

**GROVE CITY, OHIO COUNCIL
MINUTES**

April 20, 1992

Regular Meeting

The regular meeting of Council was called to order by President Brian Buzby at 8:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber, City Hall, 4035 Broadway.

After a moment of silent prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance, the roll was called and the following members were present:

*Brian Buzby William Ferguson
John Mountain Charles Cotton*

1. President Buzby moved to excuse Mr. Buckley from this evenings meeting; seconded by Mr. Ferguson.

Mr. Cotton	Yes
Mr. Buzby	Yes
Mr. Mountain	Yes
Mr. Ferguson	Yes

2. President Buzby turned the floor over to Ms. Karla Kowar & Mr. Shrum on behalf of Keep America Beautiful. A presentation was made by Mr. Jim Schoemler, representing the Visitors & Convention Bureau, in which he presented the Keep America Beautiful Committee with a check for \$2,500.

3. Mr. Mountain moved to dispense with the reading of the minutes and approve as written; seconded by Mr. Ferguson.

Mr. Buzby	Yes
Mr. Mountain	Yes
Mr. Ferguson	Yes
Mr. Cotton	Yes

The Chair recognized Mr. Cotton, Chairman of Lands & Zoning for discussion and voting of legislative agenda items under said committee.

1. Ordinance C-23-92 (Accept Plat of Hoover Crossing, Sec. 2) was given its second reading and public hearing and Mr. Cotton moved it be approved; seconded by Mr. Buzby.

Mr. Mountain	Yes
Mr. Ferguson	Yes
Mr. Cotton	Yes
Mr. Buzby	Yes

The Chair recognized Mr. Mountain, Chairman of Service for discussion and voting on legislative items under said committee.

1. Ordinance C-28-92 (Amend Sec. 161.01(e) to add new section) was given its second reading and public hearing and Mr. Mountain moved it be approved; seconded by Mr. Cotton.

Mr. Ferguson	Yes
Mr. Cotton	Yes
Mr. Buzby	Yes
Mr. Mountain	Yes

2. Resolution CR-18-92 proclaim April 20-26, 1992 as Grove City Clean Community Week) was given its reading and public hearing and Mr. Ferguson moved it be approved.

Mr. Cotton	Yes
Mr. Buzby	Yes
Mr. Mountain	Yes
Mr. Ferguson	Yes

The Chair recognized Mr. Ferguson, filling in for Mr. Buckley, Chairman of Safety, for discussion and voting of legislative items under said committee.

1. Resolution CR-17-92 (Waive provisions of Sec. 903.01(b) for Springfest Dinner) was given its reading and public hearing and Mr. Ferguson moved it be approved; seconded by Mr. Buzby.

Mr. Buzby	Yes
Mr. Mountain	Yes
Mr. Ferguson	yes
Mr. Cotton	Yes

2. Mr. Ferguson moved to add Ordinance C-31-92 to the agenda; seconded by Mr. Buzby.

Mr. Mountain	Yes
Mr. Ferguson	Yes
Mr. Cotton	Yes
Mr. Buzby	Yes

3. Ordinance C-31-92 (Amend Section 1135 of Codified Ordinances to add new section) was given its first reading. Second reading and public hearing will be held on May 04, 1992.

The Chair, Chairman of Finance, proceeded with discussion and voting of the legislative items under said committee.

1. President Buzby moved that Ordinance C-29-92 be amended to read instead of "Local Five Dollar License Fund" to be "Community Environment Fund"; seconded by Mr. Ferguson.

Mr. Ferguson	Yes
Mr. Cotton	Yes
Mr. Buzby	Yes
Mr. Mountain	Yes

2. Ordinance C-29-92 (Appropriate \$3,500 from Community Environment Fund for Current Expenses) was given its first reading and public hearing and since it appropriates for current expenses, President Buzby moved it be approved; seconded by Mr. Mountain.

Mr. Cotton	Yes
Mr. Buzby	Yes
Mr. Mountain	Yes
Mr. Ferguson	Yes

3. Ordinance C-30-92 (Appropriate \$200,000 from the General Fund for the Current Expense of improving Southwest Boulevard) was given its first reading and public hearing and since it appropriates for current expenses, President Buzby moved it be approved; seconded by Mr. Mountain.

Mr. Buzby	Yes
Mr. Mountain	Yes
Mr. Ferguson	Yes
Mr. Cotton	Yes

4. Resolution CR-16-92 (Adopt & execute the MORPC revised Financial Provisions of the Articles of Agreement) was given its reading and public hearing and President Buzby moved it be approved; seconded by Mr. Mountain.

Mr. Mountain	Yes
Mr. Ferguson	Yes
Mr. Cotton	Yes
Mr. Buzby	Yes

President Buzby turned the floor over to the second presenter of the evening, Mr. Chris Zigo of Motorola Corporation.

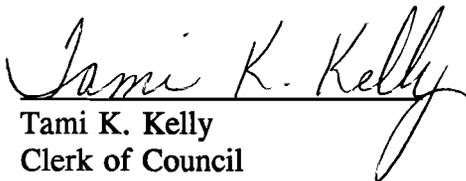
1. Mr. Zigo informed council, administration and meeting attendees of the proposed 800 Trunking Radio System that would incorporate the police, fire, EMS, city staff, and possibly SWCS into one system. Mr. Zigo explained that the trunking system is different than the conventional system in that it automatically allocates an open frequency rather than having to wait until someone finishes talking before the next call can commence. He also noted a unique feature to the Motorola radio is an emergency button that a radio user/operator can push if they are in trouble that will set off a warning signal at the dispatch station. He indicated that the current communication equipment uses many different types of radios, base stations and frequencies. The new system would consolidate all of that as well as bring our equipment up-to-date and reduce maintenance costs.

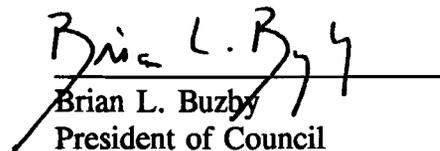
President Buzby asked that any New Business to be brought before Council be done so at this time.

There being no new business, President Buzby recognized members of administration and council for closing comments.

1. Mayor Stage gave his closing remarks. He announced that he took part in the Opening Ceremony for Ameriflora this morning. He thanked Jim Blackburn and his crew for cleaning the ramps on I-71 of all the litter. He also thanked the Convention Bureau for the grant in support of Keep America Beautiful.
2. Mr. Fulton announced that 200 applicants, still in the running for a position on the Police Department, would be given the physical test this weekend.
3. Mr. Hamons showed a brochure for the Gardens At Gantz that has been distributed to all local restaurants, hotels and motels, and thanked Mr. Schoemler & the Visitors & Convention Bureau for funding the brochure. Also, a new Grove City map has been completed and copies should be available next week. He also announced that COTA will be providing transportation on May 28, 1992 for "Grove City Day" at Ameriflora.
4. Chief McKeon thanked Mr. Chris Zigo for making the presentation on the communications system. He indicated that the current police equipment is approximately seven years old and the fire equipment is approximately 15 years old. He also announced that May 30 is the on-site assessment for our police department and encouraged citizens to stop by and comment on their performance.
5. President announced that April 28, 1992 is Student Government Day for some Grove City High School seniors. They will be taking over city offices for the day. He also announced a special meeting of council for April 27, 1992 at 7:00 p.m. in the Chamber to discuss a personnel matter.
6. After additional comments from Administration, the Chamber and Council, President Buzby made a motion to adjourn; seconded by Mr. Mountain. Motion carried.

Council adjourned at 8:55 p.m.


Tami K. Kelly
Clerk of Council


Brian L. Buzby
President of Council