

# Canal Winchester

*City Hall  
Council Chambers  
45 East Waterloo Street  
Canal Winchester, OH 43110*



## Meeting Minutes - FINAL

November 7, 2022

7:00 PM

### City Council

*Chuck Milliken - President*

*Bob Clark - Vice President*

*Laurie Amick*

*Jill Amos*

*Steve Buskirk*

*Patrick Shea*

*Mike Walker*

- A. Call To Order *Milliken called the meeting to order at 7:33 p.m.*
- B. Pledge of Allegiance - Walker
- C. Roll Call *Present 7 – Amick, Amos, Buskirk, Clark, Milliken, Shea, Walker*
- D. Approval of Minutes

**MIN-22-043**

October 17, 2022 Work Session Minutes

**Discussion started at 2:27 on YouTube channel*****A motion was made by Walker, seconded by Amos to approve MIN-22-043 with the modification. The motion carried with the following vote:******Yes 7 – Walker, Amos, Buskirk, Clark, Milliken, Shea, Amick*****MIN-22-044**

October 17, 2022 City Council Minutes

**Discussion started at 2:52 on YouTube channel*****A motion was made by Buskirk, seconded by Shea to approve MIN-22-044 with the modification. The motion carried with the following vote:******Yes 7 – Buskirk, Shea, Walker, Amick, Amos, Clark, Milliken***

- E. Communications & Petitions

**COM-22-017**

Ohio Department of Liquor Control Letter

- F. Public Comments - Five Minute Limit Per Person

**Discussion started at 4:08 on YouTube channel**

*Ray Mowery, 789 Groveport Road – My wife and I live at 789 Groveport Road, and I've lived there since 1987. I've worked for Canal Winchester Schools for 27 plus years and have been retired for a few now. My neighbors are Joyce Minor and Bob Bennett. They live at 769 Groveport Road. We live in the six string of houses on Groveport Road and we kind of feel like we're the forgotten part of the city. A lot of things have been going on in that area which I want to make you aware of at least two of them. The first one is the noise problem. I do have a question, is there a noise ordinance for Canal Winchester? How do I get that started to get that put into place? I would like to know if citizens can get something started on that or can I work with the Council or on a committee? We have been putting up with BrewDog noise continually since they built that place. It all came to head for me on October 13<sup>th</sup>, which is a Thursday night, a work night, and a school night. They started music and it didn't end until 11:15 p.m. I was told by the Deputy Sheriff that there was a noise ordinance, but it didn't kick in until 10:30 p.m. I figured there probably wasn't one because the music went on until after 11:00 p.m. The music is so loud in my house that my windows vibrate upstairs. It's unbelievable and after about 20 or 30 minutes of that you just want to bang your head against the wall. It never stopped until after 11:15 p.m. that night. We put up with it on weekends, we put up with it on holidays but there's no excuse to be putting up with it on a work night when you have to get up at 5:30 a.m. It was intolerable. I went over to BrewDog, and the deputy came. The manager put the garage doors down and he asked me where I lived. I told him I live across Groveport Road. He laughed and put the garage doors back up. He was not willing to do anything since I didn't live there. So, I want to know how we start establishing a noise ordinance in the city. We need one. The six houses are probably the only ones that it affects in the whole city. If you lived in one of the six houses you would know what I was talking about. So, you're telling me I can take my car, roll the windows down, and blast the music in front of someone's house? There's no problem with that if there's no noise ordinance because that's what they're doing to us. Now, they're advertising every Thursday and Saturday, live music. In the wintertime its inside and they have the garage doors down so we can't hear it but, in the summertime, they have music twice a week. It's going to be ridiculous. Again, Thursday night is a work night. If you can get back to me to how we can get that started, I would be more than happy to work on a committee to do that. The second major thing I want to talk about is back on September 26<sup>th</sup>, 2019, you hired contractors to do work out in front of our*

house repairing the sewer line. During that work they used a tamper continually for hours. That tamper caused over \$15,000.00 of damage to my house and I still don't have it all repaired. It caused extreme damage to my neighbor's house also. I think he's fixed most of his but its continuing. I got a packet which I'll give you before I leave. I've been trying to work this out without going to litigation. It is in my lawyer's hands now. I told him I did not want to go to court if I didn't have to, but I will. It's just the fact that we shouldn't have to pay for what you guys caused. Not you guys but the people you hired. Last but not least, Rumpke can't remember to pick up our trash. Almost every week one of the two services don't pick up our garbage. Either the garbage or the recycling. This week was the first time probably in three months that they picked them both up on the right day without one of us calling. I made several phone calls. I know Joyce has emailed and called also. It sits out there sometimes until the next week. It's a minor thing I realize but the next time it comes up for bid maybe you can do something. I would appreciate that.

