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PROCEEDINGS

Lordstown Village Council Regular Meeting

(WHEREAS, the regular meeting before the Lordstown Village Council commenced on Monday, December 16, 2024, at 6:05 p.m. and proceedings were as follows:)

(Lord's Prayer and Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag)

MAYOR WOODWARD: Roll call, please.
MS. BORDNER: Mayor Woodward?
MAYOR WOODWARD: Present.
MS. BORDNER: Mr. Bond?
MR. BOND: Here.
MS. BORDNER: Mr. Liming?
MR. LIMING: Here.
MS. BORDNER: Miss Blank?
MS. BLANK: Present.
MS. BORDNER: Mr. Campbell?
MR. CAMPBELL: Here.
MS. BORDNER: Mr. Sheely?
MR. SHEELY: Here.
MS. BORDNER: Mr. Moseley?
MR. MOSELEY: Here.
MS. BORDNER: Clerk Blank?
(NO RESPONSE — ABSENT.)
Treasurer Ebling?
MR. EBLING: Here.
MS. BORDNER: Solicitor Ries?
SOLICITOR RIES: Here.
MS. BORDNER: Police Chief Brent Milhoan?
CHIEF MILHOAN: Present.
MS. BORDNER: Fire Chief Travis Eastham?
(NO RESPONSE — ABSENT.)
Planning and Zoning Administrator, Kellie Bordner, present.
Street Commissioner, Martin Nelder?
MR. NELDER: Present.
MS. BORDNER: Board of Public Affairs?
MR. PETERSON: Present.
MS. BORDNER: Engineer, Chris Kogelnik?
(NO RESPONSE — ABSENT.)
MAYOR WOODWARD: Can I have a motion to excuse Bill, Travis and Chris? Bill is sick; Chris is sick; and Travis is out of town.
MR. BOND: So moved.
MAYOR WOODWARD: Motion by Bond.
MR. SHEELY: Second.
MAYOR WOODWARD: Second by Sheely. All in favor?
COUNCIL: Aye.
MAYOR WOODWARD: All Opposed?
(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED)

MAYOR WOODWARD: 6, ayes; 0, nays. Motion is carried.
Can I get a motion for the adoption of the agenda?
MR. LIMING: So moved.
MAYOR WOODWARD: Motion by Liming.
MR. MOSELEY: Second.
MAYOR WOODWARD: Second by Moseley. All in favor?
COUNCIL: Aye.

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MAYOR WOODWARD: All Opposed?
(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED.)

MAYOR WOODWARD: 6, ayes; 0, nays. Motion is carried to adopt.
Can I have a motion for disposal of the minutes for the regular
Council meeting December 2, 2024?

MR. MOSELEY: So moved.

MR. BOND: Second.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Motion by Moseley; second by Bond. Are there any questions
on the minutes, discussion?
(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)

All in favor?

COUNCIL: Aye.

MAYOR WOODWARD: All opposed?
(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED.)

MAYOR WOODWARD: Motion is carried.
Is there a motion for payment of the bills?

MR. CAMPBELL: So moved.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Motion by Campbell.

MR. LIMING: Second.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Second by Liming. Are there any questions on the bills? I
forgot to ask during caucus. Are there any questions or
concerns?
(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)

All in favor?

COUNCIL: Aye.

MAYOR WOODWARD: All opposed?
(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED.)

MAYOR WOODWARD: 6, aye; 0, nays. Motion is carried.
Mayor's report. Tonight I'm going to ask for you to approve
the resignation of Rose Saborse from the Board of Zoning
Appeals. That will be effective December 31, 2024. And
tonight I'm also going to ask for Council to allow for the
advertising for the vacancy on the Board of Zoning Appeals
for the term ending August 13, 2025.
Also, I just want to wish everybody a Merry Christmas,
Happy Holidays, Happy New Year. I don't know if I'll see
you all before Christmas. So, I just wanted to wish everybody
a Merry Christmas before then.

Clerk's report. Other than—

MS. BORDNER: Other than talking about the tentative year-end Council
meeting for the wrap up.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Okay. So, there is a tentative end-of-the-year Council meeting
scheduled for Monday, December 30, 2024, at
6 p.m. That is subject to change, of course. Council will need
to approve that meeting under new business. Is there anything
else, Kellie?

MS. BORDNER: No, ma'am.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Okay. Solicitor's report?

SOLICITOR RIES: Thank you, Mayor. On Friday, I received back from the City
of Warren executed copies of our addendum to the water

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supply agreement, as well as the RUMA for the 24-inch waterline. This is all for the TEC project. So, I forwarded it to the appropriate individuals.

We'll want to pass that at the next regularly scheduled meeting. I didn't know if you would want to do it through a committee or if we wanted to pass them from Council as a whole. We've done some of the addendums through Council as a whole in the past. But we have those and I've forwarded them on to the Village. Those are ready to be approved or voted on as soon as everyone has looked them over.

MAYOR WOODWARD: What's the timeline on needing those done?
SOLICITOR RIES: I mean, we can approve them at our January 6th meeting. I mean, it's not—we can approve them at our January 6th meeting if we need to.

MAYOR WOODWARD: There is a Utility Committee meeting scheduled.
MR. CAMPBELL: There's a BPA and a Utility meeting tomorrow at 1:00.
MS. BLANK: But I think only one person can go so I would do it as Council as a whole.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Was the Utility Committee meeting changed to 1:00 officially?
MR. CAMPBELL: Yes.
MAYOR WOODWARD: Okay. So, it sounds like there's no more Utility Committee meetings that you can get anything out of, so if you want to just do it as Council as a whole.

