MINUTES OF RAVENNA CITY COUNCIL MEETING February 6, 2012

The Regular Meeting of Council of the City of Ravenna was called to order at 7:00 P.M., February 6, 2012, by Council President, Francis Ricciardi.

A moment of silence was observed. President Ricciardi then led the Pledge of Allegiance.

The following were present on the roll call: Mr. Berry, Mr. Ribelin, Mr. Rainone, Ms. Spencer, Mr. Seman, Ms. Michael and Mr. Ferguson.

Also attending the meeting were: Law Director, Frank Cimino; Finance Director, Kim Cecora; Service Director, Kelly Engelhart; City Engineer, Bob Finney; Fire Chief, Geoffrey Cleveland and Firefighter, Brad Ryczek. Also in attendance were Donna Swigart of 528 East Riddle Avenue, Ravenna; Ray Martinez representing Ohio Edison, Marc Resnik of 1102 East Riddle Avenue, Ravenna and Cliff Soudil of 464 Woodland Avenue, Ravenna.

Appointment of Design Review Commission Members: New Members: Alan Balog and Jodi Hepler. **Reappointed members:** Reba Cook, Diana Kane, Dave Petrone. A motion was made by Mr. Seman to approve the appointments. The motion was seconded by Mr. Ribelin. **Voice Vote: All Ayes.**

MINUTES: A motion was made by Mr. Berry, seconded by Mr. Ribelin to approve the minutes of the Regular City Council meeting of November 7, 2011 and December 5, 2011. **Voice Vote: All Ayes.**

COMMUNICATIONS: The clerk noted a letter from Governor Kasich's office was received acknowledging receipt of Resolution 2012-013 opposing the centralization of income tax collection.

A Notice to Legislative Authority from the Ohio Division of Liquor Control was received indicating a stockholder name change @ Pizza Hut

There being no objections, the clerk was asked to send the appropriate paperwork to the Division of Liquor Control.

DELEGATIONS: Mr. Soudil said he lives on Woodland Street. There are several houses now that have had cars without licenses on them, some for two years now. Some of them are damaged, flat tires, etc. Also there are problems with the grass not being mowed. He thinks the city may have had some of them mowed. He knows it's not his business but wonders how it gets paid.

Mr. Ribelin said that the cost of the mowing gets put onto the property owner taxes.

Mr. Soudil continued on stating that one of the problems is that the neighbors don't rake their leaves. He went over and did them himself because they will end up on his lawn. Is there something they can do more to enforce the ordinances that are in place to take care of this or is it cost prohibitive. He knows Mr. Finney has plenty to do. He knows they've piled a lot onto him.

President Ricciardi asked how many houses they are talking about.

Mr. Soudil said there are three houses on Perry with four cars total. Two of the houses now; and that is the next question, there is probably nothing they can do about houses that sit vacant.

President Ricciardi said there isn't unless they can prevail with the banks that hold the mortgages better than the city has been able to do.

Mr. Soudil said these people are paid up. One of them is a doctor who hasn't lived in it for 15 years. It's going into disrepair. Then one of those that was never mowed have moved out. He noticed the city was turning off the water. He doesn't know if that was turned back on but he did notice the heat is still on during the days when it was cold.

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President Ricciardi said there isn't much they can do if somebody wants to leave a home that they own vacant. He would think it could be considered a nuisance.

Mr. Finney said that this is the first he's heard about it.

Mr. Soudil said he doesn't like to take off work to take care of these issues.

Mr. Finney said they can do an email or a phone call.

President Ricciardi asked where the houses are with the cars, and which homes are they talking about.

Mr. Soudil said the cars are on Perry. The house that has been setting for 15 years is on Liberty, just a few houses up. He asked to purchase the house when the economy was better. He wrote them a letter. He never heard back. That is their prerogative but they only mow their lawn twice a year. It's in disrepair. It's got to be leaking inside.

Mr. Finney said he would take a look at it and start working on it.

REPORTS OF OFFICIALS: A motion was made by Mr. Seman to approve the reports of officials. The motion was seconded by Ms. Spencer. **Voice Vote:** All Ayes.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES:

Utilities: Ms. Spencer said there were three items on the agenda. The next meeting will be held on Monday, February 13 at 6:30 PM.

