**Monday, November 19, 2018**

At a public hearing of the City Council, in the City of Woonsocket, County of Providence, State of Rhode Island in Harris Hall on Monday, November 19, 2018 at 6:30 P.M.

All members are present.

18 O 55 An ordinance in amendment of Code of Ordinances, Appendix C entitled “Zoning” changing the zoning designation of Assessor’s Plat 39, Lot 9 from R-2 to MU-1is read by title.

Atty. Lloyd Gariepy addressed the council.

Upon motion of Councilman Cournoyer seconded by Councilors Fagnant and Sierra it is voted that the hearing be and it is hereby adjourned at 6:36 P.M.

The regular meeting immediately follows at 7 P.M.

All members are present.

The prayer is read by the Clerk. The Pledge of Allegiance is given by the assembly.

The following persons addressed the council under citizens good and welfare: Susan Mansfield, Jeanne Michon, William Doe, John Reynolds Kr., Adam Brunetti, Jeff Partington, Richard A. Monteiro, Cindy Stapanian, Alethea Forcier, Carmen Boucher, Timothy Cote and Estelle Bubble.

Upon motion of Councilwoman Murray seconded by Councilman Beauchamp it is voted that the minutes of the regular meeting held November 5th be approved as submitted with one correction to let minutes reflect that on 18 R 117, Councilwoman Murray abstained from the vote rather than Councilwoman Sierra, a voice vote on same being unanimous.

Upon motion of Councilwoman Murray seconded by Councilman Brien it is voted that the consent agenda be approved as submitted, a voice vote on same being unanimous.

The following items were listed on the consent agenda:

18 CO 51 A communication from Planning Board Chairman submitting response to request for advice and recommendation regarding change of designation from R-2 to MU-1on Plat 30 Lot 9.

18 CO 52 A communication from City Solicitor regarding property damage claim of Jeremy Fontaine.

18 CO 53 A communication from City Solicitor regarding property damage claim of Jeanne F. Lambert.

18 CP 68 Monthly odor report from Jacobs Engineering Group.

18 LC 52 Upon motion of Councilwoman Murray seconded by Councilman Brien it is voted that the following licenses be granted, a voice vote on same being unanimous: 1 application for Class F1 license with entertainment, 1 application for entertainment license, 5 applications for renewal of coin-operated machine license, 1 application for renewal of constable license, 1 application for renewal of holiday license, 2 applications for renewal of pool table license, 1 application for private detective license, 2 applications for renewal of quarterly entertainment license, 4 applications for first class victualing license and 1 application of Class D liquor license holder to hold a 2 AM license on New Year’s Eve.

Upon motion of Councilman Cournoyer seconded by Councilwoman Murray it is voted to dispense with the regular order of business and take up the following ordinance:

18 O 55 An ordinance in amendment of Code of Ordinances, Appendix C entitled “Zoning” changing the zoning designation of Assessor’s Plat 39, Lot 9 from R-2 to MU-1 which was tabled until this meeting, is read by title, and

Upon motion of Councilwoman Murray seconded by Councilman Cournoyer it is voted that the ordinance be passed for the first time, a roll call vote on same being unanimous.

The following remarks are made under good and welfare:

Councilman Brien congratulated Woonsocket High School football team on Super Bowl win and also congratulated Emmanuel Gomes for being named MVP. He requested the public to vote for Levitt AMP concert series. He commented on odor report. He congratulated Jeanne Michon on her success with New Beginnings. He announced Rotary Club beer & wine tasting fundraiser to be held December 4th at Village Haven.

Councilman Cournoyer spoke about teachers’ contract and putting past environment behind us.

Councilman Fagnant spoke about monthly odor report. He congratulated Woonsocket High School football team and Coach Bibeault on Super Bowl win.

Councilwoman Murray thanked all who ran for public office and the voters. She spoke about Levitt AMP concert series. She wished everyone a Happy Thanksgiving

Councilwoman Sierra reminded everyone that Bileau’s is selling tickets for a raffle to benefit New Beginnings. She wished everyone a happy, healthy Thanksgiving.

President Gendron spoke about Main Street holiday stroll on December 1st. He addressed issues at the Senior Center. He spoke about tragedy on Clinton Street and safety precautions. He wished everyone a Happy Thanksgiving.

Councilman Beauchamp congratulated Woonsocket High School football team, coach, parents and principal Henderson. He commended Mr. Cote for speaking under good and welfare.

18 O 58 An ordinance in amendment of Chapter 15 entitled “Parks and Recreation” of the Code of Ordinances is read by title, and

Upon motion of Councilman Beauchamp seconded by Councilman Fagnant it is voted that the ordinance be passed, a roll call vote on same being unanimous.

18 O 59 An ordinance authorizing abandonment and acceptance of storm drain easements, which was passed for the first time on November 5th, is read by title, and

Upon motion of Councilman Beauchamp seconded by Councilman Fagnant it is voted that the ordinance be passed, a roll call vote on same being unanimous.

18 O 62 An ordinance authorizing sale of property located at Scotia Street a/k/a Assessor’s Plat 1, Lot 89 located on McMullen Avenue a/k/a Assessor’s Plat 1, Lot 76 is read by title, and is withheld until the next meeting.

18 R 120 A resolution authorizing the cancellation of certain taxes is read by title, and

Upon motion of Councilman Beauchamp seconded by Councilman Fagnant it is voted that the resolution be passed, a voice vote on same being unanimous.

Upon motion of Councilman Fagnant seconded by Councilors Beauchamp and Sierra it is voted that the meeting be and it is hereby adjourned at 8:08 P.M.

Attest: Christina Harmon Duarte City Clerk