MR. BOND: I think that would work fine.
SOLICITOR RIES: Will do. Thank you.
MAYOR WOODWARD: Treasurer's report?
MR. EBLING: No report.
MAYOR WOODWARD: Board of Trustees of Public Affairs report?
MR. PETERSON: Yes, our regular scheduled meeting is tomorrow at 1 p.m.
MAYOR WOODWARD: Emphasis on 1 p.m.
MR. PETERSON: Correct.
MAYOR WOODWARD: Village Engineer's report. Chris isn't here, But he left me to say last Friday a good amount of construction bids were received for the construction of the air release valve replacement project. His staff is performing the bid review today and tomorrow. The review letter will be sent to the pertinent Village staff when it's completed.

Special reports. Police Chief Brent Milhoan?
CHIEF MILHOAN: Yes, Mayor. I have no report this evening.
MAYOR WOODWARD: Anybody have any questions for Brent?
MR. LIMING: I have one question. Did that alarm work, then? Do you know?
CHIEF MILHOAN: It did. I sent an email out to Council and Mayor this morning.
MR. LIMING: Oh, okay.
CHIEF MILHOAN: You're talking about the weather alert?
MR. LIMING: Yeah the one—
CHIEF MILHOAN: Yeah, it worked fine.
MAYOR WOODWARD: Fire Chief Travis Eastham is not here, but he has asked for approval of the resignation of Sarah Garcia, effective December 16, 2024. That will be brought up under new business.

Planning and Zoning Administrator, Kellie Bordner?
MS. BORDNER: Yes, ma'am. I just wanted to let everyone know that 8933 Tod, the dwelling structure, at that location was demolished last week by the property owner. Last check that I made,

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which was last week, the owner was hauling out demo debris. The basement and the accessory structure were still located in place on the property, but that was where we saw things as of last week.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Does anybody have any questions for Kellie?
(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)
Parks, Grounds, Buildings, Street Superintendent, Martin Nelder?

MR. NELDER: Yes. We got the report back from the 1500 Salt Springs building. It is in need of repairs. I forwarded all the emails to Council and the Mayor and it will show you what the inspector found.

Also, I received word from Dave Horner, he works at the Parks, he plans on retiring in March.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Martin, do you have, based on that report that we got for that building, any idea an estimated cost for those repairs to be done?

MR. NELDER: We were just guessing for the roof, the electrical boxes and some of the plumbing that needs repaired around \$30,000. That's just a rough idea from what we've talked to people about. The inspector agreed with that. He thought that would be a fair price to start with.

MR. CAMPBELL: Mayor, I went over there with Martin just to get my own view of everything he said. It's in worse shape than I thought it was going to be. Just to let you know.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Okay. Does anybody have any questions for Martin?
(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)
Correspondence. I do have a letter the Solicitor is going to read.

SOLICITOR RIES: "Dear Lordstown Village Council Members: I would like to address the Lordstown Village Council regarding legislation being considered by the Council on behalf of the residents of the Village of Lordstown.
It has been brought to my attention that the Council is considering an attempt to deny representation of the employees of the Lordstown Police Department by the Ohio Police Benevolent Association, OPBA. I respectfully request that the Council consider the ramifications of such an ill-advised action.
I have read the Ohio Revised Code, 4117.01. It does not specify the application of the code for incorporated villages such as Lordstown Village. To say that the Village is exempt from its application due to population levels, is deceptive and skating on thin ice.
The Council should also weigh the application of Ohio Revised Code 4117.03, which clearly states that public employees have the right to collective bargaining and representation by employee organizations such as the OPBA. Ohio Revised Code 4117.03 makes no distinction regarding the population size of the employing body, such as the Village of Lordstown. Enacting the proposed legislation could subject the Village to months and years of very costly litigation that could result in the loss of thousands of dollars and undue hardship to the residents of the Village of Lordstown.

Further, the Council should consider the fact that the Village

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of Lordstown has recognized the rights of the employees to be represented by a Union. The OPBA has served as the exclusive bargaining agent for the Police Department for more than 40 years. Why, after all these years, is the Council considering disassociating its relationship with the OPBA and denying the Police Department employees their right to representation?

Defining the provision in the code that renders the Council a remedy to deny Union representation because we are an incorporated village with a population of less than 5,000 people is ill-advised nor legally binding. The Village of Lordstown has already set a precedent of recognizing the OPBA as the exclusive bargaining agent.

Discovering an obscure passage in the Ohio Revised Code does not relieve the Village from its obligation to the bargaining process. The Village had also considered employees are obligated to resolve their individual grievances and/or appeals through the bargaining process. Employees do not have the right to take their grievances to court, nor can they sue the Village without exhausting their appeals through collective bargaining.

Further, if the Village and the OPBA cannot reach a mutual agreement, then the parties may decide on an arbitration process in which the parties must mutually agree upon the arbitrator and would also agree to equally share the cost of arbitration.

Finally, I respectfully request your consideration to abandon any attempts to declassify the Union and deny the Police Department employees their right to collective bargaining. Further, I respectfully request that this email communication be read at the next Village Council meeting and entered into the public record. Respectfully submitted, Nicholas Mitovich, Village resident, 1299 Julia Drive, S.W., Warren, Ohio 44481.

MAYOR WOODWARD:

Does anybody want to respond?

MR. MOSELEY:

Yeah, I will. We're not done negotiating that. So, I don't know. Something got started in the Village on Facebook because of one certain resident. And we put signs and everything else up—well, we didn't, they did. We're not even done yet. We're still working on that and everybody is in a big uproar. It doesn't make any sense to me. So, that's where we're at so you know.

MAYOR WOODWARD:

Anybody else?