Information Systems: Mr. Berry said there was one ordinance on first reading. No meeting is scheduled at this time.

Planning Committee: A meeting is scheduled for Monday, February 13 at 6:00 PM.

Finance Committee: President Ricciardi said the next Finance Committee meeting is scheduled for February 21 at 7:00 PM.

Public Health & Public Safety: Mr. Ribelin said this Committee has two items on the agenda. A meeting is scheduled for Monday, February 13 at 5:30 PM.

Streets & Sidewalks: Mr. Ferguson said there is nothing to report at this time.

Personnel: Ms. Michael said this committee has one ordinance on the agenda. No meeting is scheduled at this time but one may need to be scheduled.

Community & Economic Development: Mr. Seman said the next meeting is scheduled for Monday, February 13 at 5:00 PM.

Cemetery: Mr. Seman said there is nothing to report at this time. The budget was passed at the joint meeting.

Ravenna Youth Council: Ms. Spencer said the RYC is has a meeting scheduled for Monday, February 13.

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First Reading of Ordinances:

ORDINANCE NO. 2012-015: AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF \$700.00 FROM THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND 65-74 FOR THE PURCHASE OF A COMPUTER IN THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY, was read for the first time, by title only.

Mr. Cecora said there is a need for a work station in the Fire Department. There was nothing budgeted originally. The budget for the Police Department that is being replaced this year, is coming in far less than originally thought. That appropriation will be unspent. This \$700.00 is going to be picked up on the back end of that.

There being no further comments or questions, Mr. Seman moved to waive the requirement that legislation be read at three separate meetings. Mr. Ribelin seconded the motion. **Vote: All Ayes.** Mr. Ribelin moved to approve this Ordinance as an emergency measure for the reason set forth in the Ordinance. The motion was seconded by Mr. Seman. **Vote: All Ayes.** A motion was made by Mr. Seman seconded by Ms. Spencer that Ordinance No. 2012-015 be adopted. **Vote: All Ayes.** The Council President of Council declared Ordinance 2012-015 adopted.

ORDINANCE NO. 2012-016: AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH COMMUNICATIONS FACTORY, INC. TO PROVIDE MARKETING SERVICES FOR THE RAVENNA FARM MARKET, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY, was read for the first time, by title only.

Mr. Seman said this is the beginning of the preparations for the opening of the farmers' market. This is to hire the group that is going to handle the advertising and do some of the work getting it set up so it can be successful. They have a past history of doing this and have done well in other places. The contract is attached.

Mr. Berry asked how they will go about choosing the individuals who will be the vendors.

Ms. Michael said they will have to submit an application. There is a meeting tomorrow. They will have specific guidelines that they will have to meet. The cost is \$10.00 and there is an application.

Mr. Berry said he would imagine there is going to be some advertising in the newspaper explaining everything.

Ms. Michael said that the gentleman from Communication Factory presented to the committee last week and it was really nice.

There being no further comments or questions, Mr. Ribelin moved to waive the requirement that legislation be read at three separate meetings. Mr. Berry seconded the motion. **Vote: All Ayes.** Mr. Seman moved to approve this Ordinance as an emergency measure for the reason set forth in the Ordinance. The motion was seconded by Ms. Spencer. **Vote: All Ayes.** A motion was made by Mr. Ribelin seconded by Mr. Seman that Ordinance No. 2012-016 be adopted. **Vote: All Ayes.** The Council President of Council declared Ordinance 2012-016 adopted.

ORDINANCE NO. 2012-017: AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH COLEMAN ADULT DAY SERVICES, TO PROVIDE RAVENNA CITY RESIDENTS ASSISTANCE WITH THE 2012 ADULT DAY CARE PROGRAM, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY, was read for the first time, by title only.

Mr. Ribelin said Council has done this for several years. It's simply an agreement with Coleman Adult Day Services to provide Ravenna City residents with assistance in the Adult Day Program. It's set up on a per client basis.

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President Ricciardi said there have been discussions among themselves and at meetings with Ms. Kairis representing Coleman Adult Day Services.

