

CITY OF EDGEWOOD
COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
November 20, 2017
6:30 PM

CALL TO ORDER – Mayor Link called the meeting of the Edgewood City Council to order at 6:30 PM in the council chambers of the Edgewood City Building. The following council members were present: Nancy Atkinson, Ben Barlage, Dale Henson, Joe Messmer, Jeff Schreiber, Rob Thelen and Tony Ward. Also in attendance were City Administrator Brian Dehner, City Attorney Frank Wichmann, and Senior Deputy Clerk Belinda Nitschke.

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVAL OF AGENDA – no changes

APPROVAL OF MINUTES – October 16, 2017 Council Meeting Minutes – Mrs. Atkinson made a **motion** to adopt the October 16, 2017 council meeting minutes as written; second by Mr. Messmer. **Motion passed: 7 ayes – 0 nays.**

REPORT/PRESENTATIONS – **Chief Amon introduced Lisa Kelly.** Lisa is the new FEMA Safer Grant Volunteer Recruitment/Retention Coordinator. Lisa has already hit the round running, meeting with schools and making contacts.

Mayors Report – Mayor Link gave a speech to the 2nd grade Hinsdale Government class. Mayor Link received a thank you from Gary Helton with the Kenton County Police Department for Michelle Frisch’s help with the RAD class they held last month, Michelle not only handles all the recreation events in the city but helps other departments with RAD; thank you Michelle. The new industrial park that will be located at the old Erlanger Cinemas is projected to bring 1,700 new jobs to the area. Mayor Link thanked everyone who attended the Lou Noll Symposium.

Staff Reports – Council reviewed reports from the following staff members: City Administrator, City Clerk, Fire/EMS, General Services – Mayor Link received several calls and messages from residents about how pleased they are with the job General Services did on Ashfield Court, Police and Recreation.

CITIZENS DESIRING RECOGNITION ON LEGISLATIVE MATTERS NOT ON THE AGENDA – none

UNFINISHED BUSINESS – **Presidents Park White House renovation update** – The White House Event Center is around 50% complete. Furniture and furnishings are being delivered. The center should be available for rentals starting January 2, 2018.

NEW BUSINESS – none

ORDINANCES, MUNICIPAL ORDERS, AND RESOLUTIONS – none

ANNOUNCEMENTS

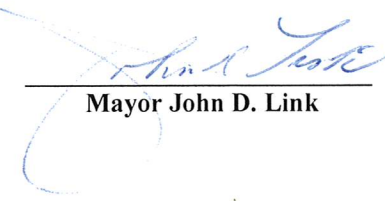
- Mayor Link issued Executive Order 2017-02 appointing Nancy Atkinson to continue to serve on the OKI Board for 2018.
- Property taxes are due 12/31 or take advantage of the 2% discount if paid by 11/30.
- The Annual Tree Lighting will be Sunday, November 26th from 5:30 – 7; Santa and Mrs. Claus will arrive around 5:45.
- Letters to Santa can be dropped off in Santa’s mailbox located in the city building starting today through December 8th.
- Fitness classes are now forming; inquire at the city building for information and registration.
- All Aboard for Edgewood Night at Behringer-Crawford Museum in Devou Park on Friday, December 1 from 6 – 8 pm. Admission is free to residents, please bring a canned good donation, light refreshments and crafts are included.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Henson made a **motion** to adjourn at 6:57 p.m.; second by Mr. Ward. **Motion passed: 7 ayes – 0 nays.**

Attest: 
Belinda Nitschke, Senior Deputy Clerk

Date passed: 12/4/17


Mayor John D. Link