

**REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BROOK PARK, OHIO
TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, MAY 21, 2019**

The meeting was called to order by Council President Vecchio at 7:41 p.m., the clerk called the roll and the following Members of Council answered:

SCOTT, BURGIO, ORCUTT, STEMM, MENCINI, POINDEXTER, SALVATORE

Also in attendance were Law Director Horvath, Finance Director Cingle, Service Director Gardner and Engineer Piatak.

Mayor Gammella properly excused.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF PRECEDING MEETINGS:

1. Caucus Prior to meeting held on May 7, 2019.

Motion by Mr. Mencini, supported by Mr. Burgio, to approve as printed.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Mencini, Burgio, Scott, Orcutt, Stemm, Salvatore

NAYS: None.

ABSTENTION: Poindexter. The motion carried with a vote of 6 and one abstention.

2. Regular Council meeting held on May 7, 2019.

Motion by Mr. Mencini, supported by Mr. Scott, to approve as printed.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Mencini, Scott, Burgio, Orcutt, Stemm, Salvatore

NAYS: None.

ABSTENTION: Poindexter. The motion carried with a vote of 6 and one abstention.

Motion by Mr. Salvatore, supported by Mr. Burgio, to go out of the Regular Order of Business to letter M-12 and letters O numbers 1 and 2.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Salvatore, Burgio, Scott, Orcutt, Stemm, Mencini, Poindexter

NAYS: None. The motion carried.

Introduction of Ordinances and Resolutions:

12. RESOLUTION NO. 19-2019 HONORING JAMES F. FOSTER ON HIS RETIREMENT AS CHIEF OF POLICE FOR THE CITY OF BROOK PARK AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. Introduced by Mayor Gammella and Council as a Whole.

Motion by Mr. Stemm, supported by Mr. Poindexter, to suspend.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Stemm, Poindexter, Mencini, Salvatore, Scott, Burgio, Orcutt

NAYS: None. The motion carried.

Introduction of Ordinances and Resolutions: cont.

Motion by Mr. Scott, supported by Mr. Burgio, to adopt.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Scott, Burgio, Orcutt, Stemm, Mencini, Poindexter, Salvatore
NAYS: None. Resolution No. 19-2019, has passed under Suspension of the rules. Adopted.

The clerk read the letter received from Chief Foster thanking the City of Brook Park along with the Whereas' of the legislation.

Mr. Vecchio presented the Proclamation to former Police Chief Foster and stated on behalf of the city, City Council as a Whole we thank you for your service. Obviously, you served the city longer than a lot of people within this Council Chambers and it's been a pleasure working with you and knowing you all these years.

Mr. Stemm congratulated Mr. Foster and thanked him for his years of service to the community and growing up and spending your career here. You will be missed but enjoy retirement; congratulations, again, to you and your family.

Mr. Foster stated it's been an honor to serve the community you grew up in. Over the years I've met everyone here professionally and feel comfortable calling people by their first names. It's been an honor to serve all these years and appreciate the support.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS:

1. RESOLUTION NO. 7-2019, HONORING EXPRESS DELI AND BEVERAGE FOR MAKING YELP'S TOP 100 LIST OF BEST PLACES TO EAT IN THE ENTIRE COUNTRY AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. Introduced by Councilman Salvatore, Council as a Whole and Mayor Gammella.

Motion by Mr. Scott, supported by Mr. Poindexter, to adopt.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Scott, Poindexter, Salvatore, Mencini, Stemm, Orcutt, Burgio
NAYS: None. Resolution No. 7-2019 has passed under Third Reading.
Adopted.

2. RESOLUTION NO. 11-2019, DEDICATING THE BROOK PARK 2019 SOFTBALL SEASON IN HONOR AND REMEMBRANCE OF KHLOE NIDA AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. Introduced by Councilman Salvatore, Council as a Whole and Mayor Gammella.

Motion by Mr. Scott, supported by Mr. Burgio, to adopt.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Scott, Burgio, Orcutt, Stemm, Mencini, Poindexter, Salvatore
NAYS: None. Resolution No. 11-2019, has passed under Third Reading.
Adopted.

