

EUCLID CITY COUNCIL MEETING
MINUTES FROM NOVEMBER 21, 2022

**This regular Council Meeting was held on Monday, November 21, 2022
at 7:00pm in the Euclid Municipal Center Council Chambers.
President Charlene Mancuso, presided.**

President Mancuso

0:09

Good evening and welcome to the Euclid city council meeting on this November 21, 2022. Please join me in the **Pledge of Allegiance**.

I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and to the republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

Thank you. Madam Clerk, would you call the roll?

Clerk Laboda

0:37

Tanner, Here. Tolton, Here. Epps, ---. Jarosz, Here. McIntosh, here. Wojtila, Here. Jukic, Here. Steele, ---. Mancuso, Here.

President Mancuso

0:49

May I have a motion to excuse, Councilwoman Steele. So moved by Councilman Jukic. Second by Councilman Jarosz.

All in favor, "Aye."

Thank you. We will now go on to **Communications**.

Clerk Laboda

1:08

We have two this evening. The first one is Tangs China Sea, Inc. 923. E 222nd Street, Euclid, 44123.

President Mancuso

1:19

Thank you, Director Sweeney.

Law Director Sweeney

1:21

Thank you, Madam Chair to Council. I did send a letter to Tangs China Sea to be here tonight. They are not here. I'm not sure if Councilperson Tolton he had the opportunity to talk to them. However, I did let all of council know they are a current permit holder. There are no issues with their permit. They're looking to add a D five license to their current license. And D five is spiritous liquor for on premises consumption only beer wine and mixed beverages for on premises or off premises in original sealed containers until 2:30. So besides being able to drink alcohol on premise, they also want to be able to get it to go as well. So I don't know if council has any questions or Councilperson Tolton talked to the proprietor.

Councilman Tolton

2:17

Thank you, Council. Thank you, Madam Chair. Yeah, I did talk to one of the owners the other day. Today is her birthday is why she's not here today. So but yeah, they really looking for Sunday, selling of spirits. So like I said, everything else matches up. They don't need there's no problems and all the other established around is doing the same thing. They just want to be able to compete. So I'm definitely for this.

President Mancuso

2:43

Okay. Any other discussion by council? Seeing none, I'll entertain a motion to close debate. So moved by Councilman Jarosz, second by Councilman Tolton.

All in favor, "Aye."

We'll take a roll call and accepting this without objection. Tilton Yes.

Clerk Laboda

3:02

Tolton, Yes. Jarosz, Yes. McIntosh, Yes. Wojtila, Yes. Jukic, Yes. Mancuso, Yes. Councilman Tanner. Oh, I'm sorry. I forgot to go back up there. Thank you. Now it passes.

Okay. The second one is SRI LLC. Jagman Inc. 525 East 185 Street, Euclid 44119.

Council President

3:37

Thank you, council. **Counsel, Legal Director.**

Law Director Sweeney

3:41

Thank you, Madam Chair to Council. I did send these folks a letter as well. And I also found an email for their lawyer. And so there is that Mr. Tang? It passed, you're good. We just did it. We passed it... Yeah.

Happy Birthday.

So I did also send an email to the Statutory Agent and the attorney Mr. Russa, he is not here. I don't know if he had the opportunity to talk to Councilperson Jarosz. There are no issues with this location or with this applicant.

President Mancuso

4:15

Thank you, Councilman Jarvis.

Councilman Jarosz

4:17

Thank you, Madam Chair. Yeah, I did have a chance to speak to the representative Mr. Russa. This is the convenience store next to the Mr. Heroes on E 185 Street. It's been a convenience store as long as I can remember current owners are simply retiring. You know they sold it, it will essentially stay what it always has been a local neighborhood convenience store. I have no objections. Thank you.

Council President

4:38

Any other comment by council? Seeing none, I'll entertain a motion to close debate. So moved by Councilman Jarosz, second by Councilman McIntosh.

All in favor, Madam Clerk, please call the roll. Accepting this without objection.

Clerk Laboda

4:54

Jarosz, Yes. McIntosh, Yes. Wojtila, Yes. Jukic, Yes. Tanner, Yes. Tolton, Yes. Mancuso, Yes. Passes.

Council President

5:05

Thank you. Do we have any Council Minutes?

Clerk Laboda

We have no Council minutes.

Council President

Okay. Well then we go to **Administrative Reports and Communications**, Mayor Gail.

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Mayor Gail

5:12

Thank you, Madam Chair. Good evening, members of council and those watching us. First a couple of thank you. Um, I'd like to thank the joint Veterans Council and everyone who participated in the annual Veterans Day celebration. It was a moving ceremony as it always is. And I would like to thank once again, all of our veterans for their service. I also would like to thank Ohio Means Jobs from Cuyahoga County, as well as Cleveland Builds, the Euclid Public Library, Amani church, for coming together to host a county job application and trades information event that was held last week at the library. And I want to thank them, but I also want to just remind anyone who might be looking for a job or some new job training opportunities, Ohio Means Jobs is a great resource. They not only keep a regular list of jobs that are available, but they do have funding for training or if somebody needs to learn a new skill or get a certification. We hope to be able to provide them with some space here in the city, whether it's at the library or in a city building so that residents can have a spot here in Euclid to have regular access to those resources. But they do also on their website, or if you call them have a lot of great resources. So thanks to Ohio Means Jobs for the help with that. Congratulations to our Stormwater Manager Laura Travers. She was awarded cooperator of the Year by the Cuyahoga Soil and Water Conservation District for her work in as they described, there are several projects in Euclid that have gone could have gone sideways and did not because of Ms. Travers hard work and ability to bring partners together and be creative and help find a solution to some of the difficult things when we're having some reinvestment and reuse of spaces and construction happening. So congratulations to Laura, well deserved, and a great representation of the hard work that happens every day here at the city. We will have our holiday lighting event on Friday, December 2. I hope all of the residents will join us from six to eight at shore Cultural Center, we will officially flip on the holiday lights, you can view the holiday cards that are being painted by residents and organizations and neighborhood groups all over the city. There will be music and family activities, ice carving, hot chocolate and soup. And, of course, a visit from Santa as well as our pop up makers market and I believe it's full. So the pop up makers market is something we've done once a month over the

last several months. And it's local people who are making things. So if you want to get started with your holiday shopping again, that's Friday, December 2 from six to eight at Shore Cultural Centre. City Hall will be closed this week, Thursday and Friday in observance of Thanksgiving. That means garbage collection will be delayed on Thursday and Friday. So those days will be pushed one day later. And I would like to wish Council and your families and residents and your families a very happy Thanksgiving. A couple of announcements from directors. We'll start with Ms. Grida.

