

SPECIAL

APRIL 21

2025

Amherst City Council met in a Special Session under full compliance of State Law with President Wasilk opening the meeting at 7:00 P. M. Roll call: Ms. Harmych-absent, Mr. Wachholz, Mr. Nahorn, Mr. Janik, Mr. Heberling, Mr. Winiarski, Mr. Dembinski. Also present were Mayor Costilow, Auditor Phillips, Law Director Pecora, Treasurer Ramsey, and Safety/Service Director Jeffreys – absent, Assistant Law Director Ward - absent. Also present was Mr. Dean Spoor of Thompson-Hire LLP of 3122 Walnut Street, suite 2000, Cincinnati. Mr. Nahorn motioned to excuse Ms. Harmych, Mr. Jeffreys and Mr. Ward. Seconded by Mr. Heberling. Voice vote 6-0 to excuse.

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

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS SECOND READING:

- (a) An Ordinance authorizing an increase in appropriations in the Income Tax Department for the Full-Time Income Tax Office Clerk position; and declaring an emergency. (A-25-15)

Mr. Dembinski motioned to suspend all Council rules so that this may be passed in its second reading. Seconded by Mr. Wachholz. Roll call vote 6-0 to suspend rules. Mr. Nahorn motioned to adopt. Seconded by Mr. Janik. Roll call vote 6-0 to adopt. Becomes 0-25-08.

- (b) An Ordinance amending City of Amherst Ordinance No. O-22-55 establishing the wage rates and benefits, terms and other conditions of employment for certain full-time non-bargaining unit employees of the City of Amherst and repealing all ordinances in conflict therewith; and declaring an emergency. (A-25-16)

Mr. Dembinski motioned to suspend all Council rules so that this may be passed in its second reading. Seconded by Mr. Wachholz. Mr. Winiarski asked why the emergency was needed. Mayor Costilow and Mr. Ramsey said they can't pay wages unless this is adopted. Roll call vote 6-0 to suspend rules. Mr. Janik motioned to adopt. Seconded by Mr. Heberling. Roll call vote 6-0 to adopt. Becomes 0-25-09

Mr. Dembinski motioned to adjourn. Seconded by Mr. Wachholz. Roll call vote 6-0 to adjourn. The meeting adjourned at 7:06 p.m.

Olga Sivinski, Clerk of Council

Jennifer Wasilk, President of Council

