

# GROVE CITY, OHIO COUNCIL MINUTES

October 19, 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, roll was called and the following members were present:

*Brian Buzby      William Ferguson      William Buckley      John Mountain*

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

Mr. Buckley	Yes
Mr. Buzby	Yes
Mr. Mountain	Yes
Mr. Ferguson	Yes

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

Mr. Buzby	Yes
Mr. Mountain	Yes
Mr. Ferguson	Yes
Mr. Buckley	Yes

3. President Buzby recognized Mr. Shailer for a presentation. Mr. Shailer showed a video tape of the temporary facilities currently being used by students in the Southwestern City School System. It showed children walking to trailers, using gymnasiums, and being transported to bank and church basements for classroom space. Mr. Shailer urged everyone to support the upcoming bond issue. He said that with its approval, some of these problems could start to be solved, very efficiently and effectively.

4. President Buzby recognized Ms. Jeannette Meyers who presented the Community Parade Awards. She thanked the City Administration, Parks & Recreation Department, Service Department and Police Department for their efforts and support. Awards were presented to the following:

Community Spirit:	Town Center Merchants
Mayors Best of City:	Monterey Care Facility
Grand Marshall:	Grove City Kiwanis
People's Choice:	Southwestern Education Association
Pride of Parade:	Highland Baptist Church
Showcase Award:	Buccilla's Bridal, Cappy's Carriage, Ohio Tux, and Evans Floral

**The Chair filled in for Mr. Cotton, chairman of Lands & Zoning, for discussion and voting of legislative agenda items under said committee.**

1. Ordinance C-69-92 (Rezone 4029 Marlane Dr. from C-2 to SD-3) was given its second reading and public hearing and President Buzby moved to amend Exhibit "A" to include a new legal description; seconded by Mr. Mountain.

Mr. Mountain	Yes
Mr. Ferguson	Yes
Mr. Buckley	Yes
Mr. Buzby	Yes

President Buzby moved to table this ordinance; seconded by Mr. Mountain.

Mr. Ferguson	Yes
Mr. Buckley	Yes
Mr. Buzby	Yes
Mr. Mountain	Yes

2. Ordinance C-74-92 (Authorize approval of a pre-annexation agreement for White Oak Communities) was given its second reading and at the request of the applicant, President Buzby moved it be tabled; seconded by Mr. Buckley.

Mr. Buckley	Yes
Mr. Buzby	Yes
Mr. Mountain	Yes
Mr. Ferguson	Yes

3. Resolution CR-59-92 (Authorize Administrative Assistant to enter into a settlement agreement relative to Franklin County Pleas Court Cases regarding Donrey Outdoor Signs) was given its reading and public hearing and President Buzby moved it be approved; seconded by Mr. Buckley.

Mr. Buzby	Yes
Mr. Mountain	Yes
Mr. Ferguson	Yes
Mr. Buckley	Yes

4. Resolution CR-61-92 (Grant an ingress-egress easement to a .271 acre tract on Presley Drive) was given its reading and public hearing and President Buzby moved it be approved; seconded by Mr. Buckley.

Mr. Mountain	Yes
Mr. Ferguson	Yes
Mr. Buckley	Yes
Mr. Buzby	Yes

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

1. Resolution CR-50-92 (Authorize Mayor to enter into an agreement with the Ohio Public Works Commission for Financial Assistance) was given its reading and public hearing and Mr. Mountain moved it be approved; seconded by Mr. Buckley.

Mr. Ferguson	Yes
Mr. Buckley	Yes
Mr. Buzby	Yes
Mr. Mountain	Yes

2. Resolution CR-58-92 (Intent to appropriate a fee simple interest in certain lands for improvements to Columbus Street) was given its reading and public hearing.

Speaking to this issue was Ms. Barbara Howison, 3136 Columbus Street. She expressed her displeasure for the manner in which the property owners were informed about the road improvements. She explained that she came home and found surveyors on her property making marks on the lawn and on her porch. She has spoken with Mr. Blackburn on two separate occasions and was informed about the project. She suggested that the next time the Administration goes into a neighborhood and has it surveyed, inform the property owners (who are also taxpayers) before it is started, not after.

There being no additional questions or comments, Mr. Mountain moved to approve Resolution CR-58-92; seconded by Mr. Buckley.

Mr. Buckley	Yes
Mr. Buzby	Yes
Mr. Mountain	Yes
Mr. Ferguson	Yes

**The Chair recognized Mr. Ferguson, Chairman of Safety, for discussion and voting of the legislative items under said committee.**

1. Resolution CR-51-92 (Proclaim October 24 - November 1, 1992 as Red Ribbon Week) was given its second reading and public hearing.

Speaking to this resolution was Chief McKean. He stated that on October 25, 1992 at 1:00 p.m. there would be a Walk from J.C. Sommers and demonstrating their support for a drug free lifestyle. He invited all to come out and join in.

There being no additional questions or comments, Mr. Ferguson moved it be approved; seconded by Mr. Buckley.

Mr. Buzby	Yes
Mr. Mountain	Yes
Mr. Ferguson	Yes
Mr. Buckley	Yes

2. Resolution CR-52-92 (Authorize Mayor to enter into an agreement with Pleasant Township for Communication Services) was given its reading and public hearing and Mr. Ferguson moved it be approved; seconded by Mr. Buckley.