Assistant to the Mayor, Grida

8:26

Thank you so much. Mayor, I just wanted to address, we've had quite a few complaints in the last couple of weeks about elevators. I know a lot of council have called me as well elevators in high rise buildings. They've had just a stroke of bad luck with these elevators down. So we're taking kind of a hard look at where the state's authority is with the elevators, where our current code sits and comparison to the Euclid building code and the Ohio building code. So our building team has taken a look at this and we're hoping to potentially be able to address it locally in a little better way. But we just kind of started going down that road. So I would think perhaps by the next council meeting, we'll have something to address with those. So I just wanted to make sure that everybody knew we got a lot of calls in the mayor's office. So thank you all for calling in helping us be aware of that and then to council will keep you apprised as well. Thank you.

Mayor Gail

9:18

Thank you, Director Grogan Myers.

Planning & Development Director Grogan-Myers

9:21

Thank you. Good evening council. Two brief updates. The first is two weeks ago I had shared a rental program Rental Assistance Program. This week I'm sharing information from CHN Housing Partners on a property tax assistance program. I had left copies of fliers at your desk. I'll also get a digital flyer sent over to the clerk of council especially as we again head into the holiday season making sure we're supporting families staying in place is definitely a high priority for for us in the Department of Planning and Development. So we wanted to share this information funds are currently available through June 30, 2023. However, they are available on first come first serve basis, as long as the funding lasts. So, these are limited funds. So we encourage everyone to apply who is eligible as soon as possible. This entails a one time grant of up to \$10,000. You have to substantiate a COVID-19 financial hardship.

So we do have to tie back to that. And it must the property must also serve as the owners primary residence. I'm working with our communications manager Christine Vasquez to help get this information shared far and wide on the city's website and social media. But I also just want to share the property tax assistance customer service line, that's 216-774-2336. It's really important that we get this information out to continue assisting Euclid residents. The second piece is we have a public meeting set for Thursday, December 8, between six and 7:30pm for the Euclid Avenue Chardon road intersection improvement or **tlci** study. So this is the follow up to the meeting back in March. It will be held at Moore Counseling. So I hope to see you there again, that's Thursday, December 8, between 6pm and 7:30pm at Moore Counseling for the Euclid Avenue Chardon, road TLCI plan. Thank you.

Mayor Gail

11:12

Thank you, Chief Meyer.

Chief Meyer

11:15

Thank you, Mayor. Thank you, Council President, members of council members of the audience. First off, I want to announce that on Thursday, November 17, I and members of the police department attended the AAA That's the American Automobile Association, their 2022 awards for they give out to police departments that make strides in vehicle safety or traffic safety. And once again, proud to announce that the Euclid Police Department got the highest award and I can read it I should have brought it the plaque is really impressive. It really is. So it's the 2022 Community Traffic Safety Platinum Award presented to the Euclid Police Department for outstanding service dedication and the significant impact made by improving the quality of life through traffic safety program. This isn't really about enforcement. That's a very small component. It's basically all the programs that we are involved in that promote traffic safety. So I'm very proud of that. And then a couple of announcements, PAL basketball. It did start November 4 and it is being held every Friday. Two of the Fridays had to be canceled due to a conflict of playoff games at the high school so play a football games. But it'll be every Friday from 6pm to 9pm at the Panther Fieldhouse, it's middle school students. Sixth-eighth grades can enjoy playing basketball, enjoy pizza and hanging out with Euclid officers. You can sign up at the door or you can go on our social media and and sign up through there. It's a \$5 one time fee. We have an upcoming Coffee With A Cop that's gonna be on Friday, December 2, that's from nine to 11am. This one will be at the Eaton Family Credit Union which is on Babbitt Road. Please join EPD community policing unit for coffee and conversation. And then additionally, Saturday December 10. We'll have skating with first responders. This will be from two to 4pm at the CE Orr ice arena. Euclid

Recreation Department is offering free admission and free skate rental during this first responders ice skating event. Join us police officers Euclid firefighters and Richmond Heights police officers for some time on the ice. I don't know how good of skaters they are but I guess we'll find out so that will do it for the announcements.

Mayor Gail

13:46

Thank you and Chief Haddock.

Chief Haddock

13:49

Thank you, Mayor, Madam Chair, members of council and those watching. With Thanksgiving being this Thursday, I have a few fire facts and a couple of safety tips. Thanksgiving is the peak day for home cooking fires with more than three times the daily average for such incidents Christmas Day and Christmas Eve ranks second and third both having nearly twice the daily average. Unattended cooking was by far the leading contributor contributing factor in cooking fires and fire deaths. Cooking causes half of all reported home fires and more than two out of every five home fire injuries and is the second leading cause of home fire deaths. So here are a few Thanksgiving safety tips. Stay in the kitchen when you are cooking on the stovetop and keep an eye on the food. Stay in the home when you are cooking your turkey and check it out and frequently. Keep children away from the stove. The stove will be hot and kids should be at least three feet away from it. Make sure that the kids stay away from hot food liquids. The steam and the splash from vegetables or gravy or coffee could cause serious burns. Keep the floor clear so you do not trip over kids toys, pocketbooks or bags keep knives out of the reach of children. Be sure electric cords from an electric knife coffeemaker or plate warmer, or a mixer or not dangling off the counters within the reach of a child. Keep matches out of the reach of children. And make sure you test your smoke alarms and adults would like to wish everybody Happy Thanksgiving. But I'd also like to just take a second to keep in our hearts and minds, the family of Johnny Tetrick. That's the Cleveland firefighter that was killed in the line of duty on the freeway. Our crews are on the freeway almost every day on a car crash of some sort. And it's very dangerous out there and I just ask the public to be very, very careful, go slow, do not try to everybody's in a hurry to go somewhere. So just take your time. And, again, I'd like to keep this family in your prayers. Thank you.

Mayor Gail

15:52

Thank you, Chief, Director Knecht.

Service Director Knecht

15:56

Thank you, Mayor, Madam Chair Council and those watching. I just a couple updates about leaf collection. It is still ongoing between the snow storms. We've had some questions recently that I'd like to answer tonight about leaf collection. The first question is, why do you only collect one side of the street at the at as you're going down? Why don't you collect both sides at the same time, the equipment is not set up to collect both sides at one time the collection unit is on the passenger side of the vehicle. That's why they we encourage you to keep the leaves on the tree lawn as we come down, it is easy for the machine to be able to reach them when it is on the tree lawn not in the street. When the leaves are in the street, the truck has to move out into the center of the street effectively blocking the street for traffic trying to come through. Another question that we've had quite a bit recently is why does one side of the street get picked up and the other side can be either hours or days behind. When we go into a section, what we do is we do an outer loop and start working our way toward the inside. The idea is to continue to make right hand turns which is the safest way to be able to pick up so that the truck does not have to back up as statistics show that backing up trucks does lead to safety incidents with pedestrians and motor vehicles. Another question that we've had quite frequently lately is can I put my leaves in my trash can or can I mulch them and leave them on my lawn? Yes, both. Both of those are options. If you have a small amount of leaves, you can put them in your Kimble trash container and those will be picked up on your normal trash day. And you I do encourage you to take a hard look at mulching them and leaving them on your lawn. There's a lot of benefits to their lawn within nutrients from those leaves. So I would encourage you to take a look at that and this may be something that you want to participate in. Thank you.