Third Reading of Ordinances and Resolutions: cont.

Mr. Salvatore stated to the Nida family on behalf of the Mayor and Council the entire (softball) season is dedicated to Khloe and invited the coaches up.

Coach Orcutt stated to Mitch and Amanda (Nida) this started a few years ago when bringing this team together; last year was a great and wonderful season. Obviously, with everything that happened to your family turned out to be a great surprise for everyone but something that brought our whole community together. Khloe will always be remembered and thanked the Nida's for the friendship; Khloe's number will be dedicated and will always be remembered in this city.

Coach Beyer thanked the Nida's for the opportunity to coach Khloe on her first year on the pitching machine and Khloe was the type of player that every coach would want. Khloe did whatever was asked of her and always with a smile on her face. I don't think there was ever a time that Khloe said no or shook her head no; she was the best teammate that anyone could ask for. Again, thank you it was an honor to coach Khloe and I am very close with the Nida family and thank you for giving Brook Park, this community, Khloe; as Coach Orcutt said, Khloe brought this community together.

Mr. Salvatore presented a Resolution to the Nida's dedicating the 2019 softball season to Khloe and two plaques; one to be displayed at American Legion field one and the other plaque to be displayed at the recreation center. Finally, on behalf of the team and possibly the longest running coach a number has never been retired before; number eight is not only being retired by the team but by the town and presented the Nida's with a shirt.

Mrs. Nida stated thank you very much, this means a lot to keep Khloe's name alive and spirit going with the team and all the girls' hearts from last season. Thank you everyone, very much.

Secondly, Ward 3 Councilman Orcutt, presented the Resolution to Express Deli owner, Mr. Aboukhaled, for being recognized as Yelp's Top 100 places to eat and thanked Mr. Aboukhaled for putting Brook Park on the map. Mr. Orcutt also thanked Mr. Aboukhaled for boosting his spirits when having a tough or long day and also for taking good care of the children of Brook Park. You make our community a great place to live and raise our families, thank you very much for everything you've done.

Mr. Aboukhaled thanked everyone and stated on behalf of my wife, son and the whole staff at the deli, we are truly humbled to receive this special honor. It has been a privilege to serve the great residents of the City of Brook Park for the past 20 years; we are very grateful for all the support and patronage through the years. Each one of you has played a pivotal role in making Express Deli a success and look forward to continue working to serve this community for many years to come.

Motion by Mr. Salvatore, supported by Mr. Orcutt, to go back to the Regular Order of Business.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Salvatore, Orcutt, Burgio, Scott, Poindexter, Mencini, Stemm
NAYS: None. The motion carried.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES:

Aviation & Environmental Committee - Chairman, Poindexter

Mr. Poindexter reported the Aviation & Environmental Committee has nothing on the agenda and nothing new to report.

Finance Committee - Chairman, Scott

Mr. Scott reported has nothing on the agenda. The Board of Control met earlier and approved 25 items; the three largest expenditures was for the 2019 senior bus in the amount of \$69,000, first year of a 20-year contract with Brewer-Garrett for maintenance of the recreation center and City Hall in the amount of \$35,000 and Pro-Tech Security Sales for police vests in the amount of \$22,600.

Legislative Committee - Chairman, Mencini

Mr. Mencini reported Legislative Committee has six items under First Reading. To the Nida's I coached Mitch's sister for three years and not to long after the incident Mitch and Amanda embellished themselves into this community and is very hard to do they have their moments. It's wonderful how this community came out for the Nida's at that point and what the Nida's are doing to give back to the community.

Parks & Recreation Committee - Chairman, Salvatore

Mr. Salvatore reported the Memorial Day Parade will kick-off on May 27th at 10:00 a.m. from Brookgate shopping center down Sylvia Drive.

Planning Committee - Chairman, Burgio

Mr. Burgio reported Planning Committee has legislation on tonight's agenda.