There being no further comments or questions, Mr. Seman moved to waive the requirement that legislation be read at three separate meetings. Ms. Spencer seconded the motion. Vote: Ayes: Seman, Spencer, Ferguson, Berry, Ribelin. Nay: Michael. Mr. Ribelin moved to approve this Ordinance as an emergency measure for the reason set forth in the Ordinance. The motion was seconded by Mr. Seman. Vote: Ayes: Ribelin, Seman, Spencer, Berry, Ferguson. Nay: Michael. A motion was made by Mr. Seman seconded by Ms. Spencer that Ordinance No. 2012-017 be adopted. Vote: Ayes: Seman, Spencer, Ribelin, Berry, Ferguson. Nay: Michael. The Council President of Council declared Ordinance 2012-017 adopted.

ORDINANCE NO. 2012-018: AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN AMENDED CONTRACT WITH RAVENNA TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES FOR DISPATCHING SERVICES TO BE PERFORMED FOR THE RAVENNA TOWNSHIP FIRE DEPARTMENT FOR THE CALENDAR YEARS 2010, 2011, 2012 AND 2013, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY, was read for the first time, by title only.

Mr. Ribelin explained that this is a renegotiation of the contract for dispatching services with the Ravenna Township Trustees for the years 2010, 2011, 2012 and 2013. The cost goes up a little bit each year on a graduated basis. This brings them in line with the other communities being serviced.

There being no further comments or questions, Mr. Ribelin moved to waive the requirement that legislation be read at three separate meetings. Mr. Berry seconded the motion. **Vote: All Ayes.** Mr. Seman moved to approve this Ordinance as an emergency measure for the reason set forth in the Ordinance. The motion was seconded by Ms. Spencer. **Vote: All Ayes.** A motion was made by Mr. Seman seconded by Mr. Ribelin that Ordinance No. 2012-018 be adopted. **Vote: All Ayes.** The Council President of Council declared Ordinance 2012-018 adopted.

ORDINANCE NO. 2012-019: AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF \$1,180.00 FROM THE WATER FUND (670); THE SUM OF \$1,180.00 FROM THE SEWER FUND (677); THE SUM OF \$1,180.00 FROM THE STORM FUND (650); THE SUM OF \$1,180.00 FROM THE GENERAL FUND FOR SECRETARIAL SUPPORT IN THE ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY, was read for the first time, by title only.

Mr. Finney said the ordinance pertains to 400 hours for temporary help in the Engineering and Building Department. The hourly rate is \$10.00 an hour. This is on an as needed basis.

There being no further comments or questions, Mr. Seman moved to waive the requirement that legislation be read at three separate meetings. Ms. Spencer seconded the motion. **Vote: All Ayes.** Mr. Ribelin moved to approve this Ordinance as an emergency measure for the reason set forth in the Ordinance. The motion was seconded by Mr. Seman. **Vote: All Ayes.** A motion was made by Mr. Seman seconded by Ms. Spencer that Ordinance No. 2012-019 be adopted. **Vote: All Ayes.** The Council President of Council declared Ordinance 2012-019 adopted.

ORDINANCE NO. 2012-020: AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF \$850.00 FROM THE WATER FUND (670); THE SUM OF \$2,675.00 FROM THE STORM FUND (650); FOR THE PURCHASE OF A LINE LOCATOR AND APPURTENANCES, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY, was read for the first time, by title only.

Ms. Spencer said the line locator will help find underground utilities for the design projects and storm mapping. It will be beneficial to several departments within the city.

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There being no further comments or questions, Mr. Ribelin moved to waive the requirement that legislation be read at three separate meetings. Ms. Spencer seconded the motion. **Vote: All Ayes.** Mr. Seman moved to approve this Ordinance as an emergency measure for the reason set forth in the Ordinance. The motion was seconded by Ms. Spencer. **Vote: All Ayes.** A motion was made by Mr. Seman seconded by Ms. Spencer that Ordinance No. 2012-020 be adopted. **Vote: All Ayes.** The Council President of Council declared Ordinance 2012-020 adopted.

