

**READING CITY COUNCIL  
REGULAR MEETING  
TUESDAY, October 11, 2022  
City Hall Council Chambers**

**MEETING CALLED TO ORDER BY MAYOR MATTHEWS AT 6:31 P.M.**

**ROLL CALL:** Matthews, Penney, George, Matz, VanCamp, Kimberly Blythe, Manager/Clerk/Treasurer, Cheryl King, Deputy Clerk/Treasurer, RPD Sergeant Cooley

**Guest:** Reading Fire Chief Brad Wright, Theresa Rutan Karim Healthcare, Rose Signor, Mattison Deboe

**PLEDGE TO ALLEGIANCE**

**CONSENT AGENDA**

-Penney moved, Matz seconded to approve the Consent Agenda, which includes the minutes from the Regular Meeting on September 13, 2022. Payment of operating bills for September 2022 for \$76,753.79, Treasurer's Report and Financial Statements August 2022 and the Election Commission Minutes October 3, 2022.

**ROLL CALL VOTE:** Yeas- Matthews, Penney, Matz, George, VanCamp Motion Carried (5-0)

**GUEST**

Theresa Rutan Karim Healthcare, voiced concerns that a tenant only parking sign was not replaced in the west parking lot, or that there is no handicap parking other than at the library for her tenant that has an autistic child. Rose Signor also spoke to council on her struggles with parking as a tenant with handicap child.

**FIRST CALL TO PUBLIC:** Mark Wiley, County Commissioner, spoke on the Sr. Service Contract, work is being done on the county courthouse roof, meeting with Representatives Shirkey and Fink regarding 800 megahertz radios that did not pass on a county wide vote. October 17, Michigan Community Dental Clinic on Care Dr. will reopen. Ohio Michigan Indiana Aquaphor will meet in Bryan, OH on October 31.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

-Mayor Matthews gave an update on Halloween Festivities in the City. Mayor also informed council that there was a gentleman from Allen, MI that has a Lego display that would like to bring to town the night of Halloween.

-VEOLIA-Water Tower Maintenance/Service Agreement: Attorney's for both the city and VEOLIA are still working on contract verbiage. Manager Blythe would like to talk to EGLE and USDA regarding funding before any agreement is signed.

**NEW BUSINESS**

-Penney moved, VanCamp seconded, to approve the \$20,000 contribution to the Reading Community Fire Department for the 2022/2023 Fiscal Year.

**ROLL CALL VOTE:** Yeas- Matthews, Penney, Matz, George, VanCamp Motion Carried (5-0)

**SECOND CALL TO PUBLIC:** Theresa Rutan suggested to council to put up caution signs in the west parking lot.

-Next meeting will be Tuesday, November 15, 2022, at 6:30 p.m.

Penney moved, VanCamp seconded to adjourn the meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 7:01pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Cheryl King, Deputy Clerk /Treasurer