Safety Committee - Chairman Stemm

Mr. Stemm reported the Safety Committee has items on tonight's agenda and thanked all the veterans and active members of the armed forces and recognize them on Memorial Day. Also, thank former Police Chief Foster for all his years of service in Brook Park and hoping for a happy and well-deserved retirement.

Service Committee - Chairman, Orcutt

Mr. Orcutt reported the Service committee has nothing on tonight's agenda and mentioned that yard waste and regular waste can be brought to the service department located at 19065 Holland Road; hours of operation are Monday - Friday 7:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. and Saturdays from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. (noon), yard waste cannot be in a plastic bag and proof of residency is required.

Board of Zoning Appeals - Chairman, Scott

Mr. Scott reported the Board of Zoning Appeals has not met since last report.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES:

Southwest General Health Center - Trustee, Salvatore

Mr. Salvatore announced for the second consecutive year Southwest has been recognized as a five-star hospital by CMS (Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services).

Berea Board of Education Committee - McDonnell, Poindexter

Mrs. McDonnell announced kindergarten registration is still going on and the district is celebrating the Cleveland Browns donation of \$25,000 worth of new helmets to the Berea-Midpark football team. Construction videos are available on the district's website and there is no school on May 27th. On June 4th commencement ceremonies will be held from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. June 5th is the last day of school for students and June 6th is the last day for teachers. Sadly, the new elementary school will not be open for this coming school year and won't open until 2020. Because the Board of Education and others decided it would be very difficult to try to move the elementary schools in the middle of January; so the fall of 2020 will be the first year for the new elementary school opening.

Questions:

Mr. Salvatore asked what will happen with the old helmets, will good use be made out of them?

Mrs. McDonnell responded she is not sure but will find out.

Mr. Salvatore asked if for any updates with the \$171,000 cost overrun.

Mrs. McDonnell replied an update will be given next time.

Mr. Poindexter reported his last exchange with the district's superintendent is the \$171,000 change order has not been approved to this point but it is for an additional eight fire hydrants from the original plans. The \$171,000 will cover the eight hydrants, excavation, plumbing and other things of that nature. Mr. Poindexter reiterated commencement ceremonies will be held at the Wolstein Center from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. and my daughter will be graduating, so I won't be at the Council meeting. I'm a very proud dad and congratulations to the class of 2019. The next school board meeting will be held on June 10th at 7:00 p.m.

Mr. Salvatore stated to Mr. Poindexter, I understand what the \$171,000 is being used for and was wondering if there is any finding on how this was missed in the beginning.

Mr. Poindexter responded will look into this matter.

REPORTS OF BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS:

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS OF COMMENDATION:

REPORTS AND COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR:

**REPORTS AND COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS,
COMMISSIONS, AND OTHER PUBLIC OFFICIALS:**

Engineer Piatak

Mr. Piatak reported the Holland Road Construction Project is underway with contractors working on minor sewer repairs and looking ahead next week pavement removal operations will begin. Once that happens the contractor will start to implement the detour directing traffic up Smith to Sylvia to Engle. Eastbound traffic will be maintained through the construction zone and westbound traffic will be detoured; message boards will be updated to alert motorists on what to expect. The Sheldon and Smith Road Resurfacing projects is in the advertising phase with Sheldon Road opening on June 4th and Smith Road opening on June 11th; anticipating good activity as far as bidding goes.

Service Director Gardner

Mr. Gardner reported service crews have been busy cutting grass, prepping ballfields and completed approximately 30 sanitary dig-jobs since first of the year. Asphalt patching is moving forward but the plant where the city gets materials from have not opened to date; hopefully will open soon, so that crews don't have to drive downtown. This past bulk Monday collected approximately 60-tons of refuse with an additional 30-tons were dropped off at the service garage.

Law Director Horvath

Mrs. Horvath stated no report but congratulated former Police Chief Foster on his retirement and many thanks for his years of service. Also, to all veterans for their service and asking everyone to remember all veterans on Memorial Day.

Finance Director Cingle

Mr. Cingle reported the department is working on the 2020 Tax Budget that will be forthcoming to City Council in the very near future. Also, the 2018 audit continues to move forward.

