

# Cuyahoga Falls City Council

## Minutes of the PUBLIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE Meeting

### April 5, 2004

Chair: Mary Ellen Pyke; Vice Chair: Terry Mader; Member: Jerry James.

Mary Ellen Pyke brought the Public Affairs Committee to order at 6:57 p.m. All member of the Committee were present. The minutes from March 15, 2004 Public Affairs Committee meeting were not approved nor distributed.

#### **Scheduled legislation (second reading):**

A-66	An Ordinance to adopt 2004 amendments to the Traffic and General Offenses Codes and declaring an emergency.
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Virgil Arrington indicates that late last year there were massive changes to the code by the General Assembly. We hired Walter Drane who took the state codes and put them into our code and renumbered them. This is the clean up and organization that is required by the state law. Mary Ellen states that the General Assembly addresses the fines for the minor misdemeanors. Don Walters: Motorized scooters without seats were not addressed in the ordinances. We can prohibit more than the state law in the city ordinances according to Virgil Arrington. We can address this situation and pass legislation to cover issues that the State Code does not address. Mr. Walters feels this is a situation where the units a readily available and with the warmer weather, we may need to address soon.

*The committee recommends bringing out Temp. Ord. A-66*

A-67	An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor to Grant a License to the Regent Park Homeowners Association for the use of a portion of the city's property for sign purposes, and declaring an emergency.
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Peter Bell indicates they wish to put a sign on Keyser Parkway to acknowledge their subdivision "Regent Park". This will be similar to that on Chart Road. This Ordinance allows them to build on the park property on Keyser Parkway and a License Agreement is attached.

*The committee recommends bringing out Temp. Ord. A-66*

The Public Affairs Committee Meeting was adjourned at 7:05 p.m.