

**Cuyahoga Falls City Council  
Minutes of the Public Affairs Committee**

**November 6, 2023**

**Members:** Rachel Loza, Chair  
Michael Brillhart  
Adam Miller

Ms. Loza called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. All members were present.

The minutes of the October 2, 2023 Public Affairs Committee Meeting were approved as written.

**Legislation Discussed:**

Temp. Ord. B-123

**Discussion:**

**Temp. Ord. B-123**

An ordinance amending and/or supplementing Title 7 Taxation, Chapter 164, Municipal Income Tax, to comply with state law mandates, and declaring an emergency.

Mr. Matt Skitzki, Tax Administrator, presented Temporary Ordinance B-123 to Council. He stated that these changes were part of the State Budget Bill that was passed in June that provided changes to the municipal tax. The City income tax is required to follow the State code. There are six changes, most of which do not have any impact on the City, but there is one that might cause a little bit of lost revenue and that is the change in penalty amount. This amount used to be \$150, and the State has lowered it to \$25, so this is the one change out of the six that will have an impact on revenue for the City. He is estimating that to be a loss of about \$30,000. That is a general estimate for the year. This only has to do with the late filing.

Ms. Loza stated that the State has mandated this for the City falling in line with existing state laws and the City is already complying with it pretty closely.

Mr. Miller moved to bring out Temp. Ord. B-123 with a favorable recommendation, second by Mr. Brillhart. Motion passed (3-0).

The meeting adjourned at 6:56 p.m.