# TOWN OF STAR CITY

# Council Meeting September 20, 2022 6:30 P.M.

#### **PRELIMINARIES:**

Mayor Reid recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

#### **CALL TO ORDER:**

Mayor Reid called the meeting to order.

#### **ATTENDANCE:**

Mayor - Herman Reid

Recorder - Steven A. Blinco

Treasurer - Lea Hassler

Councilor - Sharon Doyle

Councilor - Todd Gregg

Councilor - Lynette DeChristopher

Councilor - Cindy Baniak-Ulrich

Public Works - Phillip Davis

Code Enforcement - Bob Doyle

Chief of Police - Jessica Colebank

Councilor - Tina Talerico-Iquinto (Absent)

#### APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Motion to approve the minutes:

- 1. Councilor Doyle
- 2. Councilor Gregg

Motion carried.

#### TREASURER'S REPORT:

#### Bills to be Paid:

Motion to pay the bills as presented by Treasurer Hassler in the amount of \$328,382.12

- 1. Councilor Doyle
- 2. Councilor DeChristopher

Motion carried.

Motion to approve financial report (August 31, 2022) presented by Treasurer Hassler.

- 1. Councilor Ulrich
- 2. Councilor Doyle

Motion carried.

#### SPECIAL SPEAKERS / PRESENTATIONS:

Monongalia County Assessor - Mark Musick

- Speaking on Amendment 2 (Nov. Ballot)
- Effects on Mon County now and in the future

#### **CITIZENS:**

Derek Miner - 453 Springdale Avenue

- Issues with Speeding continue
- Requesting another look at possible speed bumps

Perri Jo DeChristopher - 571 Herman Avenue

Jim & Debbie Morris - 561 Herman Avenue

- Perri Jo DeChristopher read a letter written by Jim & Deb Morris
- Concerns over increased traffic in the area
- Concerns over increased stress on the Stormwater & Sewer system
- Concerns over increased water runoff in the area
- Support for progress and moving Star City forward
- Look forward to discussing / revisiting topic in the future

#### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

Cleaning Schedule (City Hall)

- Phillip Davis Public Works agreed to develop a schedule moving forward
- Cleaning (1x per week) / Garbage (2x per week)

Street Sign Orders

- Phillip Davis Public Works has taken an Inventory of the signs around town
- Looking to order what is needed for replacement

#### **COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

# **Planning Commission**

- Met on September 12
- Agreed that rezoning was consistent with the 2013 Comprehensive Plan

#### **SUPERVISOR'S REPORTS:**

#### Treasurer - Lea Hassler

- GoTec New System Install to begin
- Full Installation will take 9-12 months

#### Code Enforcement - Bob Doyle

- RK&K Proposal (Whole Town)
- Fenwick Project is the 1<sup>st</sup> Priority
- Continuing to look for funding options
- Will reach out to Potesta to see if any engineering work in past is helpful
- Annexation work is continuing

#### Public Works - Phillip Davis

- All curb painting has been completed
- Work on Handicapped spots throughout town
- Continuing to flush the sewer lines throughout town
- Grass Cutting

#### Chief of Police - Jessica Colebank

- New Cruiser has been ordered (Arrival in late October)
- K-9 Agreement is pending
- Dept. 4-Wheeler & Boat / Requesting permission to explore selling
- Major Drug Bust in Star City (Bones Delray Detroit)

# ATTORNEY'S COMMENTS: (NONE)

# **RECORDER'S COMMENTS: (NONE)**

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

# Second Reading of Article 171.06 - Appointment and Oath of Office of Municipal Court Judge

Motion to approve the second reading of Article 171.06.

- 1. Councilor DeChristopher
- 2. Councilor Gregg

#### **ROLL CALL VOTE:**

Gregg (Yes), DeChristopher (Yes), Blinco (Yes), Doyle (Yes), Ulrich (Yes), Reid (Yes)

#### Motion carried

### Trick or Treat in Star City

Motion to set the Trick or Treat date for Star City on Monday, October 31 from 6:00-8:00.

- 1. Councilor Doyle
- 2. Recorder Blinco

Motion carried

#### **Canine Agreement**

Motion to accept the canine agreement as presented.

- 1. Councilor DeChristopher
- 2. Councilor Ulrich

Motion carried

# Request to Pave Alley between Herman Avenue and Congress Avenue – Dominick Claudio

Motion to TABLE.

- 1. Councilor DeChristopher
- 2. Councilor Doyle

Motion carried

# Policemen's Pension Annual Report

Motion to approve the Policemen's Pension Annual Report as presented.

- 1. Councilor DeChristopher
- 2. Councilor Gregg

Motion carried

PERMITS: (NONE)

### ADJOURNMENT:

Motion to adjourn at 7:36 P.M.

- 1. Councilor Ulrich
- 2. Councilor Doyle

Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Steven A. Blinco, Star City Recorder

Herman Reid, Star City Mayor

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