ORDINANCE NO. 2012-021: AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF \$2,544.75 FROM THE WATER FUND (670); THE SUM OF \$2,544.75 FROM THE STORM FUND (650); THE SUM OF \$8,482.60 FROM THE SEWER FUND (677); THE SUM OF \$3,393.00 FROM THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND (65-74) FOR THE SURVEYING COSTS OF THE NEIGHBORHOOD REVITALIZATION PROJECT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY, was read for the first time, by title only.

Ms. Spencer said the surveying needs to be done to complete the design plans. If there is remaining from the grant after the project is completed, the cost will be returned to the city.

There being no further comments or questions, Mr. Seman moved to waive the requirement that legislation be read at three separate meetings. Ms. Spencer seconded the motion. **Vote: All Ayes.** Mr. Seman moved to approve this Ordinance as an emergency measure for the reason set forth in the Ordinance. The motion was seconded by Ms. Spencer. **Vote: All Ayes.** A motion was made by Mr. Seman seconded by Ms. Spencer that Ordinance No. 2012-021 be adopted. **Vote: All Ayes.** The Council President of Council declared Ordinance 2012-021 adopted.

ORDINANCE NO. 2012-022: AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE PORTAGE PARK DISTRICT FOR THE PURCHASE OF FUEL FROM THE REFUELING STATION AT 701 OAKWOOD STREET, RAVENNA, OHIO, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Ms. Spencer said they are glad the Park District is going to be on board with the city and they're ready to serve the Park District in any way they can.

There being no further comments or questions, Mr. Ribelin moved to waive the requirement that legislation be read at three separate meetings. Ms. Michael seconded the motion. **Vote: All Ayes.** Mr. Seman moved to approve this Ordinance as an emergency measure for the reason set forth in the Ordinance. The motion was seconded by Ms. Michael. **Vote: All Ayes.** A motion was made by Mr. Seman seconded by Ms. Spencer that Ordinance No. 2012-022 be adopted. **Vote: All Ayes.** The Council President of Council declared Ordinance 2012-022 adopted.

ORDINANCE NO. 2012-023: AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE EDITING AND INCLUSION OF CERTAIN ORDINANCES AS PARTS OF THE VARIOUS COMPONENT SECTIONS OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR THE ADOPTION OF NEW MATTER IN THE UPDATED AND REVISED CODIFIED ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR THE PUBLICATION OF SUCH NEW MATTER; REPEALING ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS IN CONFLICT THEREWITH; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Mr. Cimino said that every year the ordinances are brought up to date with ordinances that were passed during the course of the year. Also, if there are any state statutes that have been amended that they need to bring the city's ordinances into compliance with, they do so renumbering, etc. This ordinances takes care of all of those issues.

There being no further comments or questions, Mr. Ribelin moved to waive the requirement that legislation be read at three separate meetings. Ms. Michael seconded the motion. **Vote: All Ayes.** Mr. Seman moved to approve this Ordinance as an emergency measure for the reason set forth in the Ordinance. The motion was seconded by Ms. Michael. **Vote: All Ayes.** A motion was made by Mr. Seman seconded by Ms. Spencer that Ordinance No. 2012-023 be adopted. **Vote: All Ayes.** The Council President of Council declared Ordinance 2012-023 adopted.

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ORDINANCE NO. 2012-024: AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF \$832.07 FROM THE GENERAL FUND TO PAY THE CODIFIED ORDINANCE UPDATE FOR 2011, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY, was read for the first time, by title only.

Mr. Cecora said the amount of the invoice was more than what was budgeted by \$830.00.

There being no further comments or questions, Mr. Ribelin moved to waive the requirement that legislation be read at three separate meetings. Mr. Berry seconded the motion. **Vote: All Ayes.** Mr. Seman moved to approve this Ordinance as an emergency measure for the reason set forth in the Ordinance. The motion was seconded by Mr. Ribelin. **Vote: All Ayes.** A motion was made by Mr. Seman seconded by Mr. Ribelin that Ordinance No. 2012-024 be adopted. **Vote: All Ayes.** The Council President of Council declared Ordinance 2012-024 adopted.

ORDINANCE NO. 2012-025: AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE STATE OF OHIO AUDITOR'S OFFICE TO PERFORM THE FINANCIAL COMPLIANCE AUDITS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2011, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY, was read for the first time, by title only.

