The Common Council of the City of Kokomo, Indiana met Monday November 19th, 2018 at 6:00 P.M. in the City Hall Council Chambers.

The meeting was called to order by Vice President Kennedy.

Vice President Kennedy states, those who wish to stand may stand, or you may remain seated.

Invocation was offered by Pastor Antonio Stewart from The Reformation Faith Ministries.

Present: Wyant, Cameron, Young, Haworth, Kennedy, Whikehart, Sanders, Miklik

Absent: Hayes

The minutes of the Council Meeting October 29th, 2018 were declared approved as presented.

COMMUNICATIONS: Vice President Kennedy states, we have an absents tonight Councilman Hayes is not here. I am honored to fill in his position for him this evening. We also need to set a Public Hearing for Ordinance #6920 for December 10th, 2018 for 6:00 P.M. in the Council Chambers.

There were no committee reports given at this regular meeting.

ORDINANCE 6920: AN ORDINANCE VACATING RIGHT-OF-WAY LOCATED IN THE CITY OF KOKOMO, INDIANA
First reading
Cont. Ordinance #6920.
Ordinance 6920 was read by the Clerk by title only. Councilman Cameron moved for passage on ordinance #6920 on first reading; seconded by Councilman Wyant.
Councilman Cameron states, this deals with two parts; between Sycamore, and Superior right off of Appersonway. You know that there is a lot of homes on that corner across from the Gilead House that have already been torn down. There use to be an alley, that went all the way thru. When Jesse was looking at this he found that there once was an alley coming from East Sycamore all the way to East Superior straight across. That was supposedly to be vacated in 1861. There is no record found. This ordinance is going to clean that up, and also clean up where the suppose alley is coming off of Appersonway in between there. The two Companies that are going to build right on that Northwest Corner. They will pick up half of that; and also lot 24. The Gilead house owns about a third of that lot across from Sycamore. If you notice that big white house standing that was built in 1884. They are going to re-do that house.
Vote for passage follows:
Aye: All
Nay: None
The vote was 8 to 0 for passage on first reading.

RESOLUTION 2721:  RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KOKOMO, INDIANA, RELATING TO THE EXPENDITURE OF EDIT FUND REVENUES FOR PURPOSES RELATED TO THE KOKOMO HOUSING AUTHORITY

Resolution 2721 was read by the Clerk by title only. Councilman Whikehart moved for passage on resolution #2721; seconded by Councilwoman Sanders.
Cont. Resolution #2721.
Councilman Whikehart states, this resolution accentually supports the moving of Edit Funds, in the amount of $50,000.00 to assist the Kokomo Housing Authority public improvements. One of things to couple this resolution with the one we are going to look at next would be commercial exterior improvement program will enhance multiple blocks at one time. The Kokomo Housing Authority can-not use their money in structures if there not in habit; so this is to improve the structure on Apperson, and to finish their construction for that as well. I would ask Council to support Resolution #2721.
Vote for passage follows:
Aye: All
Nay: None
The vote was 8 to 0 for passage.

RESOLUTION 2722: RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KOKOMO, INDIANA, RELATING TO THE EXPENDITURE OF REDEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FUNDS

Resolution 2722 was read by the Clerk by title only. Councilman Whikehart moved for passage on resolution #2722; seconded by Councilwoman Sanders.
Councilman Whikehart states, this resolution is asking that the creation of commercial exterior improvement plan for a targeted area historic near East side. It’s asking to move $50,000.00 thru Re-Development Commission, to the Kokomo Community Development Corporation with a program watch it be housed. The Apperson, and Jefferson corridors are important commercial area that will be enhance thru this project. This also duck tails with the Kokomo Housing Authority Resolution we just passed.
Cont. Resolution #2722.
The 50/50 sidewalk program, and other important developments the Council has had some leadership in. This infrastructure improvements etc.; allows applicants to receive up to $15,000.00. I would urge Council to support Resolution #2722.
Vote for passage follows:
Aye: All
Nay: None
The vote was 8 to 0 for passage.

Vice President Kennedy states, this marks the end of this Council Meeting, and our next Council Meeting will be November 26th, 2018 with an Informational Meeting at 5:30 P.M. in the Louks Room. Council Meeting at 6:00 P.M. in the Council Chambers.

Adjourned at 6:10 P.M.

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Presiding Officer

ATTEST:

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City Clerk