Mayor Gail

18:01

Thank you, Madam Chair. That completes our report this evening.

Council President

18:04

Thank you. We will now go on to **Committee Documentation**. And I will begin with an Executive and Finance Committee report from 11/2/22, where we were presented with a proposed pilot project Euclid Community Connections. An initiative to increase resident quality of life and reduce community crime. From the administration we had special assistant to the mayor Miss Grida. All committee members were present with an excused absence for Councilwoman Jukic, and Councilman Epps being absent. Our guests or presenters were Dr. Martina Moore, Dr. Reverend Moore, Director Antonio Conway and Michelle Mayle, all from

the Moore Counseling and Mediation Services. The presentation was provided to introduce a pilot initiative outlining how residents could be positively impacted through a program that could identify solutions to dealing with areas of behavioral health, family counseling, substance use disorders, disorders, excuse me, addictions, elder care and elder services and medical needs through a system of providing true case management or wraparound services. This program is described as providing the appropriate assessments needed to specifically address a person's need and then providing connecting the necessary resources. This program would also follow the client's progress when individualized follow up services. data would be collected to address the value of the pilot program over a two year period of time. Funding for the pilot would be from the ARPA funds already received under the category of Community Health and Wellness category. The action taken is that we asked to have legislation written and presented at our November 7 council meeting. It was presented there and has been sent back to Executive Finance for further discussion. Currently, we have a meeting scheduled for January 25 at 6:30 to do just that. The second E and F meeting was on November 14. This was the discussion of applicants for the Charter Review commission per Article 10. Section two of the charter city of Euclid. Law Director Sweeney was with us from the administration. All committee members were present with Councilman Epps absent. The issues discussed Committee Chairman asked for a motion to recess into executive session. And council may meet in Executive Session closed to the public to review and consider personnel matters, collective bargaining sale or purchase of real estate, pending or imminent litigation or court actions and such other matters required or permitted to be kept confidential by federal or state law. Which executive sessions shall be held only pursuant to regulations adopted by ordinance a motion to recess in a second and the motion was completed with unanimous roll call of yes, the Executive and Finance committee went in recess into executive session upon return to council chambers. Committee Chair stated we're back on the record, actions taken. The committee members resulted in a motion made by Councilman Tanner to appoint Mandy Grits. David Overstreet, Candace Jones, and Evan Dominic Bodsky to the Charter Review Commission commencing January 1, 2023. A second to his motion was made by Councilwoman Steele, the Committee Chairman directed the Law Director to create legislation pertaining to the proposed appointments that will be placed on November 21. Council agenda, a roll call of committee members was taken. With all committee members voting in the affirmative and meeting was adjourned and that resolution is on our agenda tonight. With that, I will go to Councilman Wojtila.

Councilman Wojtila

21:38

Thank you, Madam Chair. I'd like to make a motion to approve the Board of Control minutes from October 31, 2022 and November 7, 2022. And

also the Executive & Finance committee meetings from both November 2 and November 14, 2022.

Council President

21:53

We have a motion on the floor. Do we have a second, Councilwoman McIntosh?

All in favor, "Aye."

Okay, thank you very much. We will now go to our first **Committee of the Whole** for legislative matters only. Anyone wishing to speak please come to the podium. Give us your name, address. And please keep your comments about

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE – LEGISLATIVE MATTERS

Resident - Christopher Litwinowicz

22:08

Christopher Michael at one. Oh, it's 21970 Morris Avenue Euclid Ohio. Congratulations to council spending money on vehicles police chief. Why are we trying to invest and I'm not trying to go negative. But why we have these electric chargers right at the library. If we're going to spend that type of money, the investment is we already have vehicles that can and it's the roads that destroy your stuff. So we're not team to monastery, but let's rec directors not here this evening. But I've had numerous conversations and pushed. This is number three. This has to do with the third reading about rezoning something. We're not in the business to sell. We're not real estate agents. We didn't hire you to be real to that. Why can't that be the perfect location for the startup of one rec center but we need three to three. There is places in Euclid as far as the special improvements, this is sponsored by Mayor. So I got to believe it's in the best interest of the city. Reason why I say that positively is because with the taxes and the new cliffs and, all that, you kind of got to look at these homeowners. You know a little different on NASA. But that's just my thought. Congratulations to the council person in number two. But as far as as far as 200 St. is concerned the money to allocate something I think we need to back that off. And is anybody grant writing for the infrastructure bill? That the federal government I think I think we need to stop doing simple projects, which is every two three years. I rather see the underneath all done at once. Because right now what you're doing Warren is cracking it up, is cracking is cracking it up eventually. So the more money needs to be spent for the Cleveland water company to come out here and destroy what we already rebuilt but back on number seven, you know, even if you have to come back and amend Can we look into purchasing? Right now you have a value. Can we actually council what have to amend this to be three electric components? Cars with it? Can we make a gasoline too? So can we just

take that vehicle and on the other side, put the electric hub? But again, thank you.

Council President

25:54

Thank you, sir. Next speaker please. Seeing none, we will move on to our legislative agenda. Madam Clerk, would you please read the first agenda item into the record?

LEGISLATION

Clerk Laboda

26:10

Resolution 133-22. A resolution approving the creation of a special Improvement District, the downtown Euclid improvement district, along with the required petitions, the articles of incorporation, and the proposed plan for services for this special Improvement District.

Council President

26:31

Thank you. I'll entertain a motion for passage to begin discussion. So moved by Councilman McIntosh. Second by Councilman Tolton.

All in favor, "Aye."

We will go to Director Grogan-Meyers.

