



**NORTON CITY COUNCIL
SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING
MAY 9, 2018**

The Special Council Meeting convened on Wednesday, May 9, 2018 at 7:03 p.m. in the Council Chambers of the Safety Administration Building. The meeting was called to order by Scott Pelot, President of Council, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance, and a moment of silent prayer.

ROLL CALL:	Jack Gainer	Also Present:
	Dennis McGlone	Justin Markey
	Dan Karant	Kerry Macomber
	Paul Tousley	
	Charlotte Whipkey	
	Joe Kernan (Excused)	
	Scott Pelot	

NEW BUSINESS- COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Mr. Pelot announced that the order of the agenda items is being changed so the Executive Session will be held first followed by addressing of Ordinance #62-2018.

Mr. Pelot moved to enter into Executive Session for the purpose of conferences with an attorney for the City concerning disputes involving the City that are the subject of pending or imminent court action as defined in (O.R.C. § 121.22) (G) (3) & Section 3.12 of the Norton City Charter, seconded by Ms. Whipkey.

Roll Call: Yes: Gainer, McGlone, Karant, Tousley, Whipkey, Pelot
No: None

Motion Passed: 6-0.

Mr. Pelot invited Mr. Markey, Mr. Funk, and Ms. Fink to attend.

Mr. Pelot concluded the Executive Session at 8:28 p.m. and resumed Council Meeting

INTRODUCTION OF NEW LEGISLATION

ORD #62-2018

Mr. Pelot offered Ord #62-2018 for its first reading and asked the clerk to read it:

AN ORDINANCE DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND GRANTING NON-CONFORMING STATUS TO ALL EXISTING SIGNS ON PROPERTIES IMPACTED BY THE CLEVELAND-MASSILLON ROAD WIDENING PROJECT, PHASES 2 AND 3, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Mr. Pelot moved to waive the second and third readings, seconded by Ms. Whipkey.

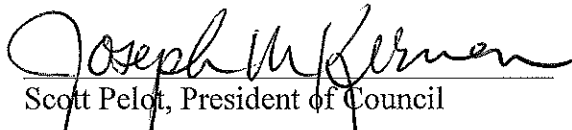
Roll call: Yes: Pelot, Whipkey, Gainer, McGlone, Karant, Tousley
No: None
Motion Passed: 7 -0

Mr. Pelot moved to adopt Ord #62-2018, Ms. Whipkey seconded. Mr. Pelot stated that this ordinance pertains to the signs on Cleveland-Massillon Road and the businesses that are impacted by the widening of Cleveland-Massillon Road in Phases 2 and 3. Ms. Whipkey clarified that some of these businesses were losing their signs and this will allow them to keep them. We should be doing all that we can to aid our businesses and invite more in.

Roll call: Yes: Pelot, Whipkey, Gainer, McGlone, Karant, Tousley
No: None
Motion Passed: 7 -0

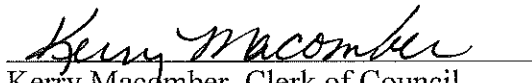
ADJOURN

There being no further business to come before Council, the meeting was adjourned at 8:31 PM.



Scott Pelot, President of Council

I, Kerry Macomber, Clerk of Council for the City of Norton, do hereby certify that the foregoing minutes were approved at a Regular Council Meeting held on May 14, 2018.



Kerry Macomber, Clerk of Council

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