

Cuyahoga Falls City Council
Minutes of the Public Affairs Committee Meeting
April 2, 2007

Members: Debbie Ritzinger, Chair
Diana Cola vecchio
Doug Flinn

Mrs. Ritzinger called the meeting to order at 6:40 p.m. Mr. Flinn was absent.

The minutes of March 19, 2007 were approved as submitted.

Legislation Considered:

Temp. Res. B-56
Temp. Res. B-57
Temp. Ord. B-58

Discussion:

Temp. Res. B-56

A resolution authorizing the City of Cuyahoga Falls to file an application to the State of Ohio to participate in the Clean Ohio Revitalization Fund and declaring an emergency.

Mrs. Ritzinger read B-56 (second reading). Ms. Syx said this application is to assist in the development of 7.5 acres on South Front Street from just south of the Sheraton to 1783 Front on one side and 1850 Front on the other side.

Mrs. Pyke said the Ward 2 charettes revealed that people wanted more activity along the river in this area. She asked how contaminated the area is. Ms. Syx said soil contamination is about a 4 on a scale of 10.

The Committee recommended bringing out B-56 for approval.

Temp. Res. B-57

A resolution in support of an application to the Clean Ohio Council and declaring an emergency.

Mrs. Ritzinger read B-57 (second reading). Ms. Syx said this is a companion ordinance to B-56.

The Committee recommended bringing out B-57 for approval.

Temp. Ord. B-58

An ordinance authorizing the Mayor to enter into a contract or contracts, according to law, to allow Cascade Auto Group access to the City's rights of way and vertical infrastructure, and declaring an emergency.

Mrs. Ritzinger read B-58 (second reading). Mr. Arrington said Cascade has several buildings at this location. Several years ago, they purchased the Ohio State Patrol site as a used car lot. This ordinance will allow Cascade to use City poles to connect to the car lot. The usual \$23 per pole attachment fee will apply.

The Committee recommended bringing out B-58 for approval.

The meeting adjourned at 6:48 p.m.