Mr. Mountain	Yes
Mr. Ferguson	Yes
Mr. Buckley	Yes
Mr. Buzby	Yes

3. Resolution CR-52-92 (Authorize Mayor to enter into an agreement with Jackson Township for Communication Services) was given its reading and public hearing and Mr. Ferguson moved it be approved; seconded by Mr. Buckley.

Mr. Ferguson	Yes
Mr. Buckley	Yes
Mr. Buzby	Yes
Mr. Mountain	Yes

**The Chair recognized Mr. Buckley, Chairman of Finance, for discussion and voting of the legislative items under said committee.**

1. Ordinance C-95-92 (Appropriate \$200 from Gardens at Gantz Fund for the Current Expense of purchasing braille tags) was given its first reading and since it appropriates for current expenses, Mr. Buckley moved it be approved; seconded by Mr. Ferguson.

Mr. Buckley	Yes
Mr. Buzby	Yes
Mr. Mountain	Yes
Mr. Ferguson	Yes

2. Ordinance C-96-92 (Appropriate \$8,500 from Street Fund for the current expense of cost sharing the oversizing of Home Road) was given its reading and since it appropriates for current expenses, Mr. Buckley moved it be approved; seconded by Mr. Ferguson.

Mr. Buzby	Yes
Mr. Mountain	Yes
Mr. Ferguson	Yes
Mr. Buckley	Yes

3. Ordinance C-97-92 (Direct the certification to the County Auditor for the expense of cutting weeds on private property) was given its first reading. Second reading and public hearing will be held on November 2, 1992.
4. Ordinance C-98-92 (Amend Chapter 161 titled Employment Provisions for City Employees) was given its first reading. Second reading and public hearing will be held on November 2, 1992.
5. Resolution CR-54-92 (Authorize Administrative Assistant to enter into a lease/purchase agreement for equipment as it relates to E-911 Frankly County System) was given its reading and public hearing and Mr. Buckley moved it be approved; seconded by Mr. Ferguson.

Mr. Mountain	Yes
Mr. Ferguson	Yes
Mr. Buckley	Yes
Mr. Buzby	Yes

6. Resolution CR-55-92 (Authorize Administrative Assistant to enter into a lease/purchase agreement for radio equipment) was given its reading and public hearing and Mr. Buckley moved it be approved; seconded by Mr. Ferguson.

Mr. Ferguson	Yes
Mr. Buckley	Yes
Mr. Buzby	Yes
Mr. Mountain	Yes

7. Resolution CR-56-92 (Designate the banking institutions for the City's interim funds) was given its reading and public hearing and Mr. Buckley moved it be approved; seconded by Mr. Ferguson.

Mr. Buckley	Yes
Mr. Buzby	Yes
Mr. Mountain	Yes
Mr. Ferguson	Yes

8. Resolution CR-57-92 (Declare eligibility of banking institutions to receive active funds of the City and designate banking institutions for the City's active funds) was given its reading and public hearing and Mr. Buckley moved it be approved; seconded by President Buzby.

Mr. Buzby	Yes
Mr. Mountain	Yes
Mr. Ferguson	No
Mr. Buckley	Yes

9. Resolution CR-60-92 (Authorize the Mayor to enter into an agreement with AFSCME) was given its reading and public hearing and Mr. Buckley moved it be approved; seconded by President Buzby.

Mr. Mountain	Yes
Mr. Ferguson	Yes
Mr. Buckley	Yes
Mr. Buzby	Yes

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

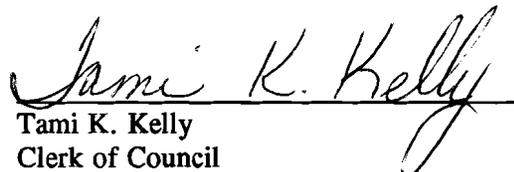
1. Mr. Gary Sigrest, Sr. - Commented on the number of Independent trucks hauling Wal-Mart trailers south on Broadway, east on Columbus Street to I-71. Also, on Southwest Boulevard - there is strict enforcement of the 35 mph speed limit while the track is not in session, however, when the track is in session it is drive for your life with no visible enforcement. Lastly, he asked why we had a No Turn On Red at an intersection like Columbus Street and Hoover Road instead of a yield to left arrow. This would be tremendously helpful to an intersection that is becoming increasingly unbearable.

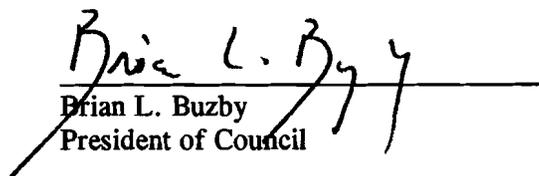
Mr. Boso stated that he would have Mr. Fulton check on these, specifically the Columbus Street/Hoover Road intersection.

**President Buzby recognized the Mayor, members of administration and council for closing comments.**

1. President Buzby announced that Council would be sitting in on the Planning Commission Meeting to hear the presentation given by Mr. Scott regarding the Sound Study for the proposed amphitheater.
2. After additional comments from Administration, the Chamber and Council, Mr. Mountain made a motion to adjourn; seconded by President Buzby. Motion carried.

Council adjourned at 9:00 p.m.

  
Tami K. Kelly  
Clerk of Council

  
Brian L. Buzby  
President of Council