

This meeting was in Hybrid Form (Council members and visitors in Chambers and all others via ZOOM)

Amherst City Council was brought to order in a Special Session with President Wasilk opening the meeting at 7:22 p.m. Also present in Council Chambers were Mr. Heberling, Mr. Janik, Mr. Winiarski, Mr. Dembinski, Mr. Cowger, Mr. Wachholz, Ms. Smith and Mayor Costilow. Present via ZOOM were Treasurer Ramsey, Law Director Pecora, Safety/Service Director Jeffreys, Assistant Law Director Ward and Auditor Pittak.

The Prayer was invoked by Chaplin Janik, followed by the Pledge to the Flag led by Sergeant at Arms Dembinski.

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS FIRST READING:

- (a) An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor to enter into a Community Housing and Preservation Partnership Agreement with the Lorain County Commissioners and certain cities; and declaring an emergency. (A-23-27)

Mr. Dembinski motioned to suspend all Council rules so that this may be passed in its first reading. Seconded by Ms. Smith. Roll call vote 7-0 to suspend rules. Mr. Janik motioned to adopt. Seconded by Mr. Dembinski. Mr. Winiarski said that there is a good chance that we will receive this funding. The county has already hired a consultant. that will be managing the program on behalf of the communities in Lorain County. That gentleman will be appearing with us on ZOOM to go into details of the program. We will know how to advertise this to our community. He'd hate for us to have to miss out on this money. Roll call vote 7-0 to adopt. Becomes 0-23-28.

Mr. Dembinski motioned to adjourn. Seconded by Mr. Wachholz. Voice vote 7-0 to adjourn.

The meeting adjourned at 7:25.

Olga Sivinski, Clerk of Council

Jennifer Wasilk, President of Council