

**CITY OF EDGEWOOD
COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
January 7, 2019
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: Ben Barlage, Dale Henson, Joe Messmer, Jeff Schreiber, Rob Thelen, Tony Ward and Kim Wolking. Also, in attendance were City Administrator Brian Dehner, City Clerk Belinda Nitschke and City Attorney Frank Wichmann.

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVAL OF AGENDA – Mayor added item #21 Airbnb's

APPROVAL OF MINUTES – December 3, 2018 Council Meeting Minutes – Mr. Messmer made a motion to adopt the December 3, 2018 minutes as written; second by Mrs. Wolking. **Motion passed: 7 ayes – 0 nays.**

REPORT/PRESENTATIONS –

Mayors Report –

- Information on the NKY Outer loop long range plan from the Transportation Cabinet to help alleviate traffic was sent to the Mayor. Any comments can be forwarded to Bob Yeager at District Six.
- OKI is beginning their budget process and Gary Moore is the upcoming president.
- Legislature is getting started to discuss many issues this upcoming session.
- Chamber of Commerce dinner January 10, 2019 to kick off the legislative session.
- Linzy Brefeld an engineer from District Six sent an email regarding traffic patterns at Waffle House and Thornton's.
- City of Edgewood has been named the #1 city in the State of Kentucky and 17th in the USA.

Staff Reports – Council reviewed reports from the following staff members: City Administrator, City Clerk, Fire/EMS, General Services, Police, and Recreation.

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

UNFINISHED BUSINESS – None

NEW BUSINESS – **Tree Removal between curb and sidewalk** – issues at Edge Mar, Royal Windsor, Balsam, Creekwood and Prestwicke caused from the trees during snow removal since they are in the right-of-way. Bob requested to remove the trees between the curb and sidewalk. The city would offer to replace the tree in the yard if the resident wanted to replace the removed tree. It is approximately 20 trees. Residents will be notified regarding the issue before any trees will be removed. There were no objections to the plan.

Airbnb's rentals in the city – 369 Marie Lane is listed as an Airbnb and Bill and Sandy Hoffer residents on the street wish to discuss what is allowed in the city regarding Airbnb's. The renting of the residence began in November and they described the troubles they have been having with the rentals of this property. Frank Wichmann stated this is a current issue across the nation and the solutions are either regulation or prohibition. Council agreed to prohibit Airbnb rentals and direct Frank Wichmann to draft an ordinance prohibiting Airbnb rentals.

ORDINANCES, MUNICIPAL ORDERS, AND RESOLUTIONS **Municipal Order 2019-01** declares Four (4) Dell Laptop Computers as surplus. Mr. Henson made a motion to adopt Municipal Order 2019-01; second by Mr. Ward. **Motion Passed: 7 ayes – 0 nays.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Edgewood Night at Town and Country on January 20th 6-9pm; free to residents.

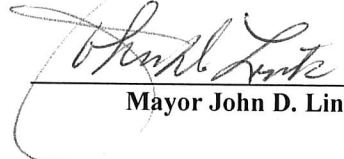
- Lazer Kraze Day on January 21st from 10am – noon; arrive early this event is limited to the first 100 residents.
- Completed Baseball field reservations are due to Hannah Maydak by February 1st.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Barlage made a **motion** to adjourn at 7:28 p.m.; second by Mr. Ward. **Motion passed: 7 ayes – 0 nays.**

Attest: 

Belinda Nitschke, City Clerk



Mayor John D. Link

Date passed: 1/21/19