Planning & Development Director Grogan-Myers

26:41

Thank you, Madam Chair, Council, this piece of legislation before you follows up on the announcements from two weeks ago, this is a very big moment for the city and for the downtown property owners. So as a brief bit of background, so we had to hit a 60% threshold of property owners in the district signing a petition to levy, self levy an assessment. So this isn't the city putting something on the property as as a piece of legislation, similar to streetlights or anything else. This is the property owner saying we would like to levy this assessment on ourselves to be able to provide a defined set of additional services in the area. And this resolution before you does just that. So it accepts the petitions. And it accepts the articles of incorporation, which creates the legally existing separate entity to manage the funds and execute contracts for services in the downtown area, as well as the proposed plan for services. And that outlines what services that the the special improvement district may provide which includes events and marketing, enhance street street cleaning and graffiti and, you know, picking the gum off of the sidewalks those type of services as well as safety services. So what this legislation does is it is the formal mechanism to approve those petitions as

presented and to create the special improvement district and in future means next year and years to come. We may be before you to levy special assessments. But for today what this does is this approves the creation of the special improvement district and as noted on the fact sheet, the city will be budgeting and we already budgeted for this year, the city's portion of the assessments. So the city is participating in this special improvement district and contributing to the special improvement district through voluntary assessments. So we will pay this to the special improvement district as a member. And as part of the governing board and this goes hand in hand with the following piece of legislation. There is because it's a separate legal entity. It has a governing board. The mayor by virtue of Ohio Revised Code is on the board and council designates one representative to also serve on that board, as well as five other property members from the district. So this is a separate legal entity funded by the property owners themselves within the district. I wanted to be sure to again thank Economic Development Manager Callie Cripps as well as Dana Heil at the Chamber. They were instrumental in making sure that this happened, helping to educate property owners answer questions and get the petitions in the right hands. It takes a lot of work. It took about two months worth of work to make sure that this happened. So happy to answer any questions. But I think this is a great moment for the city and a true testament to what Euclidians do when when they see a great opportunity and come together to support it.

Council President

29:35

Thank you. Council. Councilwoman McIntosh.

Councilwoman McIntosh

29:39

Thank you, Madam Chair. I just want to celebrate the fact that this has been an effort since 2019. It has been a long time in the making and just you know as you do in for five years years, three or four years, rather, you can have a lot of turnover. And not only internally, but also the businesses and who's in charge of what the chamber, a lot of a lot of the organizers have have changed all the players. But for the most part, the business owners, the property owners, they've all along been supportive of an effort like this. And I just think that this is really a cause for celebration and shows that there's a commitment to downtown Euclid by these property owners, they want to see a thriving downtown. They support projects like the walkability project that's ongoing right now, with the median creation, things like that. And in the end, they will self tax for their benefit for the district's benefit. And for the residents benefit. So this is really an amazing day. I'm, I have to admit I never, I was a little worried that we would never get here. But I am really, really, really proud of everybody's efforts and involvement and carrying this

through to the finish line. So very grateful. And just want to say thank you.

Council President

31:22

Thank you. Other discussion? Councilman Tolton.

Councilman Tolton

31:26

Let me pull up a document up here real quick. To the Director, and this is great for downtown Euclid. This is great for the city overall. What are the plans going forward to implement this on the south side? And also like the, you know, 200 to 222 Street district? Is there any plans next year two year from now to implement this?

Planning & Development Director Grogan-Myers

31:48

Madam Chair, the Councilman? That is a great question. And I think what this demonstrates is, we have a template, we have a template of how this can work, and how this can be applied to any business district in the city. But ultimately, what I think marks this as being unique is that this was really a conversation led by the business owners led by the property owners who said we want to do this. This wasn't the city proposing this out of hand. This came from organic conversations. So we will continue to have those organic conversations with every business owner, property owner and business district in the city as we have been. And again, that work is led by economic development manager Kelly Crips. And we will continue to do that. And when we see the opportunity for property owners in mass to support a similar type of special improvement district model, we are happy to support that much the same as we have done in downtown. Would love to see it on the south side. Would love to see it down 200 but it ultimately has to originate from the property owners in the businesses themselves because it is self levying.

Council President

32:50

Any other discussion? Councilman Wojtila.

Councilman Wojtila

32:53

Thank you, Madam Chair. So the is there a draft plan that corresponds with the our voluntary contribution of 66,000?

Planning & Development Director Grogan-Myers

33:02

Members are the councilman? Yes, there is. So the proposed plan for services is what outlines the services that the special improvement district will offer. As I said, marketing and special events, the sidewalk cleaning the safety services. So for the past year, the city has paid for the downtown ambassadors to exist, you'll see the carts rolling around, people on bikes riding around, those services will be provided in much the same way gotten going as they have been for the past year. So that's just one example of services. But ultimately, this special Improvement Board will be the one that determines what each one of these things might look like. So events may vary. district by district, you see Cedar Lee has a special improvement district, cedar, Fairmount, Ohio city downtown Cleveland Alliance, they all have special improvement districts. And they all take very different shapes and forms. And that's guided by the property owners themselves and their representatives on board.

Councilman Wojtila

34:00

Okay, and just a comment. So it's a \$66,000. It says voluntary contribution and the fact sheet. It's really a contribution that as the city of Euclid property owner and the district, we are obligated to make that payment or the assessment is a self imposed assessment. We're just choosing to do it. Well, we don't pay property taxes. So we're choosing to make the payment or we kind of have to make the payment that way. But when would the other property owners be assessed their contribution?

Planning & Development Director Grogan-Myers

34:31

Madam Chair, the Councilman, this is an excellent question. So thank you for bringing it up. So to clarify the voluntary assessment piece, the reason why we put that in there is ultimately we've missed the assessment deadline for 2022 pay in 2023 taxes. That was already passed in early September. As you may recall, with grass assessments and things that were passed previously. We're calling that voluntary because ultimately no one is under the obligation to pay come January from to this special Improvement District. However, should they not pay, they'll be assessed twice, come the 2023 pay in 2024 property tax bill. So the petition goes into effect for January 1, 2023. And what we're saying is we're going to contribute our assessments as the city to like we would if we were being assessed. So we're going to start paying in 23. And every year thereafter, for the five years that the Senate would be authorized. That's why we're calling it voluntary. Part of the work that will come after this, pending your approval after this legislation is passed, is working to detail to the property owners again, here's how much one the

CID has passed, it's been created. But two, here's how much the assessment is. They were given that information when they were considering signing the petition. So that information has already been in hand. But we will invite them to do the same voluntary assessment in 23, so that they're not hit twice on their property tax bill in 2024. So they're volunteering to pay it in advance, but they don't have to, until 2024 property tax bills come due.

Councilman Wojtila

36:08

Just, I'm in support of this bill. They're just trying to get clarity. So if the city weren't involved, it was all just private property owners. And they all wanted to just defer and make their payment through their property taxes. How would the CID cashflow their improvements or their plan?

