



Crawfordsville Council Meeting Minutes

The City of Crawfordsville, Indiana

April 10, 2023 at 6:00 PM EDT

City Building, 300 E. Pike Street, Crawfordsville, Indiana 47933

Council Chambers

The Crawfordsville Common Council met on Monday, April 10, 2023 at 6:00 p.m. Present were Mayor Todd Barton, Clerk-Treasurer – Terri Gadd and City Attorney – Tyler Nichols, Councilman–Ethan Hollander, Councilman – Andy Biddle, Councilwoman – Jennifer Lowe, Councilman – Kent Priebe, Councilman – Jeff Lucas and Councilman – Mike Reidy.

Also present were: Aaron Mattingly – Police Department, Mike McKinney – Wastewater Department, Scott Busenbark – Fire Department, Mark Cox – Street Department, Megan Huckstep – Planning Department, Fawn Johnson – Park & Rec and John Douglas – CEL&P.

Councilwoman Lowe led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Councilman Hollander led the prayer.

Chairman Barton asked Clerk-Treasurer Gadd to call the roll for purpose of attendance. Councilman Hamilton not present.

Councilman Biddle moved to approve the minutes from the meeting on March 13, 2023. Councilman Reidy seconded.

Councilman Biddle moved to acknowledge receipt of the monthly financials. Councilman Reidy seconded. Motion passed.

Clerk-Treasurer Gadd called the roll for suggested additions to the agenda. Councilman Hollander had one item.

Fiscal Affairs

The first item presented is the second reading of an Ordinance Amending Ordinance 16-2022 Salary Ordinance for City of Crawfordsville's Appointed Officers and Employees. Councilman Biddle moved to place the Ordinance on second reading. Councilman Reidy seconded. Chairman Barton called for comments from the Council and the public. Hearing none, the roll was called for the vote. The ordinance passed second reading with a unanimous vote.

Councilman Biddle moved to place the ordinance on third and final reading and so adopt. Councilman Reidy seconded. Chairman Barton called for comments from the Council and the public. Hearing none, the roll was called for the vote. The ordinance passed third and final reading with a unanimous vote.

(Ordinance #9-2023)

The second item is a Resolution Acknowledging Receipt of the 2022 Crawfordsville Redevelopment Commission Annual Report under Indiana Code § 36-7-14-13. Councilman Biddle moved to approve the resolution. Councilman Priebe seconded. Chairman Barton called for comments from the Council and the public. Hearing none, the roll was called for the vote. The resolution passed with a unanimous vote.

(Resolution #5-2023)

The third item is a Resolution Approving Amended American Rescue Plan. Councilman Biddle moved to approve the resolution. Councilman Reidy seconded. Chairman Barton called for comments from the Council and the public. Hearing none, the roll was called for the vote. The resolution passed with a unanimous vote.

(Resolution #6-2023)

The fourth item presented is first reading of an Ordinance to Appropriate from the ARP Coronavirus Local Fiscal Recovery Fund for Purposes that Fulfill the Intent of the American Rescue Plan Act in Aid of the City's Recovery from the Effects of the COVID-19 Emergency. Councilman Biddle moved to place the Ordinance on first reading. Councilwoman Reidy seconded. Chairman Barton called for comments from the Council and the public. Hearing none, the roll was called for the vote. The ordinance passed first reading with a unanimous vote.

(First Reading)

Ordinance & Petitions

The first item presented is the second reading of an Ordinance Repealing and Replacing City Code Chapter 156: Floodplain Management and Retitling Chapter 156: Flood Damage Prevention. Councilman Reidy moved to place the Ordinance on second reading. Councilwoman Lowe seconded. Chairman Barton called for comments from the Council and the public. Hearing none, the roll was called for the vote. The ordinance passed second reading with a unanimous vote.

Councilman Reidy moved to place the ordinance on third and final reading and so adopt. Councilwoman Lowe seconded. Chairman Barton called for comments from the Council and the public. Hearing none, the roll was called for the vote. The ordinance passed third and final reading with a unanimous vote.

(Ordinance#10-2023)

Traffic, Parking & Safety

The first item presented is first reading of an Ordinance Vacating Beech Street in Crawfordsville, Indiana. Councilwoman Lowe moved to place the Ordinance on first reading. Councilman Biddle seconded. Chairman Barton called for comments from the Council and the public. Hearing none, the roll was called for the vote. The ordinance passed first reading with a unanimous vote.

(First Reading)

The second item presented is the first reading of an Ordinance Amending City Parking Ordinance to Amend Limited Parking Zones along East Pike Street and Official Vehicle Designations in Parking Lots at Water Street and Main Street and 300 Block East Main Street in Crawfordsville, Indiana. Councilwoman Lowe moved to place the Ordinance on first reading. Councilman Priebe seconded. Chairman Barton called for comments from the Council and the public. Hearing none, the roll was called for the vote. The ordinance passed first reading with a unanimous vote.

(First Reading)

Annexation

The first item presented is the second reading of an Ordinance to Annex Property Known as approximately 47.403 acres located at 164 W. State Road 32 (parcel54-10-06-400-016.000-027) and the associated right-of-way. Councilman Lucas moved to place the Ordinance on second reading. Councilman Biddle seconded. Chairman Barton called for comments from the Council and the public. Hearing none, the roll was called for the vote. The ordinance passed second reading with a unanimous vote.



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Councilman Lucas moved to place the ordinance on third and final reading and so adopt. Councilwoman Lowe seconded. Chairman Barton called for comments from the Council and the public. Councilman Reidy offered comments. Hearing no further comments, the roll was called for the vote. The ordinance passed third and final reading with a unanimous vote.

(Ordinance #11-2023)

Miscellaneous

Councilman Hollander thanked CEL&P, John Douglas, for a tour that Mr. Douglas provided. He also thanked his mom for attending.

Adjournment

There being no further business Councilman Lucas moved to adjourn the meeting. Councilman Reidy seconded. The meeting was adjourned at 6:13 p.m.

Signed by me this 8 day of May, 2023.



Mayor Todd Barton

ATTEST: 

Clerk-Treasurer – Terri Gadd