**Discussion started at 11:16 on YouTube channel**

Bob Bennett, 769 Groveport Road – I'm Ray's neighbor. I've lived over there for over five years now and we've been putting up with this sound situation over at BrewDog. Joyce and I will go over there and just say, can we talk to the manager about the noise and let them know they're causing our windows to vibrate. It could be a Saturday evening at 8:30 p.m. and we're trying to watch whatever our favorite show is. This must come to an end. Let's just get the noise worked out. I know this is a pet project of our Mayor and I've sent him emails about it. It really must come to an end. Let's just get a noise ordinance in order and I'll be happy to help with Ray also. The noise sometimes can just be asinine. I've invited the mayor to come over to our place and just sit in our driveway. He hasn't made it yet but at any rate a noise ordinance would be a fantastic idea. As far as Ray and the tampering, Ray took off to go to a Notre Dame game Friday evening, but Joyce and I were there and witnessed the whole thing with the tampering. It really was unbelievable. When the first wave came through about a half a day later, I called the USGS to see if we had like an earthquake. It had done some damage to our place, but I can do about anything in a home. I can do handy stuff all day long. I brought a picture of some of our damage but it's just drywall for us so it's not a big deal. Ray had some very significant damage. He was right in front of the tamper, and it completely moved both of his slabs of concrete. Our slab of our garage moved a little bit and we've had some archways that were hit. It's come back three different times now since this tampering incident started. At any rate, I think Ray needs his money. He's got a lot of money that he's already put out to get it fixed and he didn't hire this guy. He was hired by the city. Thank you very much for your time.

**Discussion started at 14:09 on YouTube channel**

Denise Mathias, Canal Winchester Chamber of Commerce – I'm just here to say once again how much we appreciate your consideration on the vote this evening for the chamber. I'd like to thank those of you that came out to the Running Scared 5k and Health Fair that we had at the High School. It was a great first run at a Health Fair and we look forward to doing more of them. We have a board meeting on Thursday, and it would be great to share some good information with them and create our plans for beyond January of 2023.

**Discussion started at 15:17 on YouTube channel**

Jennifer Gillespie, 37 Liberty Street/43 Liberty Street – This is regarding the 30 Liberty Street development. I represent both 37 and 43 Liberty Street. I've called that my home for the last 18 years. That said Christina and I understand the desire to continue developing Canal both good and bad that includes Liberty Street. As many of you know the painting they have done so far, it already looks much better. However, whether we'll be here or not these remain concerns for our child's safety for those who live on Liberty Street. These concerns were raised in the letter you all received last month I believe. We are here tonight in hopes that these concerns are addressed via the Council members. If you do not have a copy of those concerns, I am able to read them to you one at a time if you need to one being a noise ordinance. That's one of our biggest concerns with the new development going in on 30 Liberty Street. In closing, I just want to thank you for your time. We do wish all of those investing in Canal, including businesses and homeowners are successful and everyone supports solutions where everyone wins. Thank you for your time and consideration.

**G. Reports of City Officials and Staff****Mayor's Report – Discussion started at 17:32 on YouTube channel**

Ebert – I just want to remind everybody of the Veterans Day Ceremony coming up this Saturday morning. 8:30 a.m. is going to be the breakfast for the Veterans at the Community Center and then about 10:00 a.m. they'll be marching to Stradley Greenspace where we'll have the ceremony. Prescription Drug Take Back Day we had on Saturday, October 29<sup>th</sup> and we took in 52 pounds of prescription drugs. It actually was quite low compared to what we've taken in the past. We've taken in as much as 113 before.

**October 2022 Mayor's Court Report**

**A motion was made by Shea, seconded by Walker to approve the October 2022 Mayor's Court Report. The motion carried with the following vote:**

**Yes 7 – Shea, Walker, Amick, Amos, Buskirk, Clark, Milliken**

**Fairfield County Sheriff – Discussion started at 18:41 on YouTube channel**

Sgt. Walker – I provided you all my written statement. I don't have anything to add to that. Mr. Shea already pointed out that I forgot the paper that I was supposed to put in there for Mr. Clark. I'll put it in the next one. I'll take any questions if you have any.