(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)

Hearing none, public remarks. If anybody has anything they wish to share, step up to the microphone.

MS. WATSON:

Danielle Watson, 2056 New Drive. I'm the one that put the signs out. I'm the one that let this all out on social media because I felt that the residents needed to know that arbitration was possibly being taken off the table. I understand it's still all in negotiations. I understand how negotiations work. You come out, you throw a low-ball number at first.

My opinion, as well as a lot of other residents—and we're teetering on almost the 400 mark of residents that want signs in their yards—they do not think that we should take arbitration off the table because we've had arbitration all this

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time. I've heard arguments that this is saving tax payer dollars. Myself, as well as many others, don't understand how that's saving taxpayer dollars when you just skip arbitration and go straight to the courts.

Now, not all of our members of the Union, OPBA, are able to have the resources that the Village does by going to court. So, going to court is going to be a lengthier process. It's going to be more money than arbitration would be. That is why I made this public knowledge because as a person who is pro-union, as well as many of our residents in this Village, arbitration is the Union's protection and to take that protection away, has them asking what's going to be the next thing that's taken away? And that's where myself, residents, Union members have a problem at. And I understand you guys can't speak of it because it is in negotiations, but I think that is a very—in my personal opinion—is a very bad move on Council, especially considering we have four Council seats up for re-election. I personally believe that it's political suicide to even do this right now if it's considered for something to be done. Thank you.

MAYOR WOODWARD:
MR. MILHOAN:

Thank you. Go ahead.

Ben Milhoan, 6588 Oakview Drive in Lordstown. Just had a couple questions on the legislation that will be passed or voted on later tonight about the maintenance department and different things within the maintenance department, specifically, the mechanic position being one of them.

First question—and this doesn't just come from me. This comes from quite a few of the employees—did you make Mr. Nelder aware of these changes before today and/or updates in the future Ordinance? Anybody care to answer that?

(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)

If not, I'll ask the next one. I don't know if it's any different now but I know in the past in talking with some other employees and other bosses in the past, negotiation was a little different. We had a couple people from the Road Department in the negotiations. I would like to see that maybe opened up again. We don't know that these changes are being made until after they're voted on. And from my talks with Mr. Nelder, there was a lot of stuff in there that he didn't know about until he got his packet this morning. And I really don't know how—you know, I know it goes through the Negotiations Committee, but the rest of Council, as a whole, I don't know how you can vote on it if you don't know about it until this morning what's for sure in there.

If you don't see it fit to have a stand-alone mechanic and pay more, I really don't understand that. There's a lot of other departments smaller than us that have a stand-alone mechanic and there's a lot of equipment over there. I think there's a lot more going on over there than you guys are aware of as far as on a day-to-day basis. Since Ralph Free stepped down as a mechanic, I stepped in. Martin has made a recommendation quite a while ago for me to be a mechanic. And at the time, I was told it was a \$3.00 an hour raise by Martin and many other ones on Council. I find that now to be not true. I understand that things get changed and moved around and I don't expect, quite frankly, to be honest with you, I don't

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expect if I was the mechanic to make what the foreman makes. I think half of that raise is fair. It is a lot more responsibility. And, you can talk to Travis; you can talk to Darren; you can talk to Chris Bordonaro—don't talk to Chief Milhoan—they can stand on the work that I've done and you can make your own decision from there.

My last question that I had was if you go ahead and pass this, what you guys have written in the Ordinance, how does it work? I mean, if everybody is a "mechanic," I don't even know how that would begin to work. You've got guys—and they'll admit it—there's guys that don't feel comfortable tearing into brakes on cop cars and fire trucks or anything like that. There's a lot there that's not brought forward in that literature.

And there's a considerable expense for the Village on many different things. The first example that I have is the new Tahoes, the days of pulling the car in the garage, jacking it up, changing brakes and kicking it out the door are gone. Pull that car in, put it up on the lift to take the battery off. You have to take the computer, set the calipers in maintenance mode, bleed the brakes, put everything back together, re-learn things. It's not just slap it together and go. And we paid this for the first one because we didn't have the equipment. It's about \$1,200 to \$1,300 to get brakes done on a cop car. We're doing it at about \$575, \$650 in-house when we do it ourselves.

MR. MOSELEY: I've got a question. So, when you do that and then there's an accident because of the brakes, who's going to be responsible?

MR. MILHOAN: Well, I was kind of getting to that. If you're allowing every employee to be a mechanic, Mr. Moseley, who is responsible?

MR. MOSELEY: You're not a certified mechanic. We don't have one.

MR. MILHOAN: I'm aware of that. But now you're making every employee a mechanic—

MR. MOSELEY: I would say it's more maintenance. We don't have a mechanic.

MR. MILHOAN: Okay. My only question, though, would be where is the line as far as maintenance, what are we allowed to do and what not to do? Is that just on the discretion of the boss?

MR. MOSELEY: No, your foreman should instruct you what you're doing. That's their job. They direct the workforce, so they should be telling you what is going to happen for the day.

MR. MILHOAN: That's fine.

MR. MOSELEY: I mean, when there's an accident, someone in the Village is going to get sued. And they have certified mechanics to do that. I know things are different than they used to be. You've got to have the technology and everything else, but that's why we did that. Because it was put in there because of Ralph and that but that's all changed now.

MR. MILHOAN: I know. I don't expect to—I would ask you to ask the dealers if they're certified because a lot of them aren't.

MR. MOSELEY: All of them are certified. They don't hire uncertified.

MR. MILHOAN: Okay. That's all I've got.

MR. SHEELY: You guys do chainsaws and equipment, you do all that stuff, right?

MR. MILHOAN: Yeah.

