

**CITY OF EDGEWOOD  
COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES  
June 17, 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** – Mr. Messmer added Dudley Road as item #21 under new business.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES** – June 3, 2019 Council Meeting Minutes – Mr. Schreiber made a motion to adopt the June 3, 2019 minutes as written; second by Mr. Thelen. Mr. Barlage, Mr. Henson and Mr. Ward abstained. **Motion passed: 4 ayes – 3 abstentions.**

**REPORT/PRESENTATIONS** – **Mayor's Report** – David Eager, Executive Director of the Kentucky Retirement System attended the Mayor's Group Meeting on June 15<sup>th</sup> in Park Hills. Mayor Link thanked St Elizabeth for inviting him to the ribbon cutting for the new Women's Health Center on Medical Village Drive. We have a Board of Adjustments meeting June 20<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm here at the city building. Mayor Link received a plaque from the Greater Cincinnati Retail Bakers' Association for his 10 years of service to the National Donut Day Donut Stacking Contest.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS** – None

**NEW BUSINESS** – **Cancel July 1, 2019 Council Meeting** – Mrs. Wolking made a motion to cancel the July 1, 2019 council meeting; second by Mr. Ward. **Motion passed: 7 ayes – 0 nays.**

Mr. Messmer has had quite a few residents inquire about the Dudley Road construction status; he suggested an update be made available. Mr. Dehner is meeting with Engineer Ben Brandstetter this week for an update and will request Mr. Brandstetter to attend the next council meeting on July 15 to give an update.

**ORDINANCES, MUNICIPAL ORDERS, AND RESOLUTIONS** – **Executive Order 2019-02** – Mayor's recommendation to appoint Lt. Brian Zurborg as Police Chief effective August 1, 2019. Mr. Ward made a motion to accept the recommendation; second by Mrs. Wolking. **Motion passed: 7 ayes – 0 nays.**


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

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**


- Tuesday Night Concert Series in Presidents Park at 7:pm – June 19<sup>th</sup> – Gee Your Band Smells Terrific, June 25<sup>th</sup> – Lee's Junction Big band
- 4<sup>th</sup> of July activities will begin with the 5K race at 7:30am at Presidents Park, Parade starts at 9:30am, Free concert at Freedom Park at 7:pm and the fireworks at dusk at Freedom Park – In the event of inclement weather the fireworks will be re-scheduled for July 5<sup>th</sup>.
- Mayor Link announced this year's Grand Marshall is our Public Works Director Bob Begnoche. Bob will retire this year after 37 years of service to the City of Edgewood.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Mr. Barlage made a motion to adjourn at 7:15 p.m.; second by Mr. Ward. **Motion passed: 7 ayes – 0 nays.**

Attest:   
Belinda Nitschke, City Clerk

Date passed: 7/15/19

  
Mayor John D. Link