side, we have been asked to support their initiatives. We have not been asked for any funding, other than we would we write letters and get behind and support grants. I think the Y is important to the economic development of the community. When businesses come to a community looking to possibly establish a business, they look for things like hospitals, schools, libraries, YMCA's, and fitness centers. I think we need to have a YMCA or a YMCA-like facility that someone can go to. I lobbied in favor of the proposal to place a new YMCA behind the high school when that proposal was brought before the Commissioners last year. I thought it was a great location.

Councilman Mead – We had a meeting at the Cancer Center this morning, could you speak to about that?

Mayor Riley – Today we found out that Boyd Cancer Center it is not only going to be a regional cancer center, it is going to be affiliated with one of the finest cancer centers in the nation, the James Cancer Center in Columbus.

Councilman McKay – There will be a barebones production of Romeo and Juliet at the Murphy on the 22^{nd} and 23^{rd} of May.

Stephen Sawzin – 43 Fulton Street. I've heard a lot of comment today about how much the city is going to save by refinancing. I don't think you will save a dime. I think you will spend the money you save there somewhere else. My suggestion is take the 200,000 and take the payment you didn't have to make and put it in the bank and save it for the gentleman's road repair so we don't have to have a tax increase. Take the money you think you are going to save and put it in the bank for a rainy day fund.

Stephen Sawzin – In reading more about the G1 zoning ordinance, the preamble says that we are going to encourage historic preservation and ownership of residences. I would like to know what is broken in our current ordinances that prevents those residences from being preserved. When you drive into other cities, you see beautiful well-kept houses, like in Wellington. If that's what you want to do, give the citizens a tax break on their real estate taxes when they repair and maintain those residences. The writing of this law does not say that. The very first thing you state is you can use it for other things other than a residence, such as business services. For 30 years, I have interpreted laws, zoning ordinances, city ordinances so engineers can develop, build and design safe products. I have to know the law as I read. I have to write that interpretation so our engineers can follow that law. If the purpose of this law is to do what the preamble says, the body of the law does not do that. This really is a very bad law and it needs to be gotten rid of.

Seeing no one else who wished to speak, President Peterson asked for a motion to adjourn.

A motion was made by McKay and seconded by Jaehnig to adjourn. President declared the meeting adjourned. Council adjourned.

ATTEST:

President of Council

Clerk