MR. KOVACIC: My name is Scott Kovacic, 2564 Lyntz Townline Road. And I agree with what Ben was saying. You guys have got somebody that wants to do this job. You've got a gift. And

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you're not right about that. The dealers do not hire SAE certified mechanics. There may be one that works under others but—

MR. MOSELEY: But when you have that dealership that does work for you, it comes with a warranty. What warranty is a Village employee giving the Village?

MR. KOVACIC: Well, why has he been doing this work all along?

MR. MOSELEY: I don't control that. I don't know.

MR. KOVACIC: Ralph wasn't certified either. The guy before him wasn't either.

MR. MOSELEY: Things have changed. I'm just telling you that the way these vehicles and stuff are now are a little bit different. What they did in the past, I can't control that. It's not my job.

MR. KOVACIC: And the way you have the wording, it's all maintenance on vehicles, heavy equipment. So I want to understand this, if Martin tells me, "Hey, I want you to change the brakes on these cars." And I say, "No, I'm not comfortable doing that." Am I going to get reprimanded for it? Because that's how your wording is. You can pin me to the wall on that.

MAYOR WOODWARD: I think—

MR. KOVACIC: I mean, something's got to change a little bit, the wording or what's going to happen with the job or.

MAYOR WOODWARD: I think that—

MR. MOSELEY: What I see as a mechanic—I want to explain this to you—a mechanic to me is someone that can figure out a problem, tear an engine out, tear it apart and put it back together and it works. The stuff you guys are doing is just maintenance, sharpening blades, changing tires. I don't like the whole brake thing. It puts the Village in a bad spot. But I know what's going to happen. They're going to go, "That's not my job. I'm not allowed to do that. I'm not allowed to do that." I mean, your boss has to direct the workforce and know what can be done and what can't be done.

MR. KOVACIC: My thing is the wording a little bit. Let's change that.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Which wording?

MR. KOVACIC: On your paper there, it should say, mechanics duties, changing oil, brakes, working on heavy equipment, working on light-duty equipment.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Like where it says, "perform mechanical duties?"

MR. KOVACIC: What does it say under that?

MAYOR WOODWARD: "For example, perform a variety of repair maintenance on vehicles and equipment both light and heavy duty, be able to order and pickup parts as needed and/or directed, keep maintenance records, top off fluids, lubricate parts to keep up with vehicle functionality and longevity, have a working knowledge of hands tool, repair or replace broken and dysfunctional parts, fix leaks."

MR. KOVACIC: So, broken and dysfunctional parts, that could be a motor. That could be a transmission. That could be a rear end.

MAYOR WOODWARD: I mean, I know it could also be something small. But that would be up to the discretion of the department, the foreman or the department head, to decide whether or not his workforce has the capacity to do those repairs in—house. If not, if the department head called me, I would tell them if nobody has the capacity to do that, then send it out, which he should probably know—

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MR. NELDER: Anything that's going to be, like, a liability.
MAYOR WOODWARD: Well, or a major repair. Something you want a warranty on.
MR. KOVACIC: Like the brakes being a liability. If we're going to start sending that stuff out, you're going to start spending a lot of money. I'm also a taxpayer, too, and the other taxpayers and homeowners in the area should know.

MR. BOND: Let me address something on this, please. If you're talking certain mechanical deals, like you've got an (inaudible) differential. I doubt we've got anybody over there that wants to set that up, get it tracked in right. What do you think, Martin?

MR. NELDER: No, we'd send that out for sure.
MR. BOND: Right. There's a lot of things like that we can't do. If we need an automatic transmission rebuilt, what do you think, Martin?

MR. NELDER: We'd send it out.
MR. BOND: I mean, there's a lot of this. Certain computer and electronic issues, do we have all the test equipment?

MR. NELDER: No, we don't.
MAYOR WOODWARD: And even if this position was handed to just one person, Martin would still have to be able to judge what that person's capacity is and what they can do and decide whether or not it would have to be sent out to somebody that could do something else to it. But, in allowing everybody to have mechanical duties, doesn't mean that they're going to be required to do it, but if they can do it and Martin wants to assign that to them, now he has the ability to do that where he can delegate to multiple people to, you know, you do this on this vehicle and you do this on that vehicle. If it's limited to just one person, you're going to have a bunch of people saying, "It's not my job. I don't want to touch it." You're not going to be able to get help. If he's getting paid \$3 an hour more, "I'm not helping him." I think that the thought process here is that it opens it up so that he can pull from his resources and then everybody can lend a helping hand and do what they are best at.

MR. KOVACIC: I mean, we help each other anyway so that just doesn't—there needs to be a line of what we do and what we don't do. And the wording changing like this is the route we're going. I mean, there's a lot of money to be saved having one person. They're not just doing the work on the ground fixing the car. You're making appointments to schedule vehicles to get them in. You're keeping track of who is doing what. You're going to tell nine guys they can do that, who scheduled this car to be here? I scheduled it to be over here. You're going to see a lot of messes.

MAYOR WOODWARD: The foreman the department head, the superintendent will have the ability to say, like, if he just wants to have certain people do that, he can do that. It's within his discretion though. It's not necessarily that everybody will be doing everything. Like he now has the ability to give certain duties to certain people based on their capacity, their ability to do those things. That's the way I understand it. Correct me if I'm wrong. Am I wrong? Am I out of line? That's just how I understood that. So that would be something that we can talk more about, Martin.

MR. NELDER: Okay.

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MAYOR WOODWARD: Does anybody have any other things that they want to ask?
MR. BOND: Well, things that I mentioned that are highly technical, I'm sure Martin is not going to ask one of his guys to do it because if they don't know how to do it or you don't have the equipment to do it.