Questions:

Mr. Mencini asked Mr. Gardner if hot-patch crews are on a daily basis?

Mr. Gardner responded yes, weather permitting.

Mr. Mencini stated to Mr. Gardner how many service people are cutting grass?

Mr. Gardner responded there two daily that are assigned to parks, playgrounds and ballfields and two working on city properties. The second shift will cut vacant properties and city-owned lots.

Mr. Mencini asked who is in charge of taking care of the Kennedy baseball field construction project; the city or school district?

Reports and communications from other departments, commissions, and other public officials: Questions: cont.

Mr. Gardner responded most of that is being handled through the recreation department, the city has not encroached on the fenced-off construction site. Due to the removal of the fencing, concrete and asphalt service department mowers will not be put on the site until secured and cleaned up.

Mr. Salvatore clarified with Mr. Gardner there are two crews of two for grass cutting?

Mr. Gardner responded typically daily, yes.

Mr. Salvatore asked how many crews were there last year?

Mr. Gardner responded about the same, if personnel are available an extra person is put out. Due to weather conditions the grounds are extremely wet and at risk of damaging tractors we don't cut on wet grounds.

Mr. Stemm stated to Mr. Gardner at practice last night at Hufsey field and noticed that the roof and fence post is coming undone at the third base dugout.

Mr. Gardner responded will have crews check into that.

Mr. Orcutt stated to Mr. Piatak with the June 4th and 11th dates provided; does that open for bidding or notification?

Mr. Piatak responded both projects started advertising in newspaper today and the bids will be due by June 4th and June 11th.

Mr. Orcutt commented it takes about a week for the contractor to be chosen and the project starts a few weeks after that.

Mr. Piatak responded the intent is to open and review the bids, make sure all the numbers are correct, any mistakes and any clarifications with the contractor. With the Smith Road project, it's a little bit more of a process because of federal monies involved; the city must get concurrence from ODOT (Ohio Department of Transportation) on the award of that contract. The intent is to review the bids and get the award of the bid on the Board of Control to get both projects started as soon as possible.

Mr. Orcutt asked Mr. Gardner if the capital items of lawnmowers, weed whackers and other equipment been ordered and delivered?

Mr. Gardner responded a requisition has been provided to the finance department for new weed whackers. A mower was not budgeted this year so crews are working with what the department has.

Reports and communications from other departments, commissions, and other public officials: Questions: cont.

Mr. Orcutt thanked Mrs. Horvath with the ongoing issue in the neighborhood.

Mr. Vecchio stated to Mr. Gardner a few weeks back I asked about the light pole in the center divider on Snow Road that to date has not been replaced. Any update?

Mr. Gardner responded since that time a new base has been installed and studs are in. The pole was an insurance claim that has been paid and the pole is 20 weeks out; so I would say end of July or early August for pole replacement.

OTHER COMMUNICATIONS AND PETITIONS, AND VERBAL APPROVAL: (INTRODUCTION OF NEW LEGISLATION):

Verbal Approval:

1. DEPARTMENT OF LIQUOR CONTROL - BROOK PARK SUNOCO, INC., D.B.A. ENGLE AND HOLLAND SUNOCO, 6313 ENGLE ROAD, BROOK PARK, OH 44142. **C TRFO (Transfer) 0976874. Deadline date no later than 6/10/2019.**

Motion by Mr. Salvatore, supported by Mr. Orcutt, no objections.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Salvatore, Orcutt, Burgio, Scott, Poindexter, Mencini, Stemm
NAYS: None. The motion carried.

