COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

FEBRUARY 22TH, 2021

The Common Council of the City of Kokomo, Indiana met Monday February 22nd, 2021 at 6:00 p.m. In City Hall Council Chambers.

President Grecu called the meeting to order.

Councilwoman Sanders states those who wish to stand may, or you may remain seated.

Pastor Jeannie Winter, Kokomo Zion United Methodist Church offered invocation.

The minutes of the Council Meeting held February 8th, 2021 were declared approved as presented.

Communications: Charles Rossi Kokomo came before the Council again to share his thoughts, to expand on imposters, are you really hearing what you think you are. Look at words and their meanings. Spelling words backwards, you will be surprised how many words can be spelled backwards.

Jeff Isaac stated he is opposed to a fireworks ordinance. He felt we are taking away our children’s future.

John Roberts Kokomo wanted to thank the Council for their consideration on the Fireworks Ordinance.
Joe Wampler Kokomo stated know the State Laws on fireworks and where they can be displayed. They cannot be set off in the public parks. They are for private property use only.

Jerry Paul Kokomo stated do something sensible with a fireworks ordinance.

Steve Long Kokomo stated he is not opposed to fireworks just would like to see the very loud and large ones not be allowed in neighborhoods.

Everett Stewart Kokomo stated he would hate to see people lose their rights to use fireworks.

Rick Embry Kokomo stated we need to be compassionate and understanding of others and is opposed to the use of fireworks.

The Clerk read Ordinance #6982 by title only. Councilman Miklik moved for passage on the second reading. Councilwoman Sanders seconded. Councilman Miklik states the City of Kokomo, Indiana is a duly organized municipal corporation and political subdivision under the laws of the State of Indiana. The City has cause to develop a baseball and softball tournament center. The Common Council desire to establish an enterprise fund for the operation of Championship Park.

Vote for passage on the second reading as follows:

Aye: All

Nay: None
The vote was 8-0 for passage on the second reading.

The Clerk read Ordinance #6983 by title only. Councilwoman Sanders moved for suspension of the rules, and pass Ordinance #6983 on first and second reading, seconded by Councilman Miklik.

Vote for suspension of the rules:

Aye: All

Nay: None

The vote was 8-0 for suspension of the rules.

Councilwoman Sanders states, the petitioner of East Sycamore LLC. Is requesting a change in zone classification for OC (office commercial) to R5 (urban residential) for property located at 321 E. Walnut St. Kokomo, IN 46901

Councilwoman Sanders states, there were no remonstrators.

Vote for passage follows:

Aye: All

Nay: None

The vote was 8-0 for passage on first and second reading.

The Clerk read Ordinance #6984 by title only, Councilwoman Sanders moved for suspension of the rules, and pass Ordinance #6984 on first and second reading. Seconded by Councilman Collins.
Vote for suspension of the rules:

Aye: All

Nay: None

The vote was 8-0 for suspension of the rules.

Councilwoman Sanders states, the petitioner of Lafountian, LLC. Is requesting a change in zone classification from NC (neighborhood commercial) to R5 (urban residential) for property located a 903 S. Main St. Kokomo IN. 46901

Councilwoman Sanders states, there were no remonstrators.

Vote for passage follows:

Aye: All

Nay: None

The vote was 8-0 for passage on the first and second reading.

President Grecu states, this marks the end of this Council meeting, our next Council Meeting will be held March 8th, 2021.

Adjourned at 6:30 p.m.

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Presiding Officer
Attest:

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City Clerk