MAYOR WOODWARD: I guess language could be added to it to say that Martin would have the final say in what gets done and what gets sent out. But I don't know that that's necessary.

MR. BOND: I think that pretty much comes under his duties assigning the job.

MR. MOSELEY: Direct the workforce.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Correct. Okay. Is there anybody else that has any public remarks?
(NO RESPONSE.)
I see a lot of faces but nobody wants to say anything.
Council remarks?
(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)
Anything?
(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)
Hearing none, committee reports. Finance, Robert Bond?

MR. BOND: Yes. We have the items on the agenda, there's three of them tonight. These are pretty much routine bookkeeping things. We'd like to see them passed this evening under emergency.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Parks, Buildings, Grounds, General Improvements, Streets and Sidewalks, Lamar Liming?

MR. LIMING: No report.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Do you have a next meeting scheduled for what Chris was talking about with, like, Rt. 45, Lyntz Road, Salt Springs?

MR. LIMING: I talked to Martin about it.

MAYOR WOODWARD: I just had that in my notes to check on it. Thank you.
Public Safety and Police Department, Jamie Moseley?

MR. MOSELEY: I'm just going to be asking for a motion under new business to hire some new police officers.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Public Safety, Fire and EMS, Howard Sheely?

MR. SHEELY: No report tonight, Ms. Mayor.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Public Utilities, Terry Campbell?

MR. CAMPBELL: No report.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Planning and Zoning, Jessica Blank?

MS. BLANK: I'd just like to see Ordinance No. 2 go through tonight. Also, the Mobile Market was here the 6th and I wasn't able to go. Hopefully, it was a good turnout. We don't know January's schedule yet for us though.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Legislation.

MS. BORDNER: From Council as a Whole for Passage, **AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE OF LORDSTOWN TO APPROVE THE COMMERCIAL PURCHASE AGREEMENT WITH TRI COUNTY REAL ESTATE, LLC, FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT 1500 CARSON SALT SPRINGS ROAD, WARREN, OHIO.**

MAYOR WOODWARD: This piece is on its third reading. Are there any motions?
(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)
Hearing none, this has died for lack of function.

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MS. BORDNER: From Planning and Zoning for Passage, **AN ORDINANCE AMENDING PART ELEVEN, PLANNING AND ZONING CODE, CHAPTER 1135 "USE REGULATIONS" OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE VILLAGE OF LORDSTOWN BY ADDING IN PART ITEM NO. 8 AT SECTION 1135.05 "PROHIBITED USES" AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

MAYOR WOODWARD: This has had its third reading. Are there any motions?

MR. MOSELEY: So moved.

MAYOR WOODWARD: For?

MR. MOSELEY: Motion to adopt.

MS. BLANK: Second.

MAYOR WOODWARD: There's a motion to adopt by Moseley and a second by Blank.

Is there any discussion?

(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)

Roll call.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Bond?

MR. BOND: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Liming?

MR. LIMING: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Miss Blank?

MS. BLANK: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Campbell?

MR. CAMPBELL: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Sheely?

MR. SHEELY: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Moseley?

MR. MOSELEY: Yes.

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED.)

MAYOR WOODWARD: 6, ayes; 0, nays. Motion is carried to adopt Ordinance 77-2024.

MS. BORDNER: From Negotiating Committee for Emergency Passage, **AN ORDINANCE AMENDING AND RESTATING ORDINANCE NO. 25-2024 ESTABLISHING THE AUTHORIZED STRENGTH, THE HOURLY WAGES AND TERMS OF REMUNERATION FOR THE STREETS, PARKS, BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS EMPLOYEES OF THE VILLAGE OF LORDSTOWN, EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2025, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

MAYOR WOODWARD: Is there a motion to suspend the rules?

MR. LIMING: So moved.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Motion by Liming.

MR. BOND: Second.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Second by Bond. Roll call.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Liming?

MR. LIMING: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Miss Blank?

MS. BLANK: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Campbell?

MR. CAMPBELL: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Sheely?

MR. SHEELY: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Moseley?

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MR. MOSELEY: Yes.
MS. BORDNER: Mr. Bond?
MR. BOND: Yes.

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED.)

MAYOR WOODWARD: 6, ayes; 0, nays. Motion is carried to suspend the rules. Is there a motion to adopt?

MR. SHEELY: So moved.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Motion by Sheely.

MR. MOSELEY: Second.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Second by Moseley. Any discussion?
(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)

Roll call.

MS. BORDNER: Miss Blank?

MS. BLANK: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Campbell?

MR. CAMPBELL: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Sheely?

MR. SHEELY: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Moseley?

MR. MOSELEY: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Bond?

MR. BOND: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Liming?

MR. LIMING: Yes.

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED.)

MAYOR WOODWARD: 6, ayes; 0, nays. Motion carried to adopt Ordinance 78-2024.
MS. BORDNER: From Negotiating Committee for Emergency Passage, **AN**

**ORDINANCE AMENDING AND RESTATING
ORDINANCE NO. 60-2021 ESTABLISHING THE
AUTHORIZED STRENGTH, THE HOURLY WAGES
AND OTHER TERMS OF REMUNERATION FOR THE
POLICE DISPATCHER DEPARTMENT WITHIN THE
VILLAGE OF LORDSTOWN EFFECTIVE JANUARY
1, 2025, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

MAYOR WOODWARD: Is there a motion to suspend the rules?

MR. SHEELY: So moved.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Motion by Sheely.

MR. LIMING: Second.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Second by Liming. Roll call.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Campbell?

MR. CAMPBELL: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Sheely?

MR. SHEELY: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Moseley?

MR. MOSELEY: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Bond?

MR. BOND: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Liming?

