



Crawfordsville Council Meeting Minutes

City of Crawfordsville, Indiana

City Building, Council Chambers
300 E. Pike Street
Crawfordsville, IN 47933

November 12, 2024 at 6:00PM

The Crawfordsville Common Council met on Monday, Tuesday November 12, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. Present were Mayor Todd Barton, Clerk-Treasurer – Karyn Douglas and City Attorney – Kent Minnette, Councilman – Kent Priebe, Councilman – Ethan Hollander, Councilman – Jeff Lucas, Councilwoman – Jennifer Lowe, Councilman – Andy Biddle, Councilman – Stan Hamilton and Councilman – Mike Reidy.

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

Councilwoman Lowe led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Councilman Biddle led the prayer.

Chairman Barton asked Clerk-Treasurer Douglas to call the roll for purpose of attendance. All present.

Councilman Biddle moved to approve the minutes from the meeting on October 14, 2024. Councilman Priebe seconded.

Councilwoman Lowe moved to acknowledge receipt of the monthly financials. Councilman Hamilton seconded. Motion passed.

Clerk-Treasurer, Karyn Douglas, called the roll for suggested additions to the agenda. No additions.

Public Hearing

Mayor Barton opened a public hearing at 6:03 p.m. on 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. Hearing no comments, the hearing was closed at 6:03 p.m.

Mayor Barton opened a public hearing at 6:04 p.m. on a Confirmatory Resolution Approving Application for Personal Property Tax Deductions in an Economic Revitalization Area for Kroger Limited Partnership II (dba Pace Dairy). Hearing no comments, the hearing was closed at 6:04 p.m.

Mayor Barton opened a public hearing at 6:04 p.m. on a Confirmatory Resolution Approving Application for Personal Property Tax Deductions in an Economic Revitalization Area Midwest Bale Ties, Inc. Hearing no comments, the hearing was closed at 6:04 p.m.

Fiscal Affairs

The first item presented is the first reading of an Ordinance Authorizing The City Of Crawfordsville, Indiana To Issue Its "Taxable Economic Development Revenue Bonds, Series 2024 (Ben Hur Project)" And Approving Other Actions In Respect Thereto. Councilman Biddle moved to place this ordinance on first reading. Councilman Hamilton seconded. Chairman Barton called for comments from the Council and the public. Councilman Biddle, Councilman Hollander and a Baker-Tilly representative offered

comments. Hearing no further comments, 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 Making and Addition Appropriation for the year 2024 (City General Fund). Councilman Biddle moved to place the Ordinance on first reading. Councilman Hamilton 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 third item presented is a Confirmatory Resolution Approving Application for Personal Property Tax Deductions in an Economic Revitalization Area for Kroger Limited Partnership II (dba Pace Dairy). 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 #31-2024)

The fourth item presented is a Confirmatory Resolution Approving Application for Personal Property Tax Deductions in an Economic Revitalization Area Midwest Bale Ties, Inc. 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 #32-2024)

The fifth item presented is the second 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 of Crawfordsville's Recovery from the Effects of the COVID-19 Emergency. Councilman Biddle moved to place this ordinance on second reading. Councilman Hamilton 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 Hamilton 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 #24-2024)

Ordinance & Petitions

Traffic, Parking & Safety

Annexation

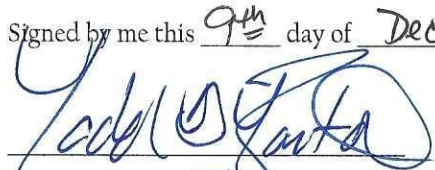
Miscellaneous

Councilman Biddle made a motion to appoint Scott Molin to the Economic Development Commission. Councilwoman Lowe seconded. Motion passed.

Adjournment

There being no further business Councilman Hollander moved to adjourn the meeting. Councilman Biddle seconded. The meeting was adjourned at 6:15 p.m.

Signed by me this 9th day of December, 2024.



Mayor, Todd Barton

ATTEST: 