New Legislation:

1. An Ordinance approving the editing and inclusion of certain ordinances as parts of the various component codes of the codified ordinances; providing for the adoption of new matter in the updated and revised codified ordinances; publishing the enactment of such new matter; repealing ordinances and resolutions in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency. Introduced by Council President Vecchio. Placed in Legislative Committee
2. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor to enter into an agreement of cooperation with the county of Cuyahoga for the resurfacing of Smith Road (County ID#1265) and declaring an emergency. Introduced by Mayor Gammella. Placed in Service committee.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS, APPOINTMENTS, CONFIRMATIONS:

REMARKS FROM THE AUDIENCE ON ANY SUBJECT MATTER:

Tom Troyer

15842 Calvin Drive

Mr. Troyer thanked former Police Chief Foster for his many years of service. Mr. Troyer continued with the ongoing issue with the Beautification and Pride Committee and proven right through the courts and the donation of the Beautification & Pride float donated to the committee. Also, the 'Help Thy Neighbor group is looking for minor home maintenance people and landscapers to help residents with minor home repairs. Anyone that can assist can visit the group's Facebook page [brookparkhelphyneighbor](https://www.facebook.com/brookparkhelphyneighbor) or by emailing brookparkhelphyneighbor@gmail.com. or by calling Susan Barbour at 216-633-1160 or by visiting Mr. Troyer's website at tomtroyer.com

Louis Modic

14399 Fayette Blvd.

Mr. Modic commented on the Beautification & Pride float and the judgement entry showing the plaintiff's partially proven case in the amount of \$338.03, instead of the \$413.03 being asked. Mr. Modic also expressed concerns with the Beautification & Pride Committee looking for new members. Mr. D'Amico from the Mayor's office suggested that a motion be made for the Beautification & Pride float be stored at the service department. Mr. Modic expressed concerns with joining the 'Help Thy Neighbor' group and being shut-out.

Susan Barbour

5819 Robert Drive

Ms. Barbour stated that if someone tries to join the 'Help Thy Neighbor' group and defended that this is not a political group.

Mr. Vecchio interjected by suggesting that if there is an issue with a resident that maybe mediation with the Mayor and/or the city's law director.

Ms. Barbour interjected this is not a law director item.

Mr. Vecchio responded this is not the place for differences to be aired out and whatever that resident said is being blown up.

Liz Sayers

23065 Cedar Point Road

Ms. Sayers expressed concerns with different groups in this city not getting along and the city needing to regulate these groups and take control of the situations.

Mr. Vecchio suggested being the liaison with Ms. Sayers and the Mayor about these issues.

Council getting all these groups together so there is not so much hatred and problems between them, because things are getting out of control.

INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS: FIRST READING:

Motion by Mr. Orcutt, supported by Mr. Stemm, to go out of the Regular Order of Business to item number 10.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Orcutt, Stemm, Mencini, Poindexter, Salvatore, Scott, Burgio
NAYS: None. The motion carried.

10. RESOLUTION NO. 17-2019, GRANTING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT TO ZOOM EXPRESS CAR WASH LOCATED AT 14755 SNOW ROAD AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. Introduced by Council as a Whole.

Motion by Mr. Mencini, supported by Mr. Orcutt, to suspend.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Mencini, Orcutt, Burgio, Scott, Salvatore, Poindexter, Stemm
NAYS: None. The motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Burgio, supported by Mr. Orcutt, to adopt.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Burgio, Orcutt, Stemm, Mencini, Poindexter, Salvatore, Scott
NAYS: None. Resolution No. 17-2019 has passed under Suspension of the Rules. Adopted.

Mr. Mencini thanked the gentlemen in attendance for bringing their business and investment of money to Brook Park.

Mr. Vecchio congratulated the gentlemen in attendance.

Motion by Mr. Stemm, supported by Mr. Mencini, to go back to Regular Order of Business.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Stemm, Mencini, Poindexter, Salvatore, Scott, Burgio, Orcutt
NAYS: None. The motion carried.

1. ORDINANCE NO. 11085-2019, AUTHORIZING ALL ACTIONS NECESSARY TO ACCEPT NORTHEAST OHIO PUBLIC ENERGY COUNCIL (NOPEC) 2019 ENERGIZED COMMUNITY GRANT(S) FUND AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. Introduced by Mayor Gammella.

Motion by Mr. Salvatore, supported by Mr. Scott, to suspend.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Salvatore, Scott, Burgio, Orcutt, Stemm, Mencini, Poindexter
NAYS: None. The motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Mencini, supported by Mr. Salvatore, to adopt.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Mencini, Salvatore, Poindexter, Stemm, Orcutt, Burgio, Scott
NAYS: None. Ordinance No. 11085-2019, has passed under Suspension of the rules. Adopted.

