

In Bloomington, Indiana on Wednesday, October 07, 2020 at 6:30pm, Council President Stephen Volan presided over a Regular Session of the Common Council. Per the Governor’s Executive Orders, this meeting was conducted electronically.

COMMON COUNCIL
REGULAR SESSION
October 07, 2020

Councilmembers present via teleconference: Matt Flaherty, Isabel Piedmont-Smith, Dave Rollo, Kate Rosenbarger, Susan Sandberg, Sue Sgambelluri, Jim Sims, Ron Smith, Stephen Volan
Councilmembers absent: none

ROLL CALL [6:32pm]

Council President Stephen Volan summarized the agenda.

AGENDA SUMMATION [6:33pm]

Piedmont-Smith moved and it was seconded to approve the Regular Session Minutes of April 06, October 05, October, 19, November 02, November 30, December 07, and December 21, 2011.
Piedmont-Smith withdrew her motion.

April 6, 2011 (Regular Session)
October 5, 2011 (Regular Session)
October 19, 2011 (Regular Session)
November 2, 2011 (Regular Session)
November 30, 2011 (Regular Session)
December 7, 2011 (Regular Session)
December 21, 2011 (Regular Session)

Piedmont-Smith moved and it was seconded that the Council suspend the rules and consider the minutes appearing on tonight’s agenda in the ordinary course of business. The motion received a roll call vote of Ayes: 9, Nays: 0, Abstain: 0.

Piedmont-Smith moved and it was seconded to approve the Regular Session Minutes of April 06, October 05, October 19, November 02, November 30, December 07, and December 21, 2011. The motion received a roll call vote of Ayes: 9, Nays: 0, Abstain: 0.

Sims encouraged people to vote and thanked County Clerk Nicole Browne and her staff for their hard work.

REPORTS
• COUNCIL MEMBERS [6:35pm]

Volan proposed name changes of streets in the City. He also proposed changes to the John Waldron Art Center.

There were no reports from the Mayor or city offices.

- The MAYOR AND CITY OFFICES
- COUNCIL COMMITTEES
- PUBLIC [6:40pm]

There were no council committee reports.

Greg Alexander spoke about rezoning and the need for updated signage.

Alex Goodlad spoke about the need to vote. He also spoke about the proposed city budget.

Jim Shelton spoke about Judge Vi Taliaferro, and said that it would be a good idea to recognize her work.

There were no appointments to boards or commissions.

APPOINTMENTS TO BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS

Piedmont-Smith moved and it was seconded that Resolution 20-14 be read by title and synopsis only. The motion received a roll call vote of Ayes: 9, Nays: 0, Abstain: 0.

Clerk Nicole Bolden read the legislation by title and synopsis.

Piedmont-Smith moved and it was seconded to adopt Resolution 20-14.

Stephen Lucas, Council Attorney, presented the legislation.

There were no council questions.

There was no public comment.

Sandberg thanked her colleagues for working on the committee and expressed support for the legislation.

Piedmont-Smith said that the tax represented part of the funds available for public safety.

The motion to adopt Resolution 20-14 received a roll call vote of Ayes: 9, Nays: 0, Abstain: 0.

Piedmont-Smith moved and it was seconded that Ordinance 20-17 be read by title and synopsis only. The motion received a roll call vote of Ayes: 9, Nays: 0, Abstain: 0.

Clerk Bolden read the legislation by title and synopsis.

Volan referred the legislation to the Transportation Committee.

Piedmont-Smith moved and it was seconded that Ordinance 20-21 be read by title and synopsis only. The motion received a roll call vote of Ayes: 9, Nays: 0, Abstain: 0.

Clerk Bolden read the legislation by title and synopsis.

Volan referred the legislation to the Transportation Committee.

LEGISLATION FOR SECOND
READING AND RESOLUTIONS
[6:57pm]

Resolution 20-14 - Resolution Proposing an Ordinance Modifying Local Income Tax Allocations in Monroe County and Casting 58.28 Votes In Favor Of the Ordinance - Re: Adjusting the Allocations between the Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) and General Public Safety Purposes Tax Rates without Changing Other Allocations or the Total Expenditure Tax Rate

Council questions:

Public comment:

Council comments:

Vote to adopt Resolution 20-14
[7:08pm]

LEGISLATION FOR FIRST
READING [7:08pm]

Ordinance 20-17 - To Amend Title 15 of the Bloomington Municipal Code Entitled "Vehicles and Traffic" Re: Amending Chapter 15.26 Entitled "Neighborhood Traffic Safety Program" By Replacing the Neighborhood Traffic and Safety Program with the Traffic Calming and Greenways Program

Ordinance 20-21 - To Amend Title 12 ("Streets, Sidewalks and Storm Sewers") and Title 17 ("Construction Regulations") of the Bloomington Municipal Code Re: Deleting Chapter 12.08 (Excavations) and Replacing it with Chapter 12.08 (Use Of the Right Of Way) and Adding a New Chapter 12.10 (Enforcement and Penalties) and Deleting Three Sections of Chapter 12.04 (General Regulations) and Revising One Section of Chapter 17.08 (Administration and Enforcement)

There was no additional public comment

ADDITIONAL PUBLIC COMMENT

Stephen Lucas, Council Attorney, reviewed the council schedule.

COUNCIL SCHEDULE [7:16pm]


Sims moved and it was seconded to adjourn. The motion was approved by voice vote.

ADJOURNMENT [7:17pm]


APPROVED by the Common Council of the City of Bloomington, Monroe County, Indiana upon this 2nd day of October, 2020.

APPROVE:

ATTEST:



Stephen Volan, PRESIDENT
Bloomington Common Council



~~Nicole Bolden, CLERK~~
City of Bloomington
Sofia McDowell, Chief Deputy Clerk

