CITY OF TOLEDO CITY COUNCIL MEETING NOVEMBER 15, 2021

MAYOR STEVE DOBOSH CALLED THE MEETING TO ORDER AT THE TOLEDO SENIOR CENTER. THE MEETING WAS ALSO TELEVISED LIVE ON YOU TUBE. THE FLAG SALUTE WAS LED BY MAYOR DOBOSH.

COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT: Gary Reboin, Michelle (Shelly) Thomas, and Ron Neumann.

EMPLOYEES PRESENT: Michelle Whitten, City Clerk/Treasurer; Sam Patrick, Police Chief; and Jill Davis, Deputy Clerk. Mike Fisher, Public Works Superintendent was absent.

ABSENT: Glend Forga and Emily Morgan were excused.

GUESTS: Cindy Samco, Eric Hayes, Ric Kindle, Ron and Sue Smith and Tawni Shepherd.

CONSENT AGENDA APPROVING CITY COUNCIL MINUTES OF NOVEMBER 1, 2021, AND BUDGET WORKSHOP MINUTES OF NOVEMBER 1, 2021. Ron motioned to approve the consent agenda; Gary seconded. Motion carried unanimously.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS:

Steve Dobosh – Mayor: Nothing.

Mike Fisher – Public Works: Absent.

Sam Patrick – **Police Department:** Still in the process of hiring another officer. Randy Pennington Officer 771 is talking about retiring in December. He has been essential to the department, but with safety concerns both have decided no active patrol. He can still handle dog calls and do follow ups. Ron asked if there is time limitations or age requirements? No, he can make phone calls and still be a big help, there is no age requirement. Stats for the previous month were in packets.

Michelle Whitten– City Clerk/Treasurer: Michelle informed Council of a huge discrepancy in the new population numbers for Toledo, with a loss of 100 people. Michelle has talked to Office of Financial Management who gives out the population allocations and our only recourse is to do a census next year. Much of the tax dollars received is based off population and this will be a large loss of revenue to the city.

COMMITTEE REPORTS: None

PUBLIC HEARING: 2022 Budget. Mayor opened the Public Hearing. As there was no comments Mayor closed the hearing and reopened the City Council meeting.

PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS: None.

NEW BUSINESS:

Ordinance No. 769 – Operation of All-Terrain Vehicles. First Reading. Mayor Dobosh read by title. Shelly moved to accept Ordinance No. 769; Ron seconded. Shelly and Ron voted for motion, Gary against. Motion carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Ordinance No. 768 – Ad Valorem Tax. Second Reading. Mayor Dobosh read by title. Ron motioned to accept Ordinance No. 768 on its second reading; Gary seconded. Motion carried unanimously.

Personal Service Agreement. Ron moved to accept; Shelly seconded. Gary asked who would be evaluating the position. Mayor said there will be oversight. Motion carried unanimously.

OTHER BUSINESS: None.

PUBLIC: Tawni Shepherd asked what was the Personal Service Agreement for. It was explained it is for the Park Host duties in lieu of a park space.

Ric Kindle explained that he has applied at three HUD housing places and on a 3-4 month wait list. The Veterans are helping him, and his sister is helping with a new travel trailer, as his current one is falling apart. The other problem with moving out of the park has been his health. He has had to cancel two surgeries and now is pushed till December 30th. It's not serious yet. He is trying the best he can but is moving a little slower. If he doesn't have the surgery, it can be serious.

Ric has been selling stuff to help raise funds to move. He wanted to clarify a comment he made at a previous meeting, and he was not asking to be paid, but wanted Council to know some hosts do get paid. Council was asking for a date that he thought would work to be out of the park. Ric has two locations to go to, one on Tucker Road and the other in Chehalis once he has a new rv in possession. Ric asked if he has current plans of removing his old trailer. He is giving to a friend to tear down. Council asked if trailer could be moved and the switch to new trailer made. Ric said no it would fall apart if it were to be moved.

Shelly asked how long of a recovery time is needed after surgery, which Ric replied no longer than a month. Ron wants to be sensitive to Ric's needs, but not sure he can continue without an end date. He is willing to extend the contract until next Council meeting, but the agreement needs to come to an end. Ron asked Ric to give a date after surgery that he could be out of the park. Ric said he could be out January 10th and everything would be cleaned up. Ron moved to extend the contract till Jan 10th, 2022 and Ric would continue his duties. He could be released earlier from contract if something comes sooner, Shelly seconded. Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT: Gary made a motion to adjourn, Shelly seconded. Motion carried.

These minutes are not verbatim.	If so desired, a recording of this meeting is on file and can be heard.
Steve Dobosh – Mayor	Michelle Whitten – City Clerk