Introduction of Ordinances and Resolutions: (First Reading): cont.

2. ORDINANCE NO. 11086-2019, REPEALING CHAPTER 1308 OF THE BROOK PARK CODIFIED ORDINANCES ENTITLED INTERNAL MAINTENANCE CODE' AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Introduced by Mayor Gammella.

Motion by Mr. Salvatore, supported by Mr. Mencini, to suspend.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Salvatore, Mencini, Poindexter, Stemm, Orcutt, Burgio, Scott
NAYS: None. The motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Mencini, supported by Mr. Orcutt, to adopt.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Mencini, Orcutt, Burgio, Scott, Salvatore, Poindexter, Stemm
NAYS: None. Ordinance No. 11086-2019, has passed under

Suspension of the rules. Adopted.

3 ORDINANCE NO. 11087-2019, REPEALING CHAPTER 1362 OF THE BROOK PARK CODIFIED ORDINANCES ENTITLED 'ADMINISTRATION & ENFORCEMENT' AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. Introduced by Mayor Gammella.

Motion by Mr. Mencini, supported by Mr. Orcutt, to suspend.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Mencini, Orcutt, Burgio, Scott, Salvatore, Poindexter, Stemm
NAYS: None. The motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Scott, supported by Mr. Burgio, to adopt.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Scott, Burgio, Orcutt, Stemm, Mencini, Poindexter, Salvatore
NAYS: None. Ordinance No. 11087-2019, has passed under

Suspension of the rules. Adopted.

4. ORDINANCE NO. 11088-2019, REPEALING CHAPTER 1363 OF THE BROOK PARK CODIFIED ORDINANCES ENTITLED 'OWNER & OPERATOR RESPONSIBILITIES' AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. Introduced by Mayor Gammella.

Motion by Mr. Mencini, supported by Mr. Poindexter, to suspend.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Mencini, Poindexter, Stemm, Orcutt, Burgio, Scott, Salvatore
NAYS: None. The motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Poindexter, supported by Mr. Orcutt, to adopt.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Poindexter, Orcutt, Burgio, Scott, Salvatore, Mencini, Stemm
NAYS: None. Ordinance No. 11088-2019, has passed under

Suspension of the rules. Adopted.

5. ORDINANCE NO. 11089-2019, REPEALING CHAPTER 1407.13 OF THE BROOK PARK CODIFIED ORDINANCES ENTITLED 'RUBBISH & GARBAGE DISPOSAL' AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. Introduced by Mayor Gammella.

Motion by Mr. Mencini, supported by Mr. Poindexter, to suspend.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Mencini, Poindexter, Salvatore, Stemm, Orcutt, Burgio, Scott
NAYS: None. The motion carried.

Introduction of Ordinances and Resolutions: (First Reading): cont.

Motion by Mr. Mencini, supported by Mr. Orcutt, to adopt.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Mencini, Orcutt, Burgio, Scott, Salvatore, Poindexter, Stemm
NAYS: None. Ordinance No. 11089-2019, has passed under
Suspension of the Rules. Adopted.

6. ORDINANCE NO. 11090-2019, ENACTING CHAPTER 1360 OF
THE BROOK PARK CODIFIED ORDINANCES ENTITLED
'ADMINISTRATION OF CHAPTER 1361' AND DECLARING AN
EMERGENCY. Introduced by Mayor Gammella.

Motion by Mr. Scott, supported by Mr. Mencini, to suspend.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Scott, Mencini, Stemm, Poindexter, Salvatore, Burgio, Orcutt
NAYS: None. The motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Mencini, supported by Mr. Burgio, to adopt.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Mencini, Burgio, Scott, Orcutt, Stemm, Poindexter, Salvatore
NAYS: None. Ordinance No. 11090-2019, has passed under
Suspension of the Rules. Adopted.