MR. LIMING: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Miss Blank?

MS. BLANK: Yes.

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED.)

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MAYOR WOODWARD: 6, ayes; 0, nays. Motion is carried to suspend the rules. Is there a motion to adopt?
 MR. CAMPBELL: So moved.
 MR. BOND: Second.
 MAYOR WOODWARD: Motion by Campbell; second by Bond. Any discussion? (NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)
 Roll call.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Sheely?
 MR. SHEELY: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Moseley?
 MR. MOSELEY: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Bond?
 MR. BOND: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Liming?
 MR. LIMING: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Miss Blank?
 MS. BLANK: Mr. Campbell?
 MR. CAMPBELL: Yes.

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED.)

MAYOR WOODWARD: 6, ayes; 0, nays. Motion is carried to adopt Ordinance 79-2024.
 MS. BORDNER: From Negotiating Committee for Emergency Passage, **AN ORDINANCE AMENDING AND RESTATING ORDINANCE NO. 38-2023 ESTABLISHING THE AUTHORIZED STRENGTH, SETTING THE HOURLY COMPENSATION AND OTHER TERMS OF REMUNERATION AND CONDITIONS OF SERVICE FOR MEMBERS OF THE LORDSTOWN VILLAGE FIRE DEPARTMENT EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2025, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

MAYOR WOODWARD: Is there a motion to suspend the rules?
 MR. CAMPBELL: So moved.
 MAYOR WOODWARD: Motion by Campbell.
 MR. BOND: Second.
 MAYOR WOODWARD: Second by Bond. Roll call.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Sheely?
 MR. SHEELY: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Moseley?
 MR. MOSELEY: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Bond?
 MR. BOND: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Liming?
 MR. LIMING: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Miss Blank?
 MS. BLANK: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Campbell?
 MR. CAMPBELL: Yes.

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED.)

MAYOR WOODWARD: 6, ayes; 0, nays. Motion is carried to suspend the rules. Is there a motion to adopt?
 MR. LIMING: So moved.
 MR. BOND: Second.
 MAYOR WOODWARD: Motion by Liming; second by Bond. Discussion?

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(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)

Roll call.

- MS. BORDNER: Mr. Moseley?
- MR. MOSELEY: Yes.
- MS. BORDNER: Mr. Bond?
- MR. BOND: Yes.
- MS. BORDNER: Mr. Liming?
- MR. LIMING: Yes.
- MS. BORDNER: Miss Blank?
- MS. BLANK: Yes.
- MS. BORDNER: Mr. Campbell?
- MR. CAMPBELL: Yes.
- MS. BORDNER: Mr. Sheely?
- MR. SHEELY: Yes.

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED.)

- MAYOR WOODWARD: 6, ayes; 0, nays. Motion is carried to adopt 80-2024.
- MS. BORDNER: From Finance Committee for Emergency Passage, **AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CLERK TO MAKE ALL NECESSARY REVISIONS TO THE REVENUE AND APPROPRIATION BUDGETS PURSUANT TO THE AMENDED CERTIFICATE DATED DECEMBER 16, 2024, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

- MAYOR WOODWARD: Is there a motion to suspend the rules?
- MR. LIMING: So moved.
- MR. MOSELEY: Second.
- MAYOR WOODWARD: Motion by Liming; second by Moseley. Roll call.
- MS. BORDNER: Mr. Bond?
- MR. BOND: Yes.
- MS. BORDNER: Mr. Liming?
- MR. LIMING: Yes.
- MS. BORDNER: Miss Blank?
- MS. BLANK: Yes.
- MS. BORDNER: Mr. Campbell?
- MR. CAMPBELL: Yes.
- MS. BORDNER: Mr. Sheely?
- MR. SHEELY: Yes.
- MS. BORDNER: Mr. Moseley?
- MR. MOSELEY: Yes.

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED.)

- MAYOR WOODWARD: 6, ayes; 0, nays. Motion is carried to suspend the rules. Is there a motion to adopt?
- MR. BOND: So moved.
- MAYOR WOODWARD: Motion by bond.
- MR. MOSELEY: Second.
- MAYOR WOODWARD: Second by Moseley. Any discussion?
- (NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)
- Roll call.
- MS. BORDNER: Mr. Liming?
- MR. LIMING: Yes.
- MS. BORDNER: Miss Blank?
- MS. BLANK: Yes.
- MS. BORDNER: Mr. Campbell?
- MR. CAMPBELL: Yes.
- MS. BORDNER: Mr. Sheely?

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MR. SHEELY: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Moseley?
 MR. MOSELEY: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Bond?
 MR. BOND: Yes.

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED.)

MAYOR WOODWARD: 6, ayes; 0, nays. Motion carried to adopt Ordinance 81-2024.
 MS. BORDNER: From Finance Committee for Emergency Passage, **AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CLERK TO MAKE THE FOLLOWING TRANSFERS WITHIN VARIOUS FUNDS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

MAYOR WOODWARD: Is there a motion to suspend the rules?
 MR. SHEELY: So moved.
 MAYOR WOODWARD: Motion by Sheely.
 MR. LIMING: Second.
 MAYOR WOODWARD: Second by Liming. Roll call.
 MS. BORDNER: Miss Blank?
 MS. BLANK: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Campbell?
 MR. CAMPBELL: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Sheely?
 MR. SHEELY: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Moseley?
 MR. MOSELEY: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Bond?
 MR. BOND: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Liming?
 MR. LIMING: Yes.

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED.)

