

**MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF AVON, OHIO, HELD MONDAY, MARCH 18, 2024
IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS OF THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING
AT 8:27 P.M.**

The Chairman, Council President Brian Fischer, called the meeting to order and led in the Pledge of Allegiance.

PRESENT:

Council Members: Council-at-Large – Mary Berges; 1st Ward – Jennifer Demaline; 2nd Ward – Dennis McBride; Council-at-Large – Michelle Patton; 4th Ward – Scott Radcliffe; Council-at-Large and Council President – Brian Fischer; Mayor - Bryan Jensen; City Engineer – Ryan Cummins; Planning and Economic Development Coordinator – Pam Fechter; Law Director – John Gasior; Finance Director – Steve Presley; Safety/Public Service Director – Duane Streater; Clerk of Council – Barbara Brooks

ABSENT:

3rd Ward – Anthony Moore

EXECUTIVE SESSION: 8:28 p.m.

A motion was made by Mr. McBride and seconded by Mr. Radcliffe to Enter Into Executive Session for the Purpose of Discussing Collective Bargaining Matters and invite Mr. Streater and Mr. Presley, and the vote was: Ms. Berges, “yes”; Mrs. Demaline, “yes”; Mr. McBride, “yes”; Ms. Patton, “yes”; Mr. Radcliffe, “yes”; Mr. Fischer, “yes”.

The vote was 6 for and 0 against and the Chairman declared the motion passed.

RECONVENE: 8:42 p.m.

A motion was made by Mr. McBride and seconded by Mrs. Demaline to Reconvene the Special Meeting of Council, and the vote was: Mrs. Demaline, “yes”; Mr. McBride, “yes”; Ms. Patton, “yes”; Mr. Radcliffe, “yes”; Ms. Berges, “yes”; Mr. Fischer, “yes”.

The vote was 6 for and 0 against and the Chairman declared the motion passed.

ORDINANCE NO. 35-24 – TO ACCEPT THE FACT FINDER’S RESPORT IN THE MATTER OF THE CITY OF AVON AND THE OHIO PATROLMEN’S BENEVOLENT ASSOCIAATION (OPBA), SERB CASE NO: 2023-MED-0516 (PATROL OFFICERS)

The Clerk read Ordinance No. 35-24 by title only, entitled:

**AN ORDINANCE TO ACCEPT THE FACT FINDER’S REPORT IN THE MATTER OF
THE CITY OF AVON AND THE OHIO PATROLMEN’S BENEVOLENT
ASSOCIATION (OPBA), SERB CASE NO: 2023-MED-0516 (PATROL OFFICERS)
AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**

A motion was made by Mr. McBride and seconded by Mr. Radcliffe to suspend the rules and act on Ordinance No. 35-24, and the vote was: Mr. McBride, “yes”; Ms. Patton, “yes”; Mr. Radcliffe, “yes”; Ms. Berges, “yes”; Mrs. Demaline, “yes”; Mr. Fischer, “yes”.

The vote was 6 for and 0 against and the Chairman declared the motion passed.

A motion was made by Mr. McBride and seconded by Mr. Radcliffe to adopt Ordinance No. 35-24, and the vote was: Ms. Patton, “yes”; Mr. Radcliffe, “yes”; Ms. Berges, “yes”; Mrs. Demaline, “yes”; Mr. McBride, “yes”; Mr. Fischer, “yes”.

The vote was 6 for and 0 against and the Chairman declared the motion passed.

ADJOURN: 8:43 p.m.

A motion was made by Mr. McBride and seconded by Mrs. Demaline to adjourn the Special Meeting of Council, and the vote was: Mr. Radcliffe, “yes”; Ms. Berges, “yes”; Mrs. Demaline, “yes”; Mr. McBride, “yes”; Ms. Patton, “yes”; Mr. Fischer, “yes”.

The vote was 6 for and 0 against and the Chairman declared the motion passed.