

# City of Southgate Regular City Council Meeting July 17, 2019

A Regular Meeting of the Council of the City of Southgate was held in the Municipal Council Chambers, 14400 Dix-Toledo Highway, Southgate, Michigan on Wednesday, July 17, 2019 and was called to order at 7:00 PM by Council President John Graziani.

**This meeting began with the Pledge of Allegiance, followed by roll call.**

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Present: Bill Colovos, Mark Farrah, Karen George, John Graziani, Phillip Rauch, Christopher Rollet, Dale Zamecki

Absent:

Also Present: Mayor Joseph G. Kuspa, City Administrator Dustin Lent, Assistant City Administrator/Finance Director David Angileri, City Brandon Fournier, City Engineer John Hennessey, City Treasurer Jim Dallos,, City Clerk Janice Ferencz, Public Safety Director Jeff Smith, Police Chief Brett Selby, Fire Chief Mike Sypula, Building Inspections Director Bob Casanova, Director of Public Services Bob Tarabula and Parks & Recreation Director Julie Goddard.

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## **Minutes:**

Moved by Colovos, supported by George, RESOLVED, that the minutes of the City Council Work Study Session dated July 3, 2019 be approved as presented. Carried unanimously.

Moved by Zamecki, supported by Rollet, RESOLVED, that the minutes of the Regular City Council Meeting dated July 3, 2019 be approved as presented. Carried unanimously.

## **Communications A:**

1. Memo from Building Director; Re: application for Planning Commission Review (Form No. 01) moved by Rollet, supported by Rauch, RESOLVED that the Southgate City Council hereby concurs with the Building Director and approves the proposed planning and zoning fees and escrows be amended as presented In Form No. 01.

Motion carried unanimously

## **Ordinances:**

1. Chapter 874 Marijuana Production and Sales Regulation moved by George, supported by Zamecki that the Southgate City Council hereby waive the 2<sup>nd</sup> reading of an ordinance on Chapter 874 Marijuana Production and Sales Regulation

Councilman Rauch objected to motion, followed by discussion.

Roll call on motion to OPT OUT:

Zamecki	Yes	George	Yes
Farrah	Yes	Graziani	Yes
Rollet	No	Colovos	Yes
Rauch	No		

Motion to OPT OUT passes 5-2

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NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Southgate City Council OPTS OUT of allowing the Marijuana Production and Sales Regulation as put forth in an ordinance to be added to the Southgate City Codified Ordinances otherwise known as Ordinance no. 1004 as Chapter 874 Marijuana Production and Sales Regulation.

### **Claims and Accounts:**

Moved by Farrah, supported by Zamecki, RESOLVED, that Claims and Accounts be paid as outlined on Warrant #1381 in the amount of \$1,591,919.56.

Motion carried unanimously.

### **Adjournment:**

Moved by George, supported by Rollet, RESOLVED, that this Regular Meeting of the Southgate City Council be adjourned at 7:26 P.M. Carried unanimously.

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John Graziani  
Council President

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Janice M. Ferencz  
City Clerk