MINUTES OF THE REGULAR HARVEY CITY COUNCIL MEETING MONDAY – JULY 11, 2022 -7:00 P.M.

Mayor Christopher J. Clark called the Regular City Council meeting for Monday – July 11, 2022, to order at 7:09 p.m.

Mayor Christopher J. Clark asked City Clerk Rosa Arambula to call roll of Council members: Present: Alderwomen Shirley Drewenski, Telanee Smith, Aldermen Tracy Key, Dominique

Randle -El, Tyrone Rogers and Mayor Christopher J. Clark.

Absent: Alderman Marshun Tolbert

The Invocation and Pledge was given by Alderman Rogers.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Mayor Clark called for a motion for approval of minutes for the Regular City Council Meeting dated June 27, 2022, and for the Committee of the Whole Meeting dated June 27, 2022.

Alderwoman Drewenski made the motion to approve Minutes.

The motion was seconded by Alderman Randle -El

Voting Aye: Alderman Randle El. Alderwomen Drewenski and Smith, Aldermen Rogers, and Key

Voting Nay: None Abstain: None

Absent: Alderman Tolbert

MOTION CARRIED

APPROVAL OF BILLS FOR PAYMENT:

Mayor Clark called for a motion for approval of the Bills for payment dated July 11, 2022.

Alderman Rogers stated that the Finance Committee recommends the approval of bill list.

Alderman Rogers made the motion to approve the Bills list.

The motion was seconded by Alderman Randle-El.

Voting Aye: Alderman Randle El, Alderwomen Smith, Drewenski and Alderman Rogers.

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Voting Nay: Alderman Key

Abstain: None

Absent: Alderman Tolbert

MOTION CARRIED

OLD BUSINESS: NONE NEW BUSINESS:

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS FOR THE CITY OF HARVEY.

<u>RESOLUTION # 3006</u> - A Resolution Authorizing the Mayor or Designee to Negotiate and Enter into an Agreement with DACRA Tech LLC (DACRA) to Implement a Municipal Enforcement System Subject to Final Legal Review and Approval.

Deputy Chief Biddings explained that this new software would make it easier to process etickets, tow fees, parking compliance and much more. This will make it a lot easier for the record staff to go into the system to track the citations. This program is \$2,000.00 a month for 500 tickets a month.

Mayor said this will give us a more centralized system.

Alderman Randle-El asked if this program would pay for itself.

Deputy Chief that it would pay for itself probably in the first year.

Alderman Key wanted to know if the tickets from previous year would be uploaded also.

Deputy Chief stated that they would load some years back but he wasn't sure how far back and he would find out and let the Council know later.

Alderwoman Drewenski asked if this would also help with the abandonment of vehicles in the City.

Deputy Chief Biddings said that this software would give out red flags like seven-day notices and they would see what abandoned vehicles were still out there.

Mayor Clark mentioned that this type of program gives the City of Harvey Police Department accountability, transparency, and credibility to show where the money is going from the police department.

Treasure Pickett asked if the individuals would receive a letter in the mail if they did not pay their bills on time.

Deputy Chief Biddings said they would receive letters in the mail if the individual forgot to pay their citation or needed a court date.

Mayor Clark said that the individual would receive their notifications in a timely fashion in the way they should.

Alderman Randle-El made the motion to approve the Resolution. The motion was seconded by Alderwoman Drewenski.

Voting Aye: Alderman Randle-El, Alderwoman Drewenski, Aldermen Rogers, Key, and

Alderwoman Smith. Voting Nay: None Abstain: None

Absent: Alderman Tolbert

MOTION CARRIED

PUBLIC COMMENT: NONE

Alderman Key asked the Mayor when they would open the meetings to the public.

Mayor Clark said that the Governor was still reissuing the Executive orders. So, he is not ready to open the meetings to the public. He commented that as soon as we could get back to opening the meetings to the public, he would be so elated to see the public again.

The Aldermen and Alderwomen all commended the Mayor and the City for a job well done on the Fourth of July parade and events.

ADJOURNMENT: TIME 7:46 P.M.

Mayor Clark called for adjournment

Alderman Rogers made the motion to adjourn meeting. The motion was second by Alderman Key

Voting Aye: Aldermen Randle- El, Key, Rogers, Alderwomen Drewenski and Smith.

Voting Nay: None Abstain: None

Absent: Alderman Tolbert

MOTION CARRIED

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