MAYOR WOODWARD: 6, ayes; 0, nays. Motion is carried to suspend the rules. Is there a motion to adopt?
 MR. BOND: So moved.
 MAYOR WOODWARD: Motion by Bond.
 MR. SHEELY: Second.
 MAYOR WOODWARD: Second by Sheely. Any discussion?
 (NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)
 Roll call.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Campbell?
 MR. CAMPBELL: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Sheely?
 MR. SHEELY: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Moseley?
 MR. MOSELEY: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Bond?
 MR. BOND: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Liming?
 MR. LIMING: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Miss Blank?
 MS. BLANK: Yes.

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED.)

MAYOR WOODWARD: 6, ayes; 0, nays. Motion is carried to adopt Ordinance 82-2024.

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MS. BORDNER: From Finance Committee for Emergency Passage, **AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CASH TRANSFER OF INTEREST EARNED IN THE ENDOWMENT FUNDS INTO THE CEMETERY FUND AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

MAYOR WOODWARD: Is there a motion to suspend the rules?

MR. CAMPBELL: So moved.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Motion by Campbell.

MR. MOSELEY: Second.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Second by Moseley. Roll call.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Sheely?

MR. SHEELY: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Moseley?

MR. MOSELEY: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Bond?

MR. BOND: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Liming?

MR. LIMING: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Miss Blank?

MS. BLANK: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Campbell?

MR. CAMPBELL: Yes.

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED.)

MAYOR WOODWARD: 6, ayes; 0, nays. Motion is carried to suspend the rules. Is there a motion to adopt?

MR. LIMING: So moved.

MR. BOND: Second.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Motion by Liming; second by Bond. Any discussion? (NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)
Roll call.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Moseley?

MR. MOSELEY: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Bond?

MR. BOND: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Liming?

MR. LIMING: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Miss Blank?

MS. BLANK: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Campbell?

MR. CAMPBELL: Yes.

MS. BORDNER: Mr. Sheely?

MR. SHEELY: Yes.

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED.)

MAYOR WOODWARD: 6, ayes; 0, nays. Motion is carried to adopt Ordinance 83-2024.
Is there any old business to discuss? (NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)
Hearing none, we'll move on to new business.

MR. MOSELEY: New business?

MAYOR WOODWARD: New business.

MR. MOSELEY: First, I'd like to see if we can get a motion so that Brent can advertise for three full-time police officers.

MAYOR WOODWARD: You're making the motion?

MR. MOSELEY: Unless someone else wants to. I guess I'll make it.

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MAYOR WOODWARD: Okay.
MR. SHEELY: I'll second that motion.
MAYOR WOODWARD: There is a motion by Mr. Moseley for Chief Milhoan to hire three to four more police officers and a second by Mr. Sheely. Is there any discussion?
MR. CAMPBELL: Question. In our committee meeting, so everybody knows, we got one and possibly two maybe going to retire. We don't know for sure. It's so hard getting officers in today's world. If we just keep waiting and waiting, we're not going to have any. So, that's why at our Safety meeting, we decided to do this.
MAYOR WOODWARD: Okay. Thank you for the explanation. Anybody else?
(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)
All in favor?
COUNCIL: Aye.
MAYOR WOODWARD: All opposed?
(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED.)

MAYOR WOODWARD: 6, ayes; 0, nays. Motion is carried.
Anything else?
MR. MOSELEY: Yeah, I'd like to ask for an executive session for Mayor and Council and the attorney to go into executive session to prepare negotiations for certain public employees in the OPBA concerning employee compensation and terms of their conditions of their employment.
MAYOR WOODWARD: There is a motion for executive session by Mr. Moseley.
MR. LIMING: Second.
MAYOR WOODWARD: And a second by Mr. Liming. Any discussion?
(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)
Roll call.
MS. BORDNER: Mr. Bond?
MR. BOND: Yes.
MS. BORDNER: Mr. Liming?
MR. LIMING: Yes.
MS. BORDNER: Miss Blank?
MS. BLANK: Yes.
MS. BORDNER: Mr. Campbell?
MR. CAMPBELL: Yes.
MS. BORDNER: Mr. Sheely?
MR. SHEELY: Yes.
MS. BORDNER: Mr. Moseley?
MR. MOSELEY: Yes.

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED.)

MAYOR WOODWARD: 6, ayes; 0, nays. Motion is carried.
MR. LIMING: I'd like to make a motion to go into executive session to consider the purchase of real estate property where public purchases or premature disclosure of information could be adverse to the general public interest, inviting all of Council, Mayor and Solicitor.
MAYOR WOODWARD: There's a motion by Mr. Liming.
MR. SHEELY: Second.
MAYOR WOODWARD: Second by Mr. Sheely. Any discussion?
(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)
Roll call.

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MS. BORDNER: Mr. Liming?
 MR. LIMING: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Miss Blank?
 MS. BLANK: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Campbell?
 MR. CAMPBELL: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Sheely?
 MR. SHEELY: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Moseley?
 MR. MOSELEY: Yes.
 MS. BORDNER: Mr. Bond?
 MR. BOND: Yes.

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED.)

MAYOR WOODWARD: 6, ayes; 0, nays. Motion is carried.
 I'd like to entertain a motion to approve the new Council committees, effective January 1, 2025.
 MR. BOND: So moved.
 MR. LIMING: Second.
 MAYOR WOODWARD: Motion by Mr. Bond and a second by Mr. Liming. Any discussion?
 (NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)
 All in favor?
 COUNCIL: Aye.
 MAYOR WOODWARD: All opposed?
 (NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED.)

