

CITY OF GROVEPORT  
REPORT TO MAYOR AND COUNCIL

**June 13, 2016**

**ADMINISTRATION – Marsha Hall**

***Legislation***

Acceptance of Groveport-Madison Sewer Line (2<sup>nd</sup> Reading)

The installation of a new sewer line by GMHS was necessary because the old line would have run under the new high school. The new line has been installed, has been inspected, and is ready to be accepted by us for public use.

Amendment of 143.17 Wellness Program (1<sup>st</sup> Reading)

After allowing free use of the recreation center as an incentive while hiring lifeguards, I was asked by Council members to modify our policy to allow all part-time recreation employees free use of the center. At the same time, Kevin and I became aware that the federal government has made some changes to their rules as it pertains to wellness programs being a taxable benefit. Their latest rule is that you cannot require a medical examination for a true wellness program. If we do, this is not considered a wellness program and the benefit is considered taxable. We are proposing to modify the language to not include this requirement.

Acceptance of Easement – Groveport Madison Schools (1<sup>st</sup> Reading)

This easement is for the extension of the short piece of sidewalk missing from in front of Groveport Elementary School. The sidewalk is being installed as part of the Wirt Road Pedestrian Path Project Phase II. Please consider three reading and passage of this emergency legislation since the work is underway.

Volunteer Peace Officers' Dependents Fund (1<sup>st</sup> Reading)

This is recent passed Senate Bill 11 which does the following:

- \* Creates a State of Ohio Volunteer Peace Officers' Dependent Fund which provides death benefits to survivors of part-time and reserve police officers killed in the line of duty and disability benefits to those disabled in the line of duty.
- \* Requires those municipalities that employ volunteer officers to establish a volunteer peace officers' dependent fund board to administer claims for benefits from the fund.
- \* Requires the municipality to pay to the Treasurer of State an initial premium of \$300 to \$500 based on assessed property valuation. Also, requires the municipality to pay an additional premium of \$90 to \$150 if claims paid by the Fund have been reduced to 95% of its original capital amount.

***Miscellaneous***

Executive Session

I am requesting that Council consider going into executive session for economic development and personnel reasons.

***Meetings; Events***

Meetings Attended:

05/24 Meetings with DHs re. website content

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05/25 Meetings with DHs re. website content  
06/09 OML Board Meeting  
06/10 OML Board Planning Meeting

Upcoming Meetings/Events:

06/15 Experience Columbus Event @ Paddock Pub