

SAFETY COMMITTEE MINUTES JUNE 19, 2018

The Safety Committee meeting was held on June 19, 2018, at North Royalton City Hall, 14600 State Road. The meeting was called to order at 6:02 p.m.

PRESENT: Committee Members: Vice Chair Cheryl Hannan, Gary Petrusky; **Council:** Larry Antoskiewicz, John Nickell, Paul Marnecheck, Dan Kasaris; **Administration:** Mayor Robert Stefanik, Law Director Thomas Kelly, Fire Chief Robert Chegan, Police Chief Ken Bilinovich, Safety Director Bruce Campbell, Finance Director Eric Dean; **Other:** Lou Krzepina, Darci Mack, Breanne Mack, Lynette Cockfield, Arlene Gains, Danny Casey, Sincere Harris, Gregory Stanley.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Moved by Mr. Petrusky, seconded by Mrs. Hannan to **approve the April 17, 2018 Safety Committee minutes.** Yeas: 2. Nays: 0. **Motion carried.**

Moved by Mrs. Hannan, seconded by Mr. Petrusky to **excuse Mr. Langshaw.** Roll Call: Yeas: 2. Nays: 0. **Motion carried.**

NEW BUSINESS

1. Oil Wells

Mr. Petrusky said that he and Mr. Langshaw have both had complaints about the well on State Road. Mayor Stefanik reported that Steve Tompkins from the ODNR has been in the area inspecting the wells. He said that if anyone has any issues to notify him either via action form or phone call and he will relay this information to Mr. Tompkins who will respond within 24-48 hours. Mayor Stefanik asked if the complaints about the well on State Road are regarding the landscaping. Mr. Petrusky said yes. Mr. Petrusky asked if the inspector would be looking at the well on Angelina. Mayor Stefanik said that it was inspected and the inspector said that they don't have any issues with the materials that are being stored there. Mr. Petrusky asked if there is something we can do because he has received complaints from the residents about the junk back there. Mayor Stefanik said to send him an action form and he will have the Building Department go out and take a look.

2. Intersection of Akins Road and Edgerton Road

Mr. Campbell said that they have done nothing further with this because there is no traffic crash data that supports action. Mr. Petrusky asked about an LED sign. Mr. Campbell said that it would be just to raise awareness, it really is not warranted by vehicle crashes. Mrs. Hannan said that there was talk about getting an illuminated sign for the area. Mr. Campbell said that this is an area that needs to be updated to the prismatic higher visibility signage that have more reflectivity that what is there now. He said that we are almost done throughout the city with changing all the signs to bring them up to the new requirement standards. Mr. Petrusky asked if we would go this route first before we would decide to do any type of an expenditure for an LED. Mr. Nickell said that he recalls that Council agreed to have the LED sign installed. Mrs. Hannan said that she recalls the same. Mr. Campbell said that he would speak with the Mayor and see how best to fund this.

3. Fire hydrant flushing and painting

Chief Chegan said that we are doing hydrant flushing in Ward 3 and about half way done with the city. He expects it to be completed by mid-July. He said that the paint program got started later this year. We started last Monday and we are working in the following developments: Timber Ridge, Worthington, Quail Ridge, Lancelot, Sherwood and Spyglass. These are the ones that we feel we can get done this year. He said if anyone knows of a specific area that needs to be addressed, send an action form to the Mayor and they will address it. Mr. Antoskiewicz asked how many hydrants we typically get done in a summer. Chief Chegan said it depends on weather, type of hydrants, main roads, etc. He said one year they got 490 hydrants done, but they were not the best. Another year we did 200 and they looked better. The hydrants

we do in the developments will last longer because there is not as much corrosion and salt splash compared to the main roads. He said that while he cannot say how many they will get done this season, they are on a pretty decent pace. Chief Chegan reviewed the 3 part painting process. Mr. Kasaris said that there are couple of hydrants on Lytle Road painted yellow and one is painted red. Chief Chegan said that the red hydrants with the gray tops are the new hydrants that are being installed by Cleveland Water.

Mr. Campbell reported that this Saturday is the CERT 15 year anniversary volunteer appreciation dinner at 6:30 at St. Alberts.

ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Mrs. Hannan, seconded by Mr. Petrusky **to adjourn the June 19, 2018 meeting.** Yeas: 2. Nays: 0.
Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 6:10 p.m.