**Law Director – Discussion started at 19:04 on YouTube channel**

Boggs – I do have a report that is in your packet this evening that was addressed during the Work Session discussion. Also, we do have a request for executive session at the end of this evening's meeting.

**Finance Director****Public Service Director – Discussion started at 19:37 on YouTube channel**

Peoples – Other than the really exciting news we got this morning, the estimate for Gender Road Phase Six is a \$3 million project. The funding is scheduled for fiscal year of 2024 which starts July 1<sup>st</sup> of 2023. Again, just a reminder the main component of this project is pedestrian access across 33 from Winchester Boulevard to Friendship Kitchen. The Sheetz development will also have the same path going up to the corner of Winchester Boulevard. We'll also have a Northbound turn lane from Northbound Gender Road to Eastbound 33 going towards Lancaster. That is going to be a huge component of this as well from a traffic flow standpoint. Having that other turn lane in there is going to be a definite help. The pedestrian access it'll reconfigure the on-ramp from Northbound Gender Road onto Westbound 33 as well. The conceptual design had it to where it was going to eliminate basically the continuous loop on-ramp and the access will be at the intersection itself where the existing traffic signal is. Again, I don't have a timeline other than it's in fiscal year of 2024. We'll keep you up to date on that. The only other thing I want to talk about, I know Mrs. Jackson talked about this in the budget presentation, we're working with Violet Township to share a roadside mower. This is about a \$100,000.00 piece of equipment. As we came together we thought that we could utilize this and save some money. They have two of these units. One of them has a boom arm on it to reach some of the backside areas of their operation. We've always wanted one of those as well. Looking forward to that.

Shea – So, you and Violet already worked out what days you are going to get it?

Peoples – Not yet. We kind of talked internally about the concept of it and trying to figure out each other's schedules were. I did a mock up calendar but we haven't reached back out to them. We had a meeting but we weren't sure if it was going to make the budget or not. We'll be working through some of the details behind a shared use agreement type of thing.

**Development Director – Discussion started at 24:18 on YouTube channel**

Haire – The Comprehensive Plan Community Survey that has now hit peoples mailboxes here in Canal Winchester. There's a postcard that's been mailed to more than 2,700 addresses within the city. Those direct the recipient with a

QR code to log into a survey and then they can fill that survey out online. We anticipated that those would be in mailboxes last Wednesday but we had some delays with the Post Office and getting those delivered. They weren't actually delivered till today but I do know that many residents have received those today so hopefully we'll get a good response to that. We've initially scheduled that for completion by November 14<sup>th</sup> so people have one week to complete that survey. We're hoping to collect more than 500 responses from those 2,700 residents to get us a statistically valid result. We did mail out the required annual notification to all residents that live in the Old Town Preservation District that was passed by Council earlier this year. That did cause a lot of confusion amongst residents. We're up to 46 or 47 different households that have called in with questions about that. Most are concerned that they felt like they were doing something wrong and that's why they received the notice. We also have talked to a number of people that have said they're considering doing a project. Both the good and the bad of doing something new but that's part of the education process so hopefully in the future we won't receive as many calls. I know Mr. Moore has done a great job dealing with the residents that have called in regards to that. In regards to 30 Liberty Street, that is on the Landmarks Commission agenda still. Landmarks did give them preliminary approval or actual approval to paint the building but that's the only approval they've received thus far. None of the other changes proposed there have been approved yet so that remains on the agenda. They did give the approval to paint the building which is now either taken place or is still underway to complete that painting prior to the winter weather sitting in.

Amos – Just to clarify because we did have a resident ask the question. At this point in time Council is not being asked to consider or make any decisions in regards to that building.

Haire – That's correct. There's no application in front of you. The building is zoned Old Town Commercial which permits any of the uses that they're proposing or looking to propose in the building.

Amos – So, Council has no ability or input on this at this time?

Haire – Correct.

Shea – Have any of the residents that have expressed concerns to us including Ms. Gillespie and her neighbors that we've received corresponds from been in touch with development about their safety concerns and noise concerns?

Haire – A number of residents on Liberty Street have been spoken with by Mr. Moore either on the phone or in person in regards to the application. We've shared the application with them.

Shea – Are we able to answer their safety concerns? I can understand because I have children.

Haire – I don't know what the resolution to a safety concern for a permitted use would be.

Shea – I think we should probably explore those safety concerns with those residents a little deeper so maybe we can see what we got.

Haire – We have a zoning code that directs how we handle applications. There's nothing within any application which hasn't been filed yet. It's a presumptive application, the only application in front of us is modifications to the exterior of the building within the Preservation District.

