

**CITY OF READING, OHIO
COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES – LEGISLATIVE SESSION
JANUARY 14, 2020 – 7:30 PM**

CALL TO ORDER

President of Council Cris Nesbitt called the meeting to order at 7:30 PM.

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mr. Nesbitt led those in attendance in a prayer and then the Pledge of Allegiance.

ROLL CALL

Council Members Present: Mr. Powell, Mr. Gertz, Mr. Lynd, Mr. Albrinck, Mr. Lindeman & Mrs. Eadicicchio.
Motion made by President of Council Cris Nesbitt to excuse Mr. Fischesser. Motion carried by voice vote.

Other City Officials Present:

President of Council Cris Nesbitt, Auditor Sabrina Smith & Clerk of Council Carla Kacher.

AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION – none.

READING OF ORDINANCES

(1) AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE AUDITOR TO MAKE TRANSFERS NOT TO EXCEED \$2,000,000.00 FROM THE CITY EARNINGS TAX FUND TO THE GENERAL FUND FROM JANUARY 1, 2020 – MARCH 31, 2020, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

Motion made by Mr. Albrinck, seconded by Mr. Lynd to suspend the second and third reading. Motion passed by a 6-0 roll call vote. Motion made by Mr. Lindeman, seconded by Mr. Powell to adopt the ordinance. Motion passed by a 6-0 roll call vote.

ORDINANCE ADOPTED

ORDINANCE NO. 2020-01

(2) AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE AUDITOR TO MAKE TRANSFERS NOT TO EXCEED \$2,000,000.00 FROM THE CITY EARNINGS TAX FUND TO THE GENERAL FUND FROM APRIL 1, 2020 – JUNE 30, 2020, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

Motion made by Mr. Albrinck, seconded by Mr. Lindeman to suspend the second and third reading. Motion passed by a 6-0 roll call vote. Motion made by Mr. Lynd, seconded by Mr. Albrinck to adopt the ordinance. Motion passed by a 6-0 roll call vote.

ORDINANCE ADOPTED

ORDINANCE NO. 2020-02

(3) AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE AUDITOR TO MAKE TRANSFERS NOT TO EXCEED \$2,000,000.00 FROM THE CITY EARNINGS TAX FUND TO THE GENERAL FUND FROM JULY 1, 2020 – SEPTEMBER 30, 2020, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

Motion made by Mr. Lindeman, seconded by Mr. Powell to suspend the second and third reading. Motion passed by a 6-0 roll call vote. Motion made by Mr. Lynd, seconded by Mrs. Eadicicchio to adopt the ordinance. Motion passed by a 6-0 roll call vote.

ORDINANCE ADOPTED

ORDINANCE NO. 2020-03

(4) AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE AUDITOR TO MAKE TRANSFERS NOT TO EXCEED \$2,000,000.00 FROM THE CITY EARNINGS TAX FUND TO THE GENERAL FUND FROM OCTOBER 1, 2020 – DECEMBER 31, 2020, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

Motion made by Mr. Lynd, seconded by Mr. Lindeman to suspend the second and third reading. Motion passed by a 6-0 roll call vote. Motion made by Mr. Powell, seconded by Mr. Albrinck to adopt the ordinance. Motion passed by a 6-0 roll call vote.

ORDINANCE ADOPTED

ORDINANCE NO. 2020-04

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:38 PM.

OTHER BUSINESS

President of Council Cris Nesbitt offered a list of initial ideas of renovations to the City Council Chambers. All Council members gave their opinions as to what they'd like to see changed and how much money they'd like to see go into such projects (or if they'd prefer to see the money go elsewhere).

X Carla Kacher
CARLA D. KACHER
Clerk of Council

X Cris Nesbitt
CRIS NESBITT
President of Council