

**Cuyahoga Falls City Council  
Minutes of the Public Affairs Committee Meeting  
December 1, 2008**

**Members:** Kathy Hummel, Chair  
Vince Rubino  
Ken Barnhart

Mrs. Hummel called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m. All members were present.

The minutes from the November 17, 2008 committee meeting were approved as submitted.

**Legislation Considered**  
Sub. Temp. Ord. A-74

**Discussion:**

**Sub. Temp. Ord. A-74 (dated 11-24-08)**

An ordinance enacting Chapter 1336 of the Codified Ordinances, titled "Clandestine Drug Labs" and declaring an emergency.

Ms. Jones stated she emailed Mark Onesta of BioClean Services requesting that he review the clean-up material to determine whether it is in line with what he has experienced. She has not yet heard back from him.

She made the changes requested at the previous committee meeting. On lines 94, 96 and 97, she added language to include notification to all adjacent property owners along with the primary mortgage holder and City Council members. On line 21, she deleted the information regarding public cost. On lines 175 and 176, she added language in case the federal and/or state governments come out with guidelines. If they do and their guidelines are more strict or pre-empt what this ordinance states, the federal laws will prevail. The clean-up criteria on page 5, Section C, is the language Mrs. Colavecchio had requested be moved from Section 10. On page 6, she inserted language about notifying the Summit County Sheriff and the Summit County Health Department when a property has been cleaned so they will hopefully note it on their website. On page 7, section 11(a), she added language requiring that the post-clean-up testing be done by a different company than the one that did the actual clean-up. With regard to Mr. Barnhart's question from the previous week, she looked for information regarding some types of studies that matched clean-up criteria and how much it would cost but she could not find it. Her estimate would be around \$5,000. Mrs. Hummel thanked Ms. Jones for making the changes. She added that she will contact Mr. Onesta to get an answer from him.

***Committee recommended bringing out Temp. Ord. No. A-74 dated 11-24-08 and the related criteria dated 11-21-08.***

The meeting adjourned at 7:10.