Mr. Cecora said the financial audit is being performed by the State this year. The price didn't go up. This is the annual financial review.

There being no further comments or questions, Mr. Seman moved to waive the requirement that legislation be read at three separate meetings. Ms. Spencer seconded the motion. **Vote: All Ayes.** Mr. Seman moved to approve this Ordinance as an emergency measure for the reason set forth in the Ordinance. The motion was seconded by Ms. Spencer. **Vote: All Ayes.** A motion was made by Mr. Seman seconded by Ms. Spencer that Ordinance No. 2012-025 be adopted. **Vote: All Ayes.** The Council President of Council declared Ordinance 2012-025 adopted.

ORDINANCE NO. 2012-026: AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE ADVANCES, APPROPRIATIONS TRANSFERS AND FUND TRANSFERS FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 2011 LISTED ON EXHIBIT "A" ATTACHED HERETO, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY, was read for the first time, by title only.

Mr. Cecora said advances cover grant activity. Fund transfers are for debt service and appropriation transfers are line item movement within funds.

There being no further comments or questions, Mr. Berry moved to waive the requirement that legislation be read at three separate meetings. Mr. Ribelin seconded the motion. **Vote: All Ayes.** Mr. Ribelin moved to approve this Ordinance as an emergency measure for the reason set forth in the Ordinance. The motion was seconded by Mr. Seman. **Vote: All Ayes.** A motion was made by Mr. Seman seconded by Mr. Ribelin that Ordinance No. 2012-026 be adopted. **Vote: All Ayes.** The Council President of Council declared Ordinance 2012-026 adopted.

ORDINANCE NO. 2012-027: AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR HIS DESIGNEE, TO APPROVE AND EXECUTE A PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF RAVENNA, OHIO AND CITY OF KENT, OHIO, FOR THE PURPOSES OF ESTABLISHING PROCEDURES, DEVELOPING AN IMPLEMENTATION PLAN, AND THE DEFINING OF PARTNERSHIP ROLES FOR THE "ASPHALT RECYCLING EQUIPMENT SHARED SERVICES INITIATIVE" AND TO ALLOW FOR THE SUBMISSION OF A PROPOSAL APPLYING FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT INNOVATION FUND (LGIF) GRANT FUNDS FOR THE INITIATIVE AND CALLING FOR COOPERATION BETWEEN THE COMMUNITIES, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY, was read for the first time, by title only.

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Ms. Engelhart said this is the Local Government Innovation Fund. They are working with the city of Kent. The city of Kent is going to be the lead applicant in this project. They are probably going to include the city of Streetsboro into this as well. An agreement to lease asphalt equipment that uses grindings and recycles those grindings to make asphalt so they can use hot patch on the roads to fill in potholes instead of cold patch which falls out. It's a way to work together collaboratively. They are applying for the grant to see if they can use the grant money to help offset the cost in sharing that piece of equipment.

There being no further comments or questions, Mr. Ribelin moved to waive the requirement that legislation be read at three separate meetings. Mr. Seman seconded the motion. **Vote: All Ayes.** Ms. Spencer moved to approve this Ordinance as an emergency measure for the reason set forth in the Ordinance. The motion was seconded by Mr. Seman. **Vote: All Ayes.** A motion was made by Mr. Seman seconded by Mr. Ribelin that Ordinance No. 2012-027 be adopted. **Vote: All Ayes.** The Council President of Council declared Ordinance 2012-027 adopted.

ORDINANCE NO. 2012-028: AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR HIS DESIGNEE, TO APPROVE AND EXECUTE A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE CITY OF RAVENNA, OHIO, THE CITY OF KENT, OHIO, THE CITY OF AURORA, OHIO, THE CITY OF STREETSBORO, OHIO, THE PORTAGE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, AND KENT STATE UNIVERSITY FOR THE PURPOSES OF ESTABLISHING PROCEDURES, DEVELOPING AN IMPLEMENTATION PLAN, AND THE **PARTNERSHIP ROLES** FOR THE COORDINATED PUBLIC SAFETY COMMUNICATIONS INITIATIVE (A WORKING TITLE)" AND TO ALLOW FOR THE SUBMISSION OF A PROPOSAL APPLYING FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT INNOVATION FUND (LGIF) GRANT FUNDS FOR THE INITIATIVE AND CALLING FOR COOPERATION BETWEEN THE COMMUNITIES, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY, was read for the first time, by title only.

