Minutes of July 6, 2016 Special Council Meeting

The Martins Ferry City Council met in regular session on Wednesday July 6, 2016 at 6:00 PM at the Donald Myers Council Chambers. The meeting was called to order by Council President Kristine Davis with the Pledge of Allegiance and was followed by a prayer by the Clerk.

Answering roll call were Robert Hunker, First Ward, John Davies, Third Ward Rick Rodgers, Fourth Ward, Ben Neiman, Council at Large.

This meeting is for legislation only.

Ordinances and Resolutions:

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING APPROPRIATION OF FUNDS FROM THE PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT FUND FOR EXPENSES RELATED TO AN UPGRADE TO THE COMPUTER SYSTEM OF THE CITY AUDITOR'S OFFICE was given a second reading. No action was taken and the ordinance will go on to a third reading.

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING A BUDGET FOR THE CITY OF MARTINS FERRY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2017 AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY was given a first reading. No action was taken and the ordinance will go on to a second reading.

A RESOLUTION DECLARING IT NECESSARY TO LEVY A TAX IN EXCESS OF THE 10 MILL LIMITATION AND TO LEVY AN ADDITIONAL TAX OF 5.0 MILL FOR POLICE SERVICES FOR A PERIOD OF FIVE YEARS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY was given a first reading. No action was taken and the ordinance will go on to a second reading.

Mr. Davies motioned that the meeting adjourn. The motion was seconded by Mr. Hunker and after hearing an affirmative voice vote the meeting was adjourned with a salute to the flag.

Lee Ann Cleary, Clerk of Council	Kristine Davis, Council President