Planning & Development Director Grogan-Myers

36:25

Madam Chair to the Councilman. So the first year is always precarious. And the reason for that is exactly as you outline, it's voluntary. Now, I'm not aware of the intricacies of all this special improvement districts. But typically, to get services started, most special improvement districts don't have existing contracts with the downtown Cleveland Alliance or block by block which provides the clean and safe services. So a lot of times special improvement districts don't come in with a defined set of expenses already outlined for them. So in this case, though, there is that defined service agreement that we'll have in place to continue providing the services and the city special assessment or voluntary assessment will help pay to have that continuity of services. But were this to not be the case. That would be something that the special Improvement District Board would need to consider as far as how do they contemplate service delivery and everything else? Thank you.

Council President

37:22

Other discussion? Seeing none, I'll entertain a motion to close debate.

Moved by Councilman Jukic. Second by Councilman McIntosh.

All in favor, "Aye."

Please call the roll on the resolution?

Clerk Laboda

37:35

McIntosh, Yes. Wojtila, Yes. Jukic, Yes. Tanner, Yes. Tolton, Yes. Jarosz, Yes. Mancuso, Yes.

Resolution passes.

Council President

37:47

Thank you, Madam Clerk, please read the second agenda item into the record,

Clerk Laboda

37:51

Resolution 134-22. A resolution appointing Christine McIntosh to serve as the City of Euclid representative on the Downtown Euclid Special Improvement District Corporation, in addition to the Mayor of the City of Euclid.

Council President

38:08

Thank you. I'll entertain a motion for passage to begin with the discussion. So moved by Councilwoman Jukic, second by Councilman Tolton.

All in favor, "Aye."

And we'll go back to Director Grogan-Meyer.

Planning & Development Director Grogan-Myers

38:17

Thank you, Madam Chair. I'll keep my comments brief seeing as this builds off the previous piece of legislation. Again, the the mayor in her capacity as chief executive officer of the city by Ohio Revised Code serves on the board of the special Improvement District Council appoints its representative on this board as well. In conversations obviously Councilperson McIntosh is the Ward 5 council person representing downtown Euclid was a logical choice in being the representative on the special Improvement District. One question is clarify is that it's in her capacity as Ward five council person. So when a new person is nominated and appointed to the board five position, new legislation will be appointed will be drafted to appoint that person to the special improvement district board. So it will be coterminous if you will with the appointment on Council.

Council President

39:08

Thank you. discussion. Seeing none, I'll entertain a motion to close debate. So moved by Councilwoman McIntosh, second by Councilman Jarosz.

All in favor, "Aye."

Madam Clerk? Wait, I'm sorry. One obtain a motion to, no this is resolution, Sorry, sorry. Sorry. Sorry. Madam Clerk, please call the roll on

the resolution. Two is a resolution. I haven't. Don't have anything as a resolution. So Madam Clerk, please call the roll on the resolution.

Clerk Laboda

39:45

Wojtila, Yes, Jukic, Yes. Tanner, Yes. Tolton, Yes. Jarosz, Yes. McIntosh, Yes. Mancuso, Yes.
Resolution passes.

Council President

39:57

Thank you. Madam Clerk please read the third piece of legislation into record.

Clerk Laboda

40:03

Ordinance 136-21. An ordinance to amend section one of ordinance number 2812. As amended, and the map and map designations, which map and map designations as amended form a part of ordinance number 2812. As it relates to and designates U1 - single family house, U2 - two family house, CI - campus institutional and UASF - attached single family house districts relative to said property.

Council President

40:44

Thank you. I'll entertain a motion for passage to begin discussion. So moved by Councilman Jukic, second by Councilman Jarosz.
All in favor, "Aye."
We'll go once again to Director Grogan-Meyer.

Planning & Development Director Grogan-Myers

40:53

Thank you, Madam Chair. This is the third reading consideration for passage on the proposed rezoning of the St. Roberts parcels to UASF, which is the attached single family house district. Just as a brief reminder, this legislation was introduced back on November 1 of 2021 Eons ago it feels since then there have been several public meetings, including most recently, September 20. And then a community meeting out on site. Thank you again to council persons you get into Macintosh for hosting that meeting. That was a wonderful conversation with the neighbors. Also, thank you to the chair. Kris Jarosz, thank you so much for your hosting of the meeting of the business development, city planning and Housing Committee. As this discussion continued. I think this is important to highlight that while we're talking about the rezoning

tonight, this is an ongoing community conversation when we talk about developing this vision. So this is the first of what will likely be several steps to get this in place for and ready for development. So happy to answer any questions. But I feel like there's been a great conversation with council with the community as we consider this opportunity for development in the city.

Council President

42:08

Thank you. Have you had any further questions between the second reading and the third reading by council members?

Planning & Development Director Grogan-Myers

42:14

Madam Chair, I do not recall any questions that have come in between second and third readings.

Council President

42:17

Thank you. Council discussion. Seeing none, I'll entertain a motion to close debate. So moved by Councilman Jukic. Second by Councilman Tolton.

All in favor, "Aye."

Madam Clerk, please call the roll on the merits of the ordinance.

Clerk Laboda

42:35

Jukic, Yes. Tanner, Yes. Tolton, Yes. Jarosz, Yes. McIntosh, Yes. Wojtila, Yes. Mancuso, Yes.

Ordinance passes.

Council President

42:46

Thank you, Madam Clerk, please read the fourth agenda item into the record.

Clerk Laboda

42:50

Ordinance 135-22. An ordinance authorizing the Director of Public Service to enter into an agreement with GPD group 5595 Transportation Boulevard, suite 100, Cleveland, Ohio 44125, for the purpose of performing routine engineering services for a period of three years, with a possible two year extension.

Council President

43:17

Thank you. I'm gonna take a motion for passage to begin discussion. So moved by Councilman Tanner, second by Councilman Jarosz.

All in favor, "Aye."

And we will go to Director Knecht.

Service Director Knecht

43:28

Thank you, Madam Chair. GPD has served as our city engineer for the last six years, I'm looking to extend that agreement that we we have with them. If it this time, what what we have seen in the market is prices rising on things I tasked GPD with trying to hold their price for as long as possible. The price that is listed the \$4,250 a month, that is an increase from our previous contract. Like I said that ran for six years. But what they have done is been able to offer us the first three years at that price. And then a two year extension that will be negotiated at that point in time. There is a 90 day termination clause. So if we get to the years 24 and 25. And don't feel that we can come to an agreement on price, we would have the ability to be able to pull out of that contract. GPD has done a fantastic job on the projects that they've worked on for us they've continued to bring us funding opportunities from different sources, as well as is outstanding service on all levels for things that we have used them for. They've been very open and honest with us if there is something that comes up that they feel they can use one of their partner businesses in to do for us then they will do that. Which helps not only bring better services to us but helps keep costs down also, I'd be happy to answer any questions you may have on this contract tonight.

