

CITY OF BELLEVILLE
REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
Monday, March 7, 2022 - 7:30 pm
VIA ZOOM TELECONFERENCE

The regular meeting of the City Council was held via a hybrid of in-person and virtual access through ZOOM. Those attending in-person were required to complete a Covid-19 health screening form. All persons who had not been vaccinated for Covid-19 were required to wear a mask while in City Hall.

The regular meeting of the Belleville City Council was called to order by Mayor Pro-Tem Voigt at 7:30 p.m.

1. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE & MOMENT OF SILENCE

2. ROLL CALL

Council Member Henry	Present
Council Member Jones	Present
Council Member Bates	Present
Mayor Pro-Tem Voigt	Present
Mayor Conley	Arrived at 7:35 p.m.

3. APPOINTMENTS, PRESENTATIONS & CITIZENS COMMENTS

A. Presentations

- None

B. Council Follow Up List

- 1) Council Member Bates stated she was happy to see the addition of a court worker on the list. She also requested that cleanup of the DPW side lot be added.
- 2) Council Member Jones stated that he would like to see permanent signage for the BORA DORA district added to the list, per his comments at the last meeting.
- 3) Mayor Pro-Tem Voigt asked for repair of the intersection of Main St. and N. Liberty to be added to the list.

C. Citizen Comments on Non-Agenda Items

- 1) John Juriga informed everyone that there would be an open house/dedication held at the Belleville Area District Library on April 9th from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION: Motion by Bates, supported by Jones to approve the agenda as presented.

ROLL CALL VOTE:	Council Member Henry	Aye
	Council Member Bates	Aye
	Council Member Jones	Aye
	Mayor Pro-Tem Voigt	Aye

Motion Carried.

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A. February 22, 2022, Regular Meeting of the City Council

MOTION: Motion by Bates, supported by Henry to approve the Minutes of the Regular City Council Meeting held on Tuesday, February 22, 2022.

ROLL CALL VOTE:	Council Member Bates	Aye
	Council Member Jones	Aye
	Council Member Henry	Aye
	Mayor Pro-Tem Voigt	Aye

Motion Carried.

6. PUBLIC HEARINGS

None.

7. INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCES

None.

8. GENERAL BUSINESS DISCUSSION

A) Resolution # 22-018 – Board and Commission Appointments/Re-Appointments

MOTION: Motion by Voigt, supported by Bates to approve **Resolution # 22-018** to make re-appointments to the Planning Commission, as well as one new appointment to the Planning Commission, and one new appointment to the Board of Review. (Mayor Conley arrived at 7:35 p.m. prior to approval of this resolution).

ROLL CALL VOTE:	Council Member Bates	Aye
	Council Member Jones	Aye
	Council Member Henry	Aye
	Mayor Pro-Tem Voigt	Aye
	Mayor Conley	Aye

Motion Carried.

B) Dates for Departmental Budget Study Session

1. Decision made by City Council to move the Departmental Budget Study Sessions to April 11th and April 13th, at 6 p.m.

9. ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND DEPARTMENTAL EXPENDITURES

MOTION: Motion by Bates, supported by Voigt to approve **Resolution #22-019** authorizing Accounts Payable and Departmental Expenditures as presented.

ROLL CALL VOTE:	Council Member Henry	Aye
	Mayor Conley	Aye
	Council Member Bates	Aye
	Council Member Jones	Aye
	Mayor Pro-Tem Voigt	Aye

Motion Carried.

10. CITY MANAGER COMMENTS

- City Manager Robinson welcomed the new members to the Planning Commission and the Board of Review and thanked those who volunteer when the city needs them.
- Stated it was a busy day due to the incident at Belleville High School, in which a student was found to be in possession of a firearm on school property.

11. CITY COUNCIL MEMBER COMMENTS

- Council Member Henry
 - No comments.
- Mayor Pro-Tem Voigt
 - Thanked everyone for being at the meeting.
 - Thanked everyone on the city's boards and commissions.
- Council Member Jones
 - No comments.
- Council Member Bates
 - Thanked everyone for being at the meeting.
 - Thanked everyone who volunteers for the city's boards and commissions.

12. MAYOR'S COMMENTS

- Mayor Conley thanked all who volunteer for the city's boards and commissions.
- Thanked Belleville High School administration, the Belleville Police Department, the person who brought the incident at the school to the faculty's attention, and the parents who were present at the meeting regarding the incident. She also stated that the school was very responsive and transparent.

13. CITIZENS COMMENTS

- Mike Renaud
 - Thanked DPW for their filling of potholes in the city.
 - Agreed with Mayor Pro-Tem Voigt that the intersection of Main St. and N. Liberty needs repair.
- Tom Fielder
 - Commended previous city and DDA administration for the road work done as part of the DDA Streetscape project, as it is still holding strong.
 - Thanked City Council for appointing him to the Planning Commission.
 - Asked that DDA special meeting dates be posted on the city's website.

14. ACTION ITEMS FOR NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETING

- None

15. ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: Motion by Bates, supported by Voigt to adjourn at 7:50 p.m.
No objections were noted.

Motion Carried.

Briana Hootman, City Clerk

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