

**CITY OF CLAIRTON**  
**REGULAR SCHEDULED COUNCIL MEETING**  
**TUESDAY, AUGUST 14, 2018**  
**7:00 P.M.**

**Call to Order** – Mayor Richard L. Lattanzi called the meeting to order and asked everyone to please stand for the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silent prayer.

**Roll Call:**

Deputy Mayor Richard Ford – Present  
Councilwoman Denise Johnson-Clemmons – Present  
Councilman Tony Kurta – Present  
Councilwoman Lee Lasich – Present  
Mayor Richard L. Lattanzi – Present

Also present – Deron Gabriel, Solicitor

**OLD BUSINESS:**

1. City Council met in Executive Session prior to the meeting to discuss a Zoning legal matter.
2. Motion by Councilwoman Lasich, seconded by Deputy Mayor Ford to approve the minutes of the July 10<sup>th</sup>, 2018 meeting of City Council.  
**All in favor – 5-0**

**CITIZEN COMMENTS:**

Joseph Julian – questioned the demolition status of the building on Waddell behind Skapics.

Carol Hoffman – wanted to know if you could use insulation for a front door. The house at 112 Jefferson has insulation on their front door and it does not look nice.

Bessie James – wanted to thank the City for having the hedges and bushes cut a 719 Reed Street.

Judy Anderson – Wanted to thank the City for the quick response to the tree that got hit by lightning and fell.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

1. Motion by Deputy Mayor Ford, seconded by Councilwoman Lasich approving Ordinance No. 1937 authorizing the City to implement the provision of the Neighborhood Blight and Reclamation Act 90 of 2011. **All in favor – 5-0**
2. Motion by Councilwoman Johnson-Clemmons, seconded by Councilman Kurta approving Ordinance No. 1938 repealing Ordinance No. 1897 and making Waddell Avenue from Fifth Street to Sixth Street a two-way street. **All in favor – 5-0**
3. Motion by Councilwoman Lasich, seconded by Councilwoman Johnson-Clemmons approving the payment of Pay Application No. 1 to DePasquale Construction Services, LLC in the amount of \$20,068.82 for work on the ADA Ramps, Sidewalks and Steps Contract. **All in favor – 5-0**
4. Motion by Councilman Kurta, seconded by Councilwoman Lasich approving a four year collective bargaining agreement between the City of Clairton and the Teamsters Local Union No. 205 representing the City of Clairton Clerical Employees. **All in favor – 5-0**
5. Motion by Deputy Mayor Ford, seconded by Councilman Kurta approving a four year collective bargaining agreement between the City of Clairton and Teamsters Local Union No. 205 representing the City of Clairton Public Works Employees. **All in favor – 5-0**
6. Motion by Councilman Kurta, seconded by Councilwoman Lasich approving Change Order No. 1 in the amount of \$ 3,985.00 for the Tree Cutting & Stump Grinding and Removal Contract with Rowan Works Services, LLC for the emergency removal of two trees on City owned property on State Street. **All in favor – 5-0**
7. Motion by Deputy Mayor Ford, seconded by Councilman Kurta hiring Patrick Martin as a full-time Police Patrol Officer contingent upon his completion and passing of a medical and psychological examination. **All in favor – 5-0**
8. Motion by Councilwoman Johnson-Clemmons, seconded by Councilwoman Lasich hiring Dwayne Beere as a full-time Police Patrol Officer contingent upon his completion and passing of a medical and psychological examination. **All in favor – 5-0**

9. Motion by Deputy Mayor Ford, seconded by Councilwoman Lasich hiring Dion Tallie as a full-time Police Patrol Officer contingent upon his completion and passing of a medical and psychological examination.

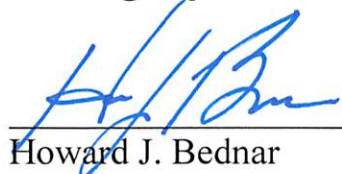
**All in favor – 5-0**

10. Motion by Councilwoman Lasich, seconded by Deputy Mayor Ford to approve and ratify expenditures for General Fund Warrant Numbers 07062018, 07132018, 07202018 and 07272018. **All in favor – 5-0**  
(Councilman Kurta abstained from voting on any Comcast Bills)

**Adjournment:**

Motion by Councilwoman Lasich, seconded by Deputy Mayor Ford to adjourn the meeting. **All in favor – 5-0**

**Meeting adjourned at 8:02 p.m.**



Howard J. Bednar  
City Manager / Finance Director



Richard L. Lattanzi, Mayor