Council President

45:04

Thank you. Council discussion. Councilman Tolton.

Councilman Tolton

45:11

Thank you, Madam Chair. Just one quick question to Director Knecht. Were there any other engineering firms that we looked at that could either match or lower that price?

Council President

Director Knecht

Service Director Knecht

45:21

Madam Chair to the Councilman. With engineering firms, you can go out for qualifications. Once you've selected a firm based on qualifications, they can give you a bid. What I can tell you is what we have paid previously in the city. This is very competitive when we've had other city engineers that we've used in the past.

Council President

45:47

Have a discussion? Seeing none, I'll entertain a motion to close debate. So moved by Councilman Jukic, second by Councilman Jarosz.

All in favor, "Aye."

I'll entertain a motion to suspend the rules to forego the second and third reading. So moved by Councilman McIntosh, second by Councilman Tolton.

All in favor, "Aye."

Those opposed? Seeing none.

Madam Clerk, please call the roll on the merits of the ordinance.

Clerk Laboda

46:11

Tanner, Yes. Tolton, Yes. Jarosz, Yes. McIntosh, Yes. Wojtila, Yes, Jukic, Yes. Mancuso, Yes.

Ordinance passes.

Council President

46:23

Thank you, Madam Clerk. Please read the fifth agenda item into the record.

Clerk Laboda

46:28

Ordinance 136-22. An ordinance authorizing the Director of Public Service of the City of Euclid to enter into a professional services agreement with GPD group for the design work of the East 200th Street and waterline replacement project at an amount not to exceed \$174,258.

Council President

46:53

Thank you. I'm going to need a motion for passage to begin the discussion. So moved by Councilman Tanner, second by Councilman Jarosz.

All in favor, "Aye."
We go again to Director Knecht.

Service Director Knecht

47:04

Thank you Madam Chair. This upcoming project is a project that is well needed as Councilman Jarosz knows. East 200 Street has been an issue with water line breaks for well over five years now. This project while replacing the waterline then would ultimately repave the street for Mohican Avenue up to Lakeshore Boulevard. There would be funding on this project from Cleveland water, the County and ODOT, GPD group. As our city engineer, I would select to do the design work on this. Right now. The current schedule has this project beginning in April of 2024. And wrapping up in October of 2024. So having this passed tonight would help get the design work started on this so we can stay on schedule with the partner agencies that are providing the funding on this.

Council President

48:06

Thank you. Discussion. Councilman Jarosz.

Councilman Jarosz

48:11

Thank you, Madam Chair. Just make a comment. Say thank you for bringing this forward. If you think about it, we redid 222, where do we send people when it was closed, down 200 street, when we did 185, was closed, where did we send people, down 200 Street. So not only was there just natural wear and tear on that street because of the excess traffic but then we just had innumerable water main breaks our last couple of years and I'm I'm sure they're getting ready to break some more. So the sooner we can get this going, the better. So I encourage us to get the ball rolling.

Council President

48:42

Thank you. Other discussion. Councilwoman McIntosh.

Councilwoman McIntosh

48:45

Thank you, Madam Chair. This is, might be a little bit of a stretch as far as the conversation goes. But just as we're doing with Lakeshore Boulevard we have combined projects service department with the waterline replacement and then other planning and development projects like the walkability aspect of Lakeshore. So I recall at the East 200 Street stroll

over the summer there was a community survey about 200 Street. So I'm curious were the planning and development department or just the administration overall service as well? Is for that aspect if they're if we're entertaining, changes to the streetscape based on community feedback, and if so, if that would be tied into the waterline project since it's not beginning for a year, so thanks.

Planning & Development Director Grogan-Myers

49:41

Madam Chair to the Councilperson. We are part of the ongoing conversations with the County in developing this project. However, considering the scope of this project, and the funds that are involved, they do have to be two separate projects. So any streetscape work that may come as a result of ongoing conversations with the businesses down east to one North will come separate and after the street repaving waterline replacement. We have asked that question. We have been part of those ongoing conversations and want to be sure to thank our city engineer and the service department for allowing us to be part of those conversations. I think that's the type of teamwork that really helps deliver a great project. But unfortunately, in this case, it just doesn't work out quite as well as Lakeshore Boulevard.

Council President

50:23

Other discussion? Seeing none, I'll entertain a motion to close debate. So moved by Councilman McIntosh, second by Councilman Jarosz.

All in favor, "Aye."

Entertain a motion to suspend the rules to forego the second and third reading. So moved by Councilman Tolton. Second by Councilwoman Jukic.

All in favor, "Aye."

Any opposed? Seeing none.

Madam Clerk please call the roll and the merits of the ordinance.

Clerk Laboda

50:48

Tolton, Yes. Jarosz, Yes. McIntosh, Yes. Wojtila, Yes. Jukic, Yes. Tanner, Yes. Mancuso, Yes.

Ordinance passes.

Council President

50:59

Thank you. Madam Clerk, please read the six agenda item into the record.

Clerk Laboda

51:04

Ordinance 137-22. An ordinance authorizing the Director of Public Service of the City of Euclid to enter into a contract with Mtech Company, 7401 First Place, Cleveland, Ohio, 44146 for the purchase of one Pipe Hunter 44418 Single Axle jet trailer for use in the streets and sewers department in an amount not to exceed \$75,618.75.

Council President

51:39

Thank you. I'll entertain a motion for passage to begin the discussion. So moved by Councilwoman Jukic, second by Councilman Jarosz.

All in favor."Aye."

And we will go once again to Direct Knecht.

Service Director Knecht

51:50

Thank you, Madam Chair. This Pipe Hunter Jet trailer would replace a unit that has been in service since 1992. This unit will have a tier four compliant diesel engine which will reduce the emissions over what we are currently used today. This will help to supplement some of the other equipment that is being used in the sewer department for purposes of cleaning and maintaining lines. This will just give us a unit that, besides being more efficient on fuel is a little more versatile than what we currently have will help keep us in compliance with the work that we do as far as our MS four permit. And again, in our cleaning and maintenance program, which is part of what we do for multiple permits that we have through the EPA. I'd be happy to answer any questions you have on this tonight. I did want to share one other thing. We have submitted an application for reimbursement for partial costs on this is part of our community is in Northeast Ohio regional Sewer District. We are eligible to have a community cost share that comes back to us. This type of equipment is something that is typically eligible for reimbursement so we have put in an application. If passed, we would get a reimbursement of just over \$61,000 on the total purchase price of this unit.

Council President

53:25

Thank you, Sir. Council. Any discussion? Seeing none, I'll entertain a motion to close debate. So moved by Councilwoman McIntosh, seconded by Councilman Tanner.

All in favor, "Aye."