7. ORDINANCE NO. 11091-2019, ENACTING CHAPTER 1361 OF
THE BROOK PARK CODIFIED ORDINANCES ENTITLED
'PROPERTY MAINTENANCE CODE' AND DECLARING AN
EMERGENCY. Introduced by Mayor Gammella.

Motion by Mr. Mencini, supported by Mr. Poindexter, to suspend.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Mencini, Poindexter, Stemm, Orcutt, Burgio, Scott
NAYS: None. The motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Mencini, supported by Mr. Poindexter, to adopt.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Mencini, Poindexter, Stemm, Salvatore, Scott, Burgio, Orcutt
NAYS: None. Ordinance No. 11091-2019, has passed under
Suspension of the rules. Adopted.

8. ORDINANCE NO. 11092-2019, AMENDING SECTION 525.16
OF THE BROOK PARK CODIFIED ORDINANCES ENTITLED
'SMOKING PROHIBITED IN MUNICIPALLY OWNED AND
OPERATED BUILDINGS' AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.
Introduced by Councilman Mencini, Council as a Whole and
Mayor Gammella.

Motion by Mr. Mencini, supported by Mr. Poindexter, to suspend.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Mencini, Poindexter, Salvatore, Stemm, Orcutt, Burgio, Scott
NAYS: None. The motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Mencini, supported by Mr. Burgio, to adopt.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Mencini, Burgio, Scott, Orcutt, Stemm, Poindexter, Salvatore
NAYS: None. Ordinance No. 11092-2019 has passed under
Suspension of the rules. Adopted as amended.

Introduction of Ordinances and Resolutions: (First Reading): cont.

9. RESOLUTION NO. 16-2019, URGING ALL RESIDENTS TO SHOP IN THE CITY OF BROOK PARK DURING 'SHOP IN BROOK PARK' DURING THE MONTH OF JULY AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. Introduced by Councilman Mencini, Council as a Whole and Mayor Gammella.

Motion by Mr. Salvatore, supported by Mr. Burgio, to suspend.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Salvatore, Burgio, Scott, Orcutt, Stemm, Mencini, Poindexter
NAYS: None. The motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Scott, supported by Mr. Salvatore, to adopt.

Mr. Mencini thanked his colleagues for the support of this legislation and hopes that residents take advantage of supporting city businesses.

Mr. Salvatore thanked Mr. Mencini for bringing this forward and trying to find a way to gauge how much impact a resolution has with people actually shopping. Mr. Salvatore will get together with Mr. Mencini to discuss some ideas.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Scott, Salvatore, Poindexter, Mencini, Stemm, Orcutt, Burgio
NAYS: None. Resolution No. 16-2019, has passed under Suspension of the rules. Adopted.

10. RESOLUTION NO. 17-2019, GRANTING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT TO ZOOM EXPRESS CAR WASH LOCATED AT 14755 SNOW ROAD AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. Introduced by Council as a Whole.

Note: Resolution No. 17-2019, was moved by motion to the beginning of Introduction of Ordinances and Resolutions.

11. RESOLUTION NO. 18-2019, DESIGNATING THE MONTH OF JULY AS PARKS AND RECREATION MONTH IN THE CITY OF BROOK PARK AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. Introduced by Councilman Salvatore, Council as a Whole and Mayor Gammella.

Motion by Mr. Salvatore, supported by Mr. Mencini, to suspend.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Salvatore, Mencini, Poindexter, Stemm, Orcutt, Burgio, Scott
NAYS: None. The motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Mencini, supported by Mr. Poindexter, to adopt.

Mr. Salvatore thanked all Members of Council for supporting this legislation and Mr. Mencini for sharing the month of July. July as Parks & Recreation month is a national event being celebrated since 1985.

Introduction of Ordinances and Resolutions: (First Reading): cont.

Mr. Mencini commented we hope to see everyone in the parks and recreation center and get involved in recreational programs or just walking in the parks as a community as a whole.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Mencini, Poindexter, Salvatore, Stemm, Orcutt, Burgio, Scott
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12. RESOLUTION NO. 19-2019 HONORING JAMES F. FOSTER ON HIS RETIREMENT AS CHIEF OF POLICE FOR THE CITY OF BROOK PARK AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. Introduced by Mayor Gammella and Council as a Whole.

