## CITY OF EDGEWOOD COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES April 15, 2024 6:30 PM

<u>CALL TO ORDER</u> –Mayor Link called the meeting of the Edgewood City Council to order at 6:30pm. The following council members were present: Ben Barlage, Darla Kettenacker, Jeff Schreiver, Scott Spille, Rob Thelen and Kim Wolking. Also, in attendance were City Administrator Brian Dehner, City Clerk Belinda Nitschke, and City Attorney Frank Wichmann. Council member Joe Messmer was absent.

#### INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

<u>CITIZENS DESIRING RECOGNITION ON LEGISLATIVE MATTERS NOT ON THE AGENDA</u> – Harold Trouten, 3087 Winding Trails – Mr. Trouten expressed his concerns on whether Rumpke is recycling what they pick up. Mr. Trouten stated that he has witnessed over the last two months Rumpke using a garbage truck to pick up the recycle. Mr. Schreiver asked that we contact Rumpke and ask about their process. Mayor Link and Mr. Dehner stated they would contact Rumpke.

# APPROVAL OF AGENDA - Approved

<u>APPROVAL OF MINUTES</u> – April 1, 2024 Council Meeting Minutes – Mrs. Wolking made a **motion** to adopt the April 1, 2024 minutes as written; second by Mr. Thelen. Mr. Barlage and Dr. Spille abstained. Motion passed: 4 ayes – 2 abstentions.

REPORT/PRESENTATIONS – Mayors Report – Mayor Link stated that the budget has been passed out for review and will be posted on the website. Mayor Link stated that there will be caucus meetings scheduled to discuss the budget on May 6<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup>. Mayor Link thanked Erika Skiles for the Easter Egg Hunt and stated all 6,000 eggs were collected. Mayor Link stated that the legislative session is closed. Mayor Link announced that the Mayor's Group will be meeting on Saturday, April 20, 2024 at Liberty Hall at 9am and will be discussing the cannabis bill.

Staff Reports – CAO, City Clerk, Fire, General Services, Police & Recreation – Mrs. Kettenacker asked about a park at the end of Winding Trails. Mayor Link stated that this was a park that was put in by the residents that flooded and it is not a city park. Mr. Barlage gave a brief history of the park. Mrs. Wolking thanked Chief Dickman for his annual report and commented on what a nice job he had done.

#### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS** – None

**NEW BUSINESS** - None

<u>ORDINANCES</u>, <u>MUNICIPAL ORDERS</u>, <u>AND RESOLUTIONS</u> – Resolution 2024-03 Authorizing Mayor to sign agreement with the Kentucky Transportation Department. Mr. Schreiver made a **motion** to adopt Resolution 2024-03; second by Mr. Thelen. **Motion** passed: 6 ayes – 0 nays.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- Health and Wellness Expo free for all ages on April 18th at Liberty Hall from 2-4: pm
- City Yard Sale at Freedom Park on May 4th, spaces are limited and are \$20. Must pre-register with the city.

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• July 4<sup>th</sup> Parade theme this year is Explore America in 2024!.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

Dr. Spille made a motion to adjourn at 6:54 p.m.; second by Mr. Thelen. Motion passed: 6 ayes – 0 nays.

Attest: Belinda Nitschke, City Clerk

Date passed: 5/6/24