

CITY OF PATASKALA

COUNCIL MEETING

January 29, 2015

The Council of the City of Pataskala met in special session on January 29, 2015 at 7:00 PM in City Hall, located at 621 W. Broad Street. The pledge of allegiance was given and an invocation was provided. Roll Call: Fox, Barstow, Sagar, Hickin, and Gibson-present. Hayes and Lenzo were absent. Mayor Michael W. Compton presiding.

Mayor Compton stated, "The purpose of this special meeting is to discuss and allow public input regarding Granville Street on-street parking concerns."

Citizens' Comments

Emily Johnson, Brian McGuire, David Johnson, Jeff Tout, Jim Preece, Georgia Preece, Tom Clark, Csaba Tatrai, James Johnson, and Susan Withrow addressed Council these comments are available by audio recording through the Office of the Clerk of Council in accordance with the City's record retention schedule.

New Business

BJ King provided an overview of the issue as well as five options to address the problems.

Mayor Compton reported that neither the Police nor the Fire Department have experienced any problems with access to the residents on Granville Street.

Gibson explained the purpose of the meeting this evening.

Council discussed the comments made by the residents and attempted to answer some of the questions brought forward this evening.

Barstow suggested encouraging enforcement of the existing regulations that will help the situation.

Sagar noted this is a work in progress and was sure the speeding problem would be addressed.

Hickin noted his goal was to keep an open mind and to listen to all sides of the issue tonight. He also noted the letter received this evening from Mary Fox who is a resident on Granville Street.

Mr. King indicated the City will take all this under consideration and continue to look at the issues.

Fox noted this is probably an administrative decision and the City Administrator's recommendation should be brought to Council.

Barstow made a motion to adjourn. Seconded by Hickin. Roll Call: Fox, Barstow, Sagar, Hickin, and Gibson-yes. Mayor Compton declared the motion passed.

Meeting Adjourned.

Minutes approved February 17, 2015.

ATTEST:

Kathy M. Hoskinson, Clerk of Council

Melissa Gibson, Council President