

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 P.M. by Council President Martin S. Horwitz

Mayor Gorden stated that he would like to say a few words before the Agenda item is addressed.

Mayor Gorden stated that over the weekend there was a significant amount of robo-calls that were made to residents of the City.

Mayor Gorden stated that one of the phone calls was made at one-thirty in the morning.

Mr. Pasch asked what the robo-calls were regarding.

Mr. Jacobs stated that the phone calls were about the hot temperatures in regard to the elderly.

Mr. Jacobs stated that Ms. Simon knew nothing about the phone calls.

Mayor Gorden stated that there was some clearing going on in the City of Shaker Heights Park that is adjacent to Beachwood Park right at the corner near Sulgrave.

Mayor Gorden stated that the City is not clearing there and that was strictly Shaker Heights.

Mr. Berns asked if the Mayor was aware of a project where some of the residents have planted flowers in the City median close to the Beachwood and Shaker border.

Mayor Gorden stated that he was unaware of any project at that location.

FINANCE AND INSURANCE COMMITTEE

1. Submitted to Council an Ordinance amending Schedules A, B and D of the Administrative Salary Ordinance for the City of Beachwood; and declaring this to be an urgent measure.

ORDINANCE NO. 2016-95 – Introduced by Melvin M. Jacobs
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SCHEDULES A, B AND D OF THE
ADMINISTRATIVE SALARY ORDINANCE FOR THE CITY OF
BEACHWOOD; AND DECLARING THIS TO BE AN URGENT MEASURE

Moved by M. M. Jacobs, seconded by J. Berns, that Ordinance No. 2016-95 be placed on final reading.

Mrs. Kaplan stated that the Schedules are the same that have been presented in earlier committee meetings.

Mr. Horwitz stated that the intention of moving forward with this Ordinance in a Special Council Meeting is because the City has been working on looking at salaries and had anticipated finishing this task last year.

Mr. Horwitz stated that unfortunately the consultant has not given the information to Council as quickly as planned.

Mr. Horwitz stated that he did not want the City employees to suffer in the process.

Moved by M.M. Jacobs, seconded by J. Berns, that Ordinance No. 2016-95 be placed on final reading.

ROLL CALL	Yes:	J. Berns, M.S. Horwitz, M.M. Jacobs, B.B. Janovitz, B.H. Linick, J. Pasch
	Abstain:	None.
	No:	None.
	Not Voting:	None.
		MOTION ADOPTED-RULES SUSPENDED

Moved by M.M. Jacobs, seconded by J. Berns, that Ordinance No. 2016-95 be adopted.

ROLL CALL	Yes:	J. Berns, M.S. Horwitz, M.M. Jacobs, B.B. Janovitz, B.H. Linick, J. Pasch
	Abstain:	None.
	No:	None.
	Not Voting:	None.
		MOTION ADOPTED

Mayor Gorden thanked Council for passing this legislation for the employees.

Mr. Horwitz stated that the passing of this Ordinance was in part to address the urgent need of a City IT Department.

Mr. Horwitz stated that the passing of the resolution was in part to address the urgent need of a City IT Department.

Moved by M.S. Horwitz seconded by, J. Pasch to adjourn the Special Council Meeting at 6:15 P.M. to the next regularly scheduled Council Meeting.

MOTION ADOPTED

Whitney M. Cook
Clerk


Mayor