

Cuyahoga Falls City Council

Minutes of the Finance and Appropriations Committee Meeting

September 27, 2004

Members: Mr. Flinn, Chairman; Mr. Barnhart, Vice Chair; Mr. Gorbach, Member.

Mr. Flinn called the Finance Committee to order at 6:37 p.m. All members of Committee were present.

Pieces of Legislation this evening (second readings):

A-140	An Ordinance authorizing payment of the moral claim of Richard L. Rhodes, and declaring an emergency.
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Mr. Arrington indicates this was a sewer back up due to roots and debris in Mr. Rhodes lines. The water department has cleaned the debris out. There was damage of \$912.23 consisting of mattresses, box springs, and carpet. Mr. Rhodes was satisfied with the settlement and has already signed a release form.

The committee recommends bringing out Temp. Ord. A-140

A-141	An Ordinance amending Ordinance 122-2004, and declaring an emergency.
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Virgil Arrington indicates this is a minor amendment to our Wellness Program to allow our Safety Forces who want family passes to use payroll deduction. Currently, the safety forces have used the Natatorium in the past for free. This is being negotiated during their contract negotiations to have their wellness plan conform to the city's wellness plan. Mr. Durkitt with the Fire Department approached the administration to help encourage additional membership and help the members of the safety force afford the new membership.

Mr. Durkitt stated he brought this to the Mayor's attention that many of the family members wanted to participate by joining the Natatorium, but didn't have the money up front. The administration was helpful to assist our safety forces so quickly with this minor change.

The committee recommends bringing out Temp. Ord. A-141

Finance and Appropriations Committee Meeting adjourned at 6:42 p.m.