Shea – There is no zoning change needed though, correct?

Haire – Correct.

## H. Resolutions

**RES-22-045**

Mayor

Sponsor: Milliken

A RESOLUTION TO APPROVE THE APPLICATION FILED BY THE MAYOR THEREBY CREATING A DESIGNATED OUTDOOR REFRESHMENT AREA IN OLD TOWN CANAL WINCHESTER AND ENACTING REGULATIONS

*- Adoption*

*A motion was made by Milliken, seconded by Shea to amend RES-22-045 to include the Labor Day hours as discussed in Work Session. The motion carried with the following vote:*

*Yes 7 – Milliken, Shea, Walker, Amick, Amos, Buskirk, Clark*

*A motion was made by Milliken, seconded by Shea to adopt RES-22-045. The motion carried with the following vote:*

*Yes – Milliken, Shea, Walker, Amick, Amos, Buskirk, Clark*

**RES-22-046**

Public Service

Sponsor: Amos

A RESOLUTION TO ADOPT THE FIVE-YEAR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PLAN/MAINTENANCE OF EFFORT FOR THE CALENDAR YEARS 2023-2027 FOR THE CITY OF CANAL WINCHESTER, OHIO

*- Adoption*

*A motion was made by Amos, seconded by Clark to adopt RES-22-046. The motion carried with the following vote:*

*Yes 7 – Amos, Clark, Milliken, Shea, Walker, Amick, Buskirk*

**I. Ordinances*****Third Reading*****ORD-22-037**

Council

Sponsor: Amick

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FINANCIAL SUPPORT TO THE CANAL WINCHESTER CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

*- Adoption*

*A motion was made by Shea, seconded by Milliken to amend ORD-22-037 adding a clause to make a condition of the agreement that the Chamber authorize a Council liaison to attend board meetings. The motion carried with the following vote:*

*Yes 5 – Shea, Milliken, Amick, Buskirk, Clark*

*No 1 – Amos*

*Abstain 1 – Walker*

*A motion was made by Amick, seconded by Shea to adopt ORD-22-037. The motion carried with the following vote:*

*Yes 5 – Amick, Shea, Buskirk, Clark, Milliken*

*No 1 – Amos*

*Abstain 1 - Walker*

**Discussion started at 32:41 on YouTube channel**

*Shea – I'd like to make a change. I'd like to add a City Council member to be on the board of the chamber so that we*

*are keeping an eye on the funds.*

*Clark – That would be up to the chamber.*

*Milliken – The chamber would have to put that forward.*

*Shea – I'm making a requirement.*

*Amick – Are you asking the person to sit on the board or to be a liaison to council like we have for Human Services and CWJRD?*

*Shea – I can work with that. The liaison works for me.*

*Amick – So, when we do our January organizational meetings we select someone from Council to sit on the CWICC as a liaison, the CWJRD, Destination, etc. I think the ask is to have that same situation for the Chamber of Commerce. Do we require legislation to do that?*

*Boggs – I guess if the desire is to make the chamber allowing somebody to come to their meetings and serve in that role if that is to be a condition of this grant agreement then we should include that in this ordinance. If you simply want to do that in the way that you do for Destination or the other non-profits that Council has liaisons for that could just be done at your organizational meeting at the beginning of the year or really at any time.*

*Amos – I'm totally on board because we had this conversation a couple weeks ago but I guess one of my questions would be, do they need to check their bylaws to see what their bylaws accept when it comes to adding somebody to their board or even in a liaison position?*

*Denise Mathias –*

*Amick – It's a non-voting representation of Council to report back to Council.*

*Milliken – My only addition to that would be that situation can lapse after the three-year period. Is that okay?*

*Shea – For sure.*

*Amick – Certainly. Again, I think I've beaten a dead horse here but I want to continue my support and express my support for this proposal. It is one of the most complete proposals that I've seen. For me it's a show of support to the existing businesses in the City of Canal Winchester. The chamber has acknowledged that they have shortcomings and they have laid out an articulated plan of how they would like to overcome those shortcomings. This is also a short-term investment. They're not asking for funding in perpetuity. It is a short-term investment tied to very specific performance objectives. There is an out clause if after the end of two years they're not performing that we do not have to continue to fund them for year three.*

