

In the Council Chambers of the Showers City Hall, Bloomington, Indiana on Wednesday, December 18, 2019 at 7:41pm, Council President Dave Rollo presided over a Regular Session of the Common Council.

COMMON COUNCIL
REGULAR SESSION
December 18, 2019

Councilmembers present: Allison Chopra, Dorothy Granger, Isabel Piedmont-Smith, Dave Rollo, Andy Ruff, Susan Sandberg, Jim Sims, Chris Sturbaum, Stephen Volan
Councilmembers absent: none

ROLL CALL [7:41pm]

Council President Dave Rollo summarized the agenda.

AGENDA SUMMATION [7:41pm]

There were no minutes for approval.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Piedmont-Smith moved and it was seconded amend the agenda to allow public comment before council reports. The motion was approved by a voice vote.

Vote to amend the agenda
[7:42pm]

Ben Ramsden voiced his concerns about Crawford Apartments and finding needles, experiencing break-ins, and other problems.

REPORTS

- PUBLIC

Stephenie Courter expressed her concerns about not being able to let her children go out to play due to used needles in the yards and parking lot, and other problems.

- COUNCILMEMBERS
[7:52pm]

Sandberg moved and it was seconded to adopt an encomium for Chris Sturbaum. Sandberg read the encomium.

Motion to adopt encomium for
Chris Sturbaum [7:52pm]

John Hamilton, Mayor, read from a Proclamation designating December 20, 2019 as Chris Sturbaum Day.

Sue Mayer thanked the councilors for working hard over the years.

Public comment:

There was additional council discussion.

Council comment:

The motion to adopt the encomium for Chris Sturbaum was approved by a voice vote.

Vote to adopt encomium for Chris
Sturbaum [8:04pm]

Granger moved and it was seconded to adopt an encomium for Andy Ruff. Granger read the encomium.

Motion to adopt encomium for
Andy Ruff [8:05pm]

Hamilton read from a Proclamation designating December 21, 2019 as Andy Ruff Day.

There was additional council discussion.

Council comment:

The motion to adopt the encomium for Andy Ruff was approved by a voice vote.

Vote to adopt encomium for Andy
Ruff [8:15pm]

Rollo moved and it was seconded to adopt an encomium for Dorothy Granger. Rollo read the encomium.

Motion to adopt encomium for
Dorothy Granger [8:15pm]

Hamilton read from a Proclamation designating December 19, 2019 as Dorothy Granger Day.

There was additional council discussion.

Council comment:

The motion to adopt the encomium for Dorothy Granger was approved by a voice vote.	Vote to adopt encomium for Dorothy Granger [8:23pm]
Piedmont-Smith moved and it was seconded to adopt an encomium for Allison Chopra. Piedmont-Smith read the encomium.	Motion to adopt encomium for Allison Chopra [8:24pm]
Hamilton read from a Proclamation designating December 18, 2019 as Allison Chopra Day.	
Tim Mayer reflected on his time on the council and thanked councilmembers for their service.	Public comment:
Stacy Jane Rhoads, former council staffer, thanked the retiring councilmembers.	
There was additional council discussion.	Council comment:
The motion to adopt the encomium for Allison Chopra was approved by a voice vote.	Vote to adopt encomium for Allison Chopra [8:34pm]
There were no reports from the Mayor or city offices.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The MAYOR and CITY OFFICES
There were no council committee reports.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• COUNCIL COMMITTEES
There were no appointments to boards or commissions.	APPOINTMENTS TO BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS
	LEGISLATION FOR SECOND READING AND RESOLUTIONS [8:35pm]
Volan moved and it was seconded that <u>Ordinance 19-28</u> be read by title and synopsis only. The motion was approved by voice vote. Clerk Nicole Bolden read the legislation by title and synopsis, giving the committee do-pass recommendation of Ayes: 8, Nays: 0, Abstain: 0.	<u>Ordinance 19-28</u> TO AMEND TITLE 2 OF THE BLOOMINGTON MUNICIPAL CODE ENTITLED “ADMINISTRATION AND PERSONNEL” - Re: Amending Chapter 2.28 (Bloomington Living Wage Ordinance) to Remove Exclusion for City Seasonal Employees
Volan moved and it was seconded that <u>Ordinance 19-28</u> be adopted.	Motion to adopt <u>Ordinance 19-28</u> [8:40pm]
Piedmont-Smith presented the legislation.	
There was no council questions.	Council question:
There was no public comment.	Public comment:
There was additional council comment.	Council comment:
The motion to adopt <u>Ordinance 19-28</u> received a roll call vote of Ayes: 9, Nays: 0, Abstain: 0.	Vote to adopt <u>Ordinance 19-28</u> [8:49pm]
Sturbaum presented Dan Sherman, Council Attorney, with a quilt.	
There was no legislation for first reading.	LEGISLATION FOR FIRST READING

There was no additional public comment.

ADDITIONAL PUBLIC COMMENT

Sherman reviewed the upcoming schedule.

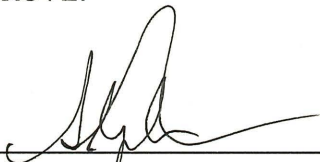
COUNCIL SCHEDULE [8:50pm]

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

ADJOURNMENT [8:52pm]

APPROVED by the Common Council of the City of Bloomington, Monroe County, Indiana upon this 4th day of NOVEMBER, 2020.

APPROVE:



Stephen Volan, PRESIDENT
Bloomington Common Council

ATTEST:



Nicole Bolden, CLERK
City of Bloomington

