

**COMMON COUNCIL  
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2021  
6:00 PM**

Mayor Ryan Daniel – Present  
Clerk Treasurer Rosie Coyle – Present  
Attorney Marcia McNagny – Present

**Council Members**

Walter Crowder – Present  
Jennifer Middleton – Present  
Jennifer Romano – Present  
Tad Varga – Absent  
Daniel Weigold – Present

The Columbia City Common Council met in regular session with all members except Tad Varga present, Mayor Daniel presiding.

**MINUTES** Motion was made by Jennifer Romano to approve an overview of the November 9, 2021, meeting minutes as presented, Jennifer Middleton seconded the motion, all voted aye.

**2022 ELECTED OFFICIALS SALARY ORDINANCE – 2<sup>ND</sup> READING** Motion was made by Dan Weigold to read Ordinance 2021-27 by title only, Jennifer Romano seconded the motion, all voted aye. Clerk Treasurer Rosie Coyle read Ordinance 2021-27 an ordinance fixing the annual salaries of all elected officials of the City of Columbia City, Indiana effective January 1, 2022, for the year 2022.

Motion was made by Dan Weigold to approve Ordinance 2021-27 on second and final reading, Jennifer Middleton seconded the motion, all voted aye.

**DEPARTMENT REPORTS** **Terry Wherry** – working on the multi-factor authentication for our network. **Gary Parrett** - Officer Cook's vehicle in accident and may be determined a total loss. Board of Works approved purchase of 2 vehicles from City Ford out of the 2022 budget. Partnering with Toys 4 Tots. Patrolling 4 presents program scheduled for December 18 at Paige's Crossing. Preparing for Turkey Trot and lighted Christmas parade. Extended deadline for accepting applications for Dispatch. **Chip Hill** – handicap ramp installed by Tokyo Steakhouse. Trail grant due December 1. Update on Westgate project. **Tom LaRue** – update on the training facility. Received permission from Board of Works to replace Blake Forrester who resigned. Annual candy giveaway on December 24 from 6 – 8 pm.

**MAYOR REPORT** Mayor Daniel met with the new Regional Partnership Director. Held public meetings on the trail and park plan. Good conversation with the school corporation on opportunities to partner together to improve our community.

Having no further business to discuss the meeting was adjourned.

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Mayor Ryan Daniel

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Clerk Treasurer Rosie Coyle