*Amos – Just too kind of give a little logic behind the reason why I am going to vote the way I am. This has kind of been compared to the CWJRD the whole time which is a city and school joint partnership. We've established that right now this is not a partnership at all with the city. There's been no room for negotiations. When we did the CWJRD position we spent a year between the school and the city negotiating the position, the salary, the title, and the terms. We went to Council and negotiated all these terms. What we originally proposed is not what we came to an end too. This position there's been no negotiation on the salary. There's been no negotiation on the terms. There's been no negotiations to any of the suggestions offered. There's value in the chamber, wholeheartedly agree but out of the residents that I've asked and just the ones who have approached me, the city residents don't want to*

*pick up the tab. In the short amount of time we've had this, we've not moved anywhere with it. It's been the same request the entire time so my vote at this point is no.*

*Clark – It's a tough vote for me too. I believe in the chamber. I believe in what a chamber should do for a city. Obviously ours is struggling. I know they brought a decent proposal together but there are things that could have been done that I don't think they took steps to improve their financial situation on their own. My bigger concern of all this is it goes back to the totality of the entire budget. We have the Police Study coming forth that might say we need (x) amount of officers. We don't know what that is yet. I've got some assurance and the mayor feels strongly that it's not going to be a large number of police that's needed. The budget is in good shape. It's only a 1.4% increase over last year. I do have concerns and I struggle with this. I've struggled with this more than a lot of stuff.*

*Milliken – So, would have I liked to have seen more negotiation? Yes I really would but everybody in this town sees the growth that we're having and I just can't imagine us not having a strong chamber. I understand it's not strong at the moment but they have a vision. I share that vision. I would like to see a strong chamber.*

### **Second Reading**

#### **ORD-22-038**

*Construction Services  
Sponsor: Milliken*

AN ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH QUALITY CONTROL INSPECTION, INC. FOR CONSULTING SERVICES RELATING TO CONSTRUCTION INSPECTION FOR THE PERIOD FROM JANUARY 01, 2023 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2025

*- Second Reading Only*

#### **ORD-22-039**

*Finance  
Sponsor: Shea*

AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE EDITING AND INCLUSION OF CERTAIN ORDINANCES AS PARTS OF THE VARIOUS COMPONENT CODES OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF CANAL WINCHESTER, OHIO

*- Second Reading Only*

#### **ORD-22-041**

*Finance  
Sponsor: Shea*

AN ORDINANCE TO MAKE APPROPRIATIONS FOR CURRENT EXPENSES AND OTHER EXPENDITURES OF THE CITY OF CANAL WINCHESTER, STATE OF OHIO, DURING THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2023, AND TO AUTHORIZE APPROVED INTERFUND TRANSFERS

*- Second Reading Only*

### **First Reading**

#### **ORD-22-042**

*Finance  
Sponsor: Milliken*

AN ORDINANCE CREATING NEW POSITIONS AND ESTABLISHING RESPECTIVE PAY RANGES FOR THE CITY OF CANAL WINCHESTER

*- First Reading Only*

#### **ORD-22-043**

*Finance  
Sponsor: Shea*

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF PERSONNEL PRACTICES

*- First Reading Only*

#### **ORD-22-044**

*Finance  
Sponsor: Amick*

AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH CITY EMPLOYEE SALARY RANGES

*- First Reading Only*

#### **ORD-22-045**

*Finance  
Sponsor: Shea*

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CANAL WINCHESTER TO PICK UP A PORTION OF THE STATUTORILY REQUIRED CONTRIBUTION TO THE OHIO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR CERTAIN EMPLOYEES OF THE



## CITY OF CANAL WINCHESTER PURSUANT TO IRC SECTION 414(H)(2)

- First Reading Only

**ORD-22-046**

Finance

Sponsor: Shea

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CANAL WINCHESTER TO PICK UP A PORTION OF THE STATUTORILY REQUIRED CONTRIBUTION TO THE OHIO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR CERTAIN EMPLOYEES OF THE CITY OF CANAL WINCHESTER PURSUANT TO IRC SECTION 414(H)(2)

- First Reading Only

**ORD-22-047**

Finance

Sponsor: Amos

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CANAL WINCHESTER TO PICK UP THE STATUTORILY REQUIRED CONTRIBUTION TO THE OHIO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR CERTAIN EMPLOYEES OF THE CITY OF CANAL WINCHESTER PURSUANT TO IRC SECTION 414(H)(2)

- First Reading Only

**ORD-22-048**

Mayor

Sponsor: Buskirk

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CODE REFERENCES TO THE CONSTRUCTION SERVICES ADMINISTRATOR POSITION TO THE DIRECTOR OF CONSTRUCTION SERVICES POSITION