Ms. Engelhart said this is the same grant. Ravenna City will be the lead agency on this and fiscal officer for applying for this grant looking at a feasibility study and an implementation plan on consolidation of dispatch centers throughout Portage County. All of the communities are primary safety access points where they receive 911 calls into their communication centers. They are looking at an implementation plan to see if they can work collaboratively to consolidate those in the future.

There being no further comments or questions, Mr. Seman moved to waive the requirement that legislation be read at three separate meetings. Ms. Spencer seconded the motion. **Vote: All Ayes.** Mr. Ribelin moved to approve this Ordinance as an emergency measure for the reason set forth in the Ordinance. The motion was seconded by Ms. Spencer. **Vote: All Ayes.** A motion was made by Mr. Seman seconded by Ms. Spencer that Ordinance No. 2012-028 be adopted. **Vote: All Ayes.** The Council President of Council declared Ordinance 2012-028 adopted.

Second Reading of Ordinances: None

Third Reading of Ordinances: None

Old Business: Mr. Berry said last year they discussed the entrance to Volunteer Park. He wanted to bring it up now because he knows it's going to come up again. Baseball starts soon. As far as he can remember, they didn't come to any conclusion on that issue.

President Ricciardi said the issue was who was going to repair and maintain the road.

Mr. Berry said he thinks it was along those lines, also how far back the city owns vs. Hot Stove and who was going to maintain that road.

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President Ricciardi asked how that access road was treated in the past.

Mr. Finney said it would get grindings from the asphalt program. The question was, who owns what portion of the driveway. The question also arose if the city should be doing work on private property.

President Ricciardi said he thinks the other question was, could the city give them a hand.

Mr. Finney said Hot Stove was asking the city if they would do that.

President Ricciardi said that is something the city has done for a long, long time.

Ms. Michael said that Hot Stove has helped out with Parks & Rec. with their fields. They have worked together on some things in the past.

President Ricciardi said he doesn't see it as being much different in collaborating with the school system on certain things. Obviously, it is a benefit to this community to have the kids involved in that and be active and those folks have put a lot of time and money into those fields themselves. He asked if it should be put into a committee.

Mr. Finney said they don't have grindings like they used to. They haven't had a paving program where they collected grindings for two years.

President Ricciardi said they are attempting to get an asphalt machine.

Mr. Finney said they're looking at that in the opposite direction because it will take grindings to fuel this machine.

Mr. Berry said he would like to see them come up with some type of decision so that every year they won't have to deal with it.

President Ricciardi said he thinks they need to have conversations with people who were involved in the Hot Stove and see what they can work out. He will send it to the Planning Committee.

Mr. Finney said he does think the boundary lines need to be established before they go too far so they know how much area they are talking about. They would have to hire a surveyor. He looked for the pins and they're not in place. They found a couple way out into the woods so there would have to be a survey to re-establish the lines.

President Ricciardi said he's not sure that question is such a burning issue. He knows from Mr. Finney's perspective it is, but it seems to him that if they're going to help Hot Stove to get access to those fields when it's muddy, wet and nasty and people can't get their cars back there, to him it doesn't really matter if it's on our ground or their ground. That's not such a big burning issue. His issue is can they reach some sort of cooperating agreement with the Hot Stove folks that will make pretty much everybody happy. The city can give a little bit and maybe they can give a little. He doesn't see where they hit a line and just say that it's all theirs after that or vise versa. Do they really need to know where the boundaries are?

Mr. Berry said he didn't think so and as far as he can recall, it never came up in the past.

President Ricciardi said he thinks it's a cost benefit thing. Does this community benefit from those folks and their labors out there. Personally, he thinks it's substantial. The more kids they can keep off the streets, the happier he is in his job.

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New Business: None

Mayor's Remarks: None

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 7:46 P.M. The next Regular Council Meeting is scheduled for Monday, March 5, 2012 at 7:00 P.M.

ATTEST:	
Kathryn M. Hann	Francis M. Ricciardi
Clerk of Council	President of Council