ITEMS TO BE CONSIDERED AT THE CAUCUS PRIOR TO THE COUNCIL MEETING TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2023 7:00 P.M.

I. ROLL CALL OF MEMBERS:

II. <u>PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:</u>

III. DISCUSSION:

1. COUNCIL RULE 14 - PER COUNCIL PRESIDENT VECCHIO.

2. NOTICE FOR LIQUOR PERMIT FOR EILE CHAHDA FRONT ROW BBQ - PER COUNCIL PRESIDENT VECCHIO.

IV. ADJOURNMENT

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The meeting was called to order by Council President Vecchio at 7:00 p.m., the clerk called the roll and the following Members of Council answered:

MENCINI, ROBERTS, POINDEXTER, SALVATORE, TROYER, COYNE, SCOTT

Also in attendance were Mayor Orcutt, Law Director Horvath, Safety Director Sensel, Interim Finance Director Maykut, Recreation Program Coordinator Morgano, Service Director Beyer and Engineer Piatak.

DISCUSSION:

1. COUNCIL RULE 14.

Mr. Vecchio stated Ordinance No. 10049-2016 regarding electronic postings.

Mr. Mencini stated the way technology has come posting at fire stations is not heard so much but do hear when not posted on website.

Mr. Poindexter stated 27% households don't have internet, not sure if all posting locations are necessary; city hall and recreation center, cumbersome to post at police station.

Mr. Troyer stated seniors don't have internet is an issue could eliminate city hall and both fire stations, should post at police station, west end fire station and police station.

Mr. Scott concurred with Mr. Mencini.

Mr. Poindexter stated this may be a drastic change for some people; suggested finishing out current year and start next year with new posting.

Mr. Troyer commented maybe the next (serving) Council can decide the change and where it should be.

Mr. Vecchio stated doesn't matter anyway, this is a state ruling.

Madam Horvath stated want to make it clear that House Bill (HB) 33 eliminated and repealed Ohio Revised Code (ORC) 731.25 for posting at five public locations. Currently have ORC 731.21(a) that must pick one of the three options given: Newspaper posting which is very expensive, official public notice web and when I checked only posts newspaper publications and city social media site and website. Can keep five posting places but must appear on the city's website and social media site.

Mr. Vecchio asked Madam Horvath when 731.21(a) was enacted?

Caucus Prior

Discussion; cont.

Madam Horvath responded in conjunction with HB 33 which is effective as of today, October 3, 2023.

Mr. Vecchio stated has to go the city's website and social media site; Mayor no problem with that being posted there also.

Mayor Orcutt responded no.

Mr. Troyer commented the state legalized fireworks and the city opted out but must follow the law. To Madam Horvath is legislation needed?

Madam Horvath replied must amend Ordinance No. 10049-2016 to conform to the present and moving forward must be posted on city's website. My recommendation moving forward is to post on the city's website and social media site.

Motion by Madam Coyne, supported by Mr. Poindexter, to place Ordinance No. 10049-2016 on the October 10, 2023 Caucus agenda, under discussion.
ROLL CALL: AYES: Coyne, Poindexter, Salvatore, Roberts, Mencini, Scott, Troyer NAYS: Unanimous.

Mr. Poindexter stated posted under Council tab on the city's website.

Madam Horvath responded as long as it is posted on the website and social media.

Motion by Mr. Troyer, supported by Madam Coyne, discussed.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Troyer, Coyne, Scott, Mencini, Roberts, Poindexter, Salvatore **NAYS:** Unanimous.

2. NOTICE FOR LIQUOR PERMIT FOR EILE CHAHDA FRONT ROW BBQ.

Madam Horvath stated the patio is fairly close to the Gallatin playground but see no interference with the playground since it is used from daylight to dusk. Spoke with Mr. Chahda and the law department has no objections to this permit. **Motion** by Mr. Troyer, supported by Mr. Poindexter, discussed.

ROLL CALL: AYES: Troyer, Poindexter, Roberts, Mencini, Salvatore, Coyne, Scott **NAYS:** Unanimous.

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, Roberts, Salvatore, Troyer, Coyne, Scott **NAYS:** Unanimous.

Council President Vecchio declared this meeting adjourned at 7:15 p.m.

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APPROVED October 17, 2023

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