I'll entertain a motion to suspend the rules to forego the second and third reading. So moved by Councilwoman Jukic, second by Councilwoman McIntosh.

All in favor, "Aye."

Those opposed? Seeing none.

Madam Clerk please call the roll on the merits of the ordinance.

Clerk Laboda

53:55

Jaros, Yes. McIntosh, Yes. Wojtila, Yes. Jukic, Yes. Tanner, Yes. Tolton, Yes. Mancuso, Yes.

Ordinance passes.

Council President

54:08

Thank you, Madam Clerk, please read the Seventh agenda item into the record.

Clerk Laboda

54:12

Ordinance 138-22. An ordinance authorizing the Chief of Police of the City of Euclid to enter into a contract with Statewide Ford Lincoln, 1108 West Main Street, Van Wert, Ohio, I'm sorry, 458914, the purchase of 3 - 2023 Ford Explorer Interceptor utility vehicles in the amount not to exceed \$172,935 for use in the Euclid Police Department.

Council President

54:49

Thank you. I'll entertain a motion for passage to begin the discussion. So moved by Councilman Tolton, second by Councilman Tanner.

All in favor, "All in Favor."

And we'll go one more time to Director Knecht.

Service Director Knecht

55:01

Thank you, Madam Chair, as we continue to struggle with the availability of new vehicles, Statewide Ford, which we have purchased from in the past off of state contract, approached us about being able to purchase some 2023 models, while the pricing is equivalent to state contract at this point, state contract has not been finalized on it, but they are willing to extend us the pricing that would be in effect if when that if and when that is accepted by the state. These vehicles are gas powered, is resident and brought up earlier talking about electric at this point, there is no electric vehicle that is able to handle the duties of a frontline patrol car. In the future. If that is something that does become available, we will take a look at it for patrol. I know the chief has definitely some concerns. You know, we a few years back we had done a hybrid vehicle that wasn't

exactly the wasn't exactly up to the standards that the officers expected in a vehicle. So we've you know, we definitely watched that. And if and when that time comes, that will be a discussion but right now, the internal combustion engine in these units is is what is preferred by the chief, the officers and our mechanics. I'd be happy to answer any questions on this tonight. Thank you.

Council President

56:35

Thank you, Sir. Discussion. Councilman Tolton.

Councilman Tolton

56:38

Thank you, Madam Chair, quick question Director. These are adding to the fleet, not replacing vehicles, correct, Director?

Service Director Knecht

56:47

Madam Chair to the Councilman. What what we typically do is when a vehicle hits around 100,000 miles of use, it is then designated off the front line to use by other officers that are not in frontline patrols. And then the oldest vehicles in the fleet are removed. So we're always we're always removing some is we're adding these new ones would be frontline vehicles.

Council President

57:15

Now the discussion? Seeing none, I'll entertain a motion to close debate. So moved by Councilwoman McIntosh, second by Councilman Tolton.

All in favor, "Aye."

I'll entertain a motion to suspend the rules to forego the second and third reading. So moved by Councilman Wojtila, second by Councilman Jarosz.

All in favor, "Aye."

Any opposed? Seeing none.

Madam Clerk, please call the roll on the merits of the ordinance.

Clerk Laboda

57:41

McIntosh, Yes. Wojtila, Yes. Jukic, Yes. Tanner, Yes, Tolton, Yes. Jarosz, Yep. Mancuso, Yes.

Ordinance passes.

Council President

57:54

Madam Clerk, please read the final agenda item into the record.

Clerk Laboda

57:58

Resolution 139-22. A resolution appointing four members to the Euclid Charter Review Commission, commencing January 1, 2023.

Council President

58:10

Thank you. I'll entertain a motion for passage to begin discussion. So moved by Councilwoman McIntosh, second by Councilman Wojtila.

All in favor, "Aye."

We will go to Director Sweeney.

Law Director Sweeney

58:21

Thank you, Madam Chair. Per our charter specifically Article 10. Section two, requires the appointment of a Charter Review Commission every eight years. Our new commission will commence January of 2023. Our Charter also advises that council and the Mayor need to seat the commission within 30 days after the last general election. That was November 8, so the Commission needs to be in place by December 8. This piece of legislation appoints the four members that Euclid City Council appoints. And the Mayor also appoints five members. These folks will start officially January 12 is their first meeting and they will meet for up to two years or until they feel their their review is done. Council did an application process as Council President mentioned in her committee minutes earlier this afternoon or this evening and went through an interview process based not interview in person but review of the resumes and picked four candidates, Evan Bosque, Mandy Wetz, Candice Jones and David Overstreet as their appointees to the Charter Review Commission. I'm happy to answer any questions you have.

Council President

59:39

Any further discussion by council? Councilman Jarosz.

Councilman Jarosz

59:44

Thank you, Madam Chair. I would just like to thank Council President as well as my colleagues on council. I thought the way we went about it was

fair, efficient and very thorough. And I think we're all very pleased with the candidates we ended up with.

Council President

59:58

I agree. Any other comments? Councilman Wojtila.

Councilman Wojtila

1:00:03

Thank you, Madam Chair since the committee starts in January, is that, do we know who the other committee members are? Will that come in later?

Council President

1:00:09

I think that's up to the Mayor.

Mayor Gail

1:00:12

I'm still finalizing my five, but I will let you know as soon as they are chosen. Thank you.

Council President

1:00:19

Councilwoman, Councilwoman McIntosh.

Councilwoman McIntosh

1:00:20

Thank you, Madam Chair. So has, have we reached out to these members and have they accepted the status.

Law Director Sweeney

1:00:27

Madam Chair to the Council, I have told them all, sent them a congratulatory email and told them they would be starting January 12. I also sent them a calendar of all of the second Thursdays for the next two years, I had that prepared for them. So I told them to save their dates. And Ms. Laboda also saved this room for the next two years as well on the second Thursday of the month. So we're set and working on their orientation for the first meeting and they have that date already. Yeah. Okay. Yes. January 12. Okay.

Council President

1:01:01

Thank you. Other discussion? Seeing none, I'll entertain a motion to close debate. So moved by Councilman Tanner, second by Councilman Councilman Wojtila.

All in favor, "Aye."

Madam Clerk please call the roll on the resolution.

Clerk Laboda

1:01:14

Wojtila, Yes. Jukic, Yes. Tanner, Yes. Tolton, Yes. Jarosz, Yes. McIntosh, Yes. Mancuso, Yes.

Resolution passes.

Council President

1:01:28

Thank you. We now go to our second **Committee of the Whole** where you may speak for the good of the community. Anyone wishing to speak please give us your name, address. Keep your comments to five minutes, please.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE – PUBLIC PORTION

Resident - Christopher Litwinowicz

1:01:39

Christopher Michael at 21970 Morris Avenue, Euclid Ohio.