MAYOR WOODWARD: 6, ayes; 0, nays. Motion is carried.
 I'd like to entertain a motion to accept the resignation for Sarah Garcia, effective December 16, 2024.
 MR. BOND: So moved.
 MAYOR WOODWARD: Motion by Mr. Bond.
 MR. SHEELY: Second.
 MAYOR WOODWARD: Second by Mr. Sheely. Any discussion?
 (NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)
 All in favor?
 COUNCIL: Aye.
 MAYOR WOODWARD: All opposed?
 (NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED.)

MAYOR WOODWARD: 6, ayes; 0, nays. Motion is carried.
 I'd like to entertain a motion to accept the resignation of Rose Saborse from the Board of Zoning Appeals, effective December 31, 2024.
 MR. SHEELY: So moved.
 MAYOR WOODWARD: Motion by Mr. Sheely.
 MS. BLANK: Second.
 MAYOR WOODWARD: Second by Ms. Blank. Any discussion?
 (NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)
 All in favor?
 COUNCIL: Aye.
 MAYOR WOODWARD: All opposed?
 (NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED.)

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MAYOR WOODWARD: 6, ayes; 0, nays. Motion is carried.
I'd like to entertain a motion to allow for advertising of the vacancy for the Board of Zoning Appeals position with the term expiring August 13, 2025.

MR. LIMING: So moved.

MR. BOND: Second.

MAYOR WOODWARD: A motion by Mr. Liming; second by Mr. Bond. Any discussion?

(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)

All in favor?

COUNCIL: Aye.

MAYOR WOODWARD: All opposed?

(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED.)

MAYOR WOODWARD: 6, ayes; 0, nays. The motion is carried.
I'd also like to entertain a motion to hold a Council meeting December 30, 2024, at 6 p.m., which is subject to change.

MR. BOND: So moved.

MR. MOSELEY: Second.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Motion by Mr. Bond; second by Mr. Moseley. Any discussion?

(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)

All in favor?

COUNCIL: Aye.

MAYOR WOODWARD: All opposed?

(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)

(VOTE: 6, AYE; 0, NAY; 0, ABSTAINED.)

MAYOR WOODWARD: 6, ayes; 0, nays. The motion is carried.
I think that's all I have. Does anybody have anything else?
(NO RESPONSE FROM COUNCIL.)

Are there any additional public remarks?

MS. WATSON: Danielle Watson, 2056 New Drive. My additional remark has to do with the hiring at the Police Department. You're advertising to hire for three to four police officers. Police officers throughout—not just Mahoning County, Trumbull County, Ashtabula County, all surrounding counties, they all talk amongst themselves. Again, if Council does take arbitration off the table with no actual arbitrator, you guys are going to have one heck of a time finding three to four police officers that are going to want to come to work here without that protection the majority of them are used to. There's a couple agencies around here that doesn't have OPBA representing them or a union. Most of them come for that protection. They're not going to work for you without that protection from singling out employees or whatever else they may think. So, I really want Council to really consider this. And, also, as for overtime in the Police Department—now, I've done my research and I'm sure you guys have done yours, too—I don't understand how for years Council has been asked for an additional officer to cut the overtime, additional officer to cut the overtime, when we have like crazy overtime. If you go back to when Mr. Catlin was running this department, you had more part-time officers, less full-time officers. We didn't nearly have as much overtime as we do now. And I think Council really needs to look into that. Thank you.

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MAYOR WOODWARD: Are there any additional public remarks? State your name for the record.

MR. DELEY: Tony Deley resident in Austintown, 5301 Argonne Drive.

COURT REPORTER: Excuse me. Can you spell your last name for me? I'm sorry.

MR. DELEY: Deley, D-E-L-E-Y.

COURT REPORTER: Thank you.

MR. DELEY: I just have more questions than comments. How many grievances went to arbitration in the Village of Lordstown?

MAYOR WOODWARD: I don't know if we can answer that right at this moment.

MR. DELEY: Okay, so my guess would be no more than one. Because I've been in the Union as an iron worker for 35 years and I've never went to arbitration. So there's a reason that hovers over. You don't want to not go to arbitration. You want to settle that between yourself and the Village. So keep that in mind, too. The rumor is you're trying to take that away for no reason at all.

MR. SHEELY: That's just what it is, a rumor.

MR. DELEY: And that's what I'm saying. It's a rumor. And I agree with Danielle. I mean, you're not going to get anybody to come if they don't have that protection even though they're probably never, ever going to use that. Thank you.

MAYOR WOODWARD: Anything additional?
(NO RESPONSE.)
I don't believe there will be any action after executive session.

MR. MOSELEY: Shouldn't be.

MAYOR WOODWARD: There should not be. We're going to adjourn into executive session. If you want to wait around, you can. We'll come out and adjourn after we're done.

(WHEREAS, THE REGULAR MEETING BEFORE THE VILLAGE OF LORDSTOWN COUNCIL ADJOURNED INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION AT 6:53 P.M. COUNCIL RECONVENED FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION WITH FIVE MEMBERS OF COUNCIL PRESENT AT 7:46 P.M. (MR. CAMPBELL LEFT EXECUTIVE SESSION AT 7:39 P.M.) MOTION FOR ADJOURNMENT BY MR. BOND; SECOND BY MS. BLANK. (5, AYES; 0, NAYS; 0, ABSTAINED.) MOTION WAS CARRIED. MEETING ADJOURNED AT 7:47 P.M.)

_____, Mayor

_____, Clerk

STATE OF OHIO)
)
COUNTY OF TRUMBULL)

I, Sharon K. Vigorito, a Notary Public, within and for the State of Ohio, do certify that the foregoing meeting before the Lordstown Village Council was written in the presence of witnesses and by me transcribed. I further certify that the foregoing is a true and accurate transcript to the best of my abilities.

Sharon K. Vigorito, Notary Public
My commission Expires May 9, 2027