

City of Southgate

Regular City Council Meeting

September 4, 2024

A Regular Meeting of the Council of the City of Southgate was held on Wednesday, September 4, 2024 in the Southgate City Hall Council Chambers and was called to order at 7:00 PM by Council President Zoey Kuspa.

This meeting began with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Present: Victoria Araj, Priscilla Ayres-Reiss, Edward Gawlik Jr., Karen George, Christian Graziani, Zoey Kuspa, Phil Rauch

Absent:

Also Present: Mayor Joseph G. Kuspa, City Attorney Ed Zelenak, City Administrator Dan Marsh, Assistant City Administrator/Finance Director Doug Drysdale, City Clerk Janice Ferencz, City Treasurer Chris Rollet, Director of Public Safety Joseph Marsh, Police Chief Mark Mydlarz, Fire Chief Justin Graves, City Engineer John Hennessey, Recreation Director Julie Goddard & Building Inspections Director Tim Leach

Minutes:

Moved by Rauch, supported by George, RESOLVED, that the minutes of the City Council Work Study Session dated August 21, 2024 be approved as presented. Carried unanimously.

Moved by Ayres-Reiss, supported by Gawlik, RESOLVED, that the minutes of the Regular City Council Meeting dated August 21, 2024 be approved as presented. Carried unanimously.

Moved by George, supported by Rauch, RESOLVED, that the minutes of the Public Hearing re: 12071 Devoe dated August 21, 2024 be approved as presented. Carried unanimously.

Moved by Rauch, supported by George, RESOLVED, that the minutes of the Public Hearing re: 19364 Eureka dated August 21, 2024 be approved as presented. Carried unanimously.

Moved by Ayres-Reiss, supported by Gawlik, RESOLVED, that the minutes of the Special City Council Meeting dated August 28, 2024 be approved as presented. Carried unanimously.

Communications "A":

1. Memo from Administrator; Re: Contract Extension for Vehicle Towing and Impound Services moved by Rauch, supported by George, RESOLVED THAT the Southgate City Council authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to sign the attached vehicle towing and impound services contract extension with Norm and Eddie's Towing (Brownstown, MI) for a term expiring December 31, 2027. Motion carried unanimously.
2. Letter from Mayor; Re: Purchase of PowerDMS PowerReady Module (Waiver of Bid) moved by Araj, supported by George, RESOLVED THAT the Southgate City Council waive the bid process and approve purchase of PowerReady training management module from Power DMS (El Segundo, CA) in the total amount of \$6,982.18, for a term ending July 5, 2025. Motion carried unanimously.

Ordinances:

1. Memo from Administrator; Re: Changes to City Code Chapter 666.04 First reading, no action taken.

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Old Business:

1. DDA Class C Liquor License for 15231 Trenton Road (HopCat) Moved by Rauch, supported by George, RESOLVED, that the Southgate City Council add the DDA Class C Liquor License for 15231 Trenton Road (HopCat) to tonight's agenda. Motion carried unanimously. No further action was taken.

Claims and Accounts:

Moved by Rauch, supported by Ayres-Reiss, RESOLVED, that Claims and Accounts be paid as outlined on Warrant #1504 for \$1,721,451.72. Motion carried unanimously.

Adjournment:

Moved by George, supported by Gawlik, RESOLVED THAT this Regular Meeting of the Southgate City Council be adjourned at 7:07 P.M. Carried unanimously.

Zoey Kuspa
Council President

Janice M. Ferencz
City Clerk