To the council, was my name ever brought up? For the charter review? You know, I come to these meetings and enthusiastic about them. And somebody has to reach out to the Mayor. Y'all start having some conversations. When it'd be nice if I was sitting on that. My goal for that? Is that send something back to the council. Cuz concerning a, I saw some errors in there. Just like you guys catch errors all day long doing your legislation. Also, too, I want to move this for the city forward in doing something historic. Just like, you know, I tell another mayor, it's a legacy if you fix a problem. What I'm talking about is reviewing a college for the city Euclid. I don't have to be up on the thing. I can petition the government right now. Why they're in meetings, I could be getting signatures. So two years. That's an investment to learn something. I only reach out because the authority here has its ability. So basically, I threw my name in the hat this evening. The process is if you put application and then I guess counsel can't do that, you know, there's other names. I just don't want to be left out. I really don't want to be left out. Concerning 200 Street. We'd be better off investing less than \$50,000 for new asphalt and lay it down. Don't matter if it's freezing right now just lay some asphalt down the hall street because it's too bumpy. I mean, for

temporary improvement. I think the city just spent a whole bunch of money that they can go down that street right now. You need a roller you need to ask for shut it down for our two that's all I you know, because right now just that investment was saved by a car owner a lot of money. That's like \$1,000 for struts and all this other stuff that we left out. The last two minutes is something on a somber note. A businessman, community activist, whatever you want to label me. I've been saw. And, you know, I showed some law. You showed some law But the law that I have trumps your law if you understand, so the next time I do go to court, it should all be dismissed. What I'm referring to is litre, one charge a litre, \$75 Fine 110 for the court cost. So all the political car signs that were out, I've attested to the United States Constitution, United States Supreme Court 2015 case, when we all hated those Trump signs, it actually states that you might have to bring back Miss Sweeney, and not to put you on blast, you might have to review it and make it not unconstitutional. There's there's items that you do pick you went after all signs. It just cost people money to aggravation. And then luckily, you know, friends of, you know, in the city, now, friends that have family, but friends in the city, who are attorneys who helped a young kid out of a situation. You guys, enjoy your Thanksgiving city, Euclid. And everybody be blessed to WE COULDN'T hand out turkeys from the police department. But that's coming. Thank you. And I won't be you know, much of a burden. But I'm really shaking my head and we just need to discuss some things. Thank you.

Council President

1:06:38

Thank you. Next speaker please.

Resident - Dwayne M

1:06:52

Good evening, my name is Dwayne M. I reside at 312 Buckner drive, Euclid 44123. This is just all good news. I'm very happy for resolutions one and two being passed. And I was fortunate enough to be in one of those very first meetings in the old greenhouse in early 2019. And there were five of us there and two of us are business owners and one property owner. And it does take time for all these good things to happen just like the young man was saying about maybe a few years now there'll be a SID and Euclid Avenue, E 200 Street. And out of that meeting there. The whole redoing of Lakeshore, the walkability of the crosswalks came out of that net leader that fall, we had the Artwalk and 30 day pop up Parkway. And there were some tough times I didn't get a lot of good rave reviews. But um, it's good to see us all coming forward now, three, three and a half years later. These are all good things that are happening. And I just wanted to share that. Thank you.

Council President

1:07:54

Thank you, Sir. Next speaker please. Seeing none, we will now go to **Councilman Comments** and we will begin with Councilwoman Jukic.

COUNCIL COMMENTS

1:08:06

Thank you, Madam Chair. I would just like to wish everyone a happy Thanksgiving holiday. Thank you.

Council President

1:08:14

Oh, that was quick. Councilman Tanner.

Councilman Tanner

1:08:18

Thank you, Madam Chair. As director Dan stated that they are still for Ward 1, they are still picking up the leaves. And they will continue as long as the weather permits that. The second thing I wanted to say is to all of the residents of Euclid., This is the time to be vigilant. In other words, this is the holiday time. So you can't let your guard down. This is a time to look for your surrounding, times as far as outside. And as the Chiefs, Fire Chief said on the inside. We want to see you safe and have a happy holiday. Thank you.

Council President

1:08:53

Thank you, sir Councilman Tolton.

Councilman Tolton

1:08:56

Just also wanted to just to wish everybody a happy Thanksgiving and holiday season. I know in the times we live in is, you know, there's a lot been going on the last couple of years, but I think we still have a lot to be thankful and grateful for. So with that I say goodnight.

Council President

1:09:10

Thank you, Councilman Jarosz.

Councilman Jarosz

1:09:13

Thank you, Madam Chair. Just Happy Thanksgiving.

Council President

1:09:16

Councilwoman McIntosh.

Councilwoman McIntosh

1:09:17

Thank you, Madam Chair. A quick thanks to Gene Malchko at Chardon, Hills Neighborhood Association, he invited all of council to or council chairs to attend an upcoming meeting and present on committee business and I did so last Thursday. And it was a nice crowd very quick, surprisingly. But it was very nice to get the invite and to be able to share news and updates in that capacity. So just wanted to send my thanks to the Chardon Hills Neighborhood Association, and I'll end by wishing everybody a happy and safe Thanksgiving.

Council President

1:09:54

Thank you, Councilman Wojtila.

Councilman Wojtila

1:09:56

Thank you, Madam Chair. I have nothing just to wish everybody Happy Thanksgiving.

Council President

1:10:02

Wow. I just want to reiterate we will have on January 25, 2022. And E and F meeting to discuss, once again, our pilot project.

Law Director Sweeney

1:10:13

Madam Chair, yes, January 25, 2023.

Council President

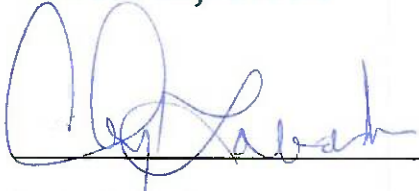
1:10:24

(I knew you didn't mean December 25.) I didn't. And just kind of an update. I've gotten several emails about the applications for the Ward

five appointment. All applications have to be in by this Friday after Thanksgiving. We have a scheduled an E and F meeting for 11-30-2022 and December 1, 2022. We will meet at 6:30. We will do it exactly the way we did for our Ward one council person. So please, everybody be prompt because we'll take a few minutes to kind of get ourselves organized. And then all of our candidates will be here with us. So with that, if you're cooking for people, Thanksgiving, God bless you. If you're going to somebody's house whose feeding you. be appreciative. It's a lot of work. With that. I will say Happy Thanksgiving and look for a motion to adjourn. So moved by Councilman Jarosz, second by Councilman Tolton.

All in favor, "Aye."

We are adjourned



Clerk of Council



Council President