Note: Resolution No. 19-2019 was moved by motion to the beginning of the meeting.

13. RESOLUTION NO. 20-2019, AUTHORIZING ALL ACTIONS NECESSARY TO APPLY FOR A GRANT FOR BODY CAMERAS FOR OUR POLICE DEPARTMENT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. Introduced by Mayor Gammella and Council as Whole.

Motion by Mr. Mencini, supported by Mr. Burgio, to suspend.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Mencini, Burgio, Scott, Orcutt, Stemm, Poindexter, Salvatore
NAYS: None. The motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Salvatore, supported by Mr. Orcutt, to adopt.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Salvatore, Orcutt, Burgio, Scott, Poindexter, Mencini, Stemm
NAYS: None. Resolution No. 20-2019, has passed under Suspension of the Rules. Adopted.

14. RESOLUTION NO. 21-2019, HONORING PARALYZED VETERANS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. Introduced by Councilman Salvatore, C/W and Mayor Gammella.

Due to not being added to the agenda and on request of Mr. Salvatore, Veteran, Mr. Orcutt read the 'Whereas' and the clerk followed with reading the sections in their entirety.

Mr. Orcutt thanked Mr. Salvatore and commented Memorial Day is the most important day to this country by celebrating our freedom and remember those who paid the alternative sacrifice for our freedom.

Motion by Mr. Salvatore, supported by Mr. Orcutt, to suspend.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Salvatore, Orcutt, Burgio, Scott, Poindexter, Mencini, Stemm
NAYS: None. The motion carried.

Introduction of Ordinances and Resolutions: (First Reading): cont.

Motion by Mr. Mencini, supported by Mr. Orcutt, to adopt.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Mencini, Orcutt, Burgio, Scott, Salvatore, Poindexter, Stemm
NAYS: None. Resolution No. 21-2019, has passed under Suspension of the rules. Adopted.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS:

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS:

Note: Items one and two under third reading were moved by motion to the beginning of the meeting.

1. RESOLUTION NO. 7-2019, HONORING EXPRESS DELI AND BEVERAGE FOR MAKING YELP’S TOP 100 LIST OF BEST PLACES TO EAT IN THE ENTIRE COUNTRY AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. Introduced by Councilman Salvatore, Council as a Whole and Mayor Gammella.

2. RESOLUTION NO. 11-2019, DEDICATING THE BROOK PARK 2019 SOFTBALL SEASON IN HONOR AND REMEMBRANCE OF KHLOE NIDA AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. Introduced by Councilman Salvatore, Council as a Whole and Mayor Gammella.

Mr. Salvatore commented in light of the fact that the Resolution for District Council 6 wasn’t livestreamed there are many people not aware of what District Council 6 did in for this community, asking Council’s indulgence to let people know.

Motion by Mr. Stemm, supported by Mr. Mencini, to allow Mr. Salvatore to speak on District Council 6 legislation.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Stemm, Mencini, Poindexter, Salvatore, Scott, Burgio, Orcutt
NAYS: None. The motion carried.

Mr. Salvatore stated at the last meeting Council passed a Resolution Honoring District Council 6 consistent of painters, Dry-Wallers’, finishers, sign & display and glazier union, Mr. Scott is a retired member of the glazier union. To let everyone, know that 40 members volunteered their time from all over Ohio including Brook Park residents to paint the Jean-Marie house on Engle Road and did a fabulous job; this is the fourth year that District 6 volunteered their services in different communities.

There being no further business to come before this meeting a **motion** by Mr. Mencini, supported by Mr. Poindexter, to adjourn.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Mencini, Poindexter, Stemm, Salvatore, Scott, Burgio, Orcutt
NAYS: None. The motion carried.

Council President Vecchio declared this meeting adjourned at 9:21 p.m.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED

Michelle Blazak

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Clerk of Council

APPROVED

June 4, 2019

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