- First Reading Only

***A motion was made by Shea, seconded by Buskirk to suspend the rules and waive the second and third reading of ORD-22-048. The motion carried with the following vote:***

***Yes 7 – Shea, Buskirk, Clark, Milliken, Walker, Amick, Amos***

***A motion was made by Shea, seconded by Buskirk to adopt ORD-22-048. The motion carried with the following vote:***

***Yes 7 – Shea, Buskirk, Clark, Milliken, Walker, Amick, Amos***

**J. Council Reports**

*Work Session/Council - Monday, November 21, 2022 at 6:00 p.m.*

*Work Session/Council - Monday, December 5, 2022 at 6:00 p.m.*

*CW Human Services – Walker*

**Discussion started at 48:33 on YouTube channel**

*Walker – This is coming from Aletha Mullins. Right now we are preparing for Thanksgiving. We have partnered once again with CWLS and Byron Saunders Foundation to make our bags and then we will provide produce, turkey, milk, eggs, butter, and all clients that come during distribution. They will also get to shop in the pantry as normal as well. We also started the plan for the annual Adopt A Family program during the month of October. We helped 100 more clients than last month through the Community Food Pantry. It is at the end of the growing season of the community garden beds and they have been cleaned out for the year. Also, as a reminder Santa stockings have been distributed to several local businesses to collect change for Adopt A Family. December 10<sup>th</sup> will be the second annual Reindeer Games sign-up and can be done on Destination Canal's page.*

*CWICC - Amick*

**Discussion started at 50:08 on YouTube channel**

*Amick – I have nothing new to report. Our next meeting will be November 30<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 a.m. here in Council Chambers. I would just like to remind the public that it is open to the public.*

*CWJRD - Amos/Shea*

**Discussion started at 50:23 on YouTube channel**

Shea – CWJRD is lots of fun. Soccer got great reviews on the new commissioner and we had a great commissioner before that so it's nice to see the programs improving. The recreation director is doing a really nice job of coordinating leagues and making sure that the children who want to play have opportunities to play. Sports are good for building character for children.

Amos – On the administrative side we did hire a new part-time person. Emily Sweeney joined us on the CWJRD. She'll be working on some new programming as well as doing some website transitioning for us and some updates to our PR stuff. Those two will start gearing soon towards a levy which is great. Our next meeting is November 17<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. in Town Hall.

**Destination: Canal Winchester - Milliken**

**Discussion started at 51:18 on YouTube channel**

Milliken – Skelton Competition was a huge success. There was 39 entries. The winners were announced on the Destination Canal Winchester Facebook page. The first Winter Farmer's Market was Saturday November 5<sup>th</sup>. The weather has been quite cooperative so far this Fall. The next Winter Farmer's Market will be January 7<sup>th</sup>. That will likely be indoors due to cold temperatures. Christmas in the Village is December 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>. The Destination Canal Winchester Holiday Bazaar will be held in the new Community Center. A great lineup of vendors and the Dickens Christmas Village and train display will be back. Also, Reindeer Games will be held on December 10<sup>th</sup>. Posters have been put up around town but also follow Destination Canal Winchester Facebook page for more information or the website. Just click on the events tab and go to Reindeer Games.

**K. Old/New Business****Discussion started at 52:22 on YouTube channel**

Milliken – As were going through our meeting this evening, I would just make the request to Council that in the future if we have questions that we'd like to ask members of the public that are in attendance maybe we just ask them to approach the microphone first before we just ask the question. It will make it a little easier on Miss. Pearce.

**L. Adjourn to Executive Session @ 8:26 p.m.**

***A motion was made by Milliken, seconded by Shea to adjourn to executive session to consider confidential information related to specific business strategy of an applicant for economic development assistance under sections 3735.67 through 3735.70 and 5709.40 through 5709.43 of the Ohio Revised Code 121.22 G(8) The motion carried with the following vote:***

***Yes 7 – Milliken, Shea, Walker, Amick, Amos, Buskirk, Clark***

***A motion was made by Milliken, seconded by Buskirk to adjourn to executive session to confer with the attorney for the city concerning pending or imminent court action under Ohio Revised Code Section 121.22(G)(3). The motion carried with the following vote:***

***Yes 7 – Milliken, Buskirk, Clark, Shea, Walker, Amick, Amos***

*City Council returned from Executive Session at 8:45 p.m.*

**M. Adjournment @ 8:46 p.m.**

***A motion was made by Shea, seconded by Amos to adjourn. The motion carried with the following vote:***

***Yes 7 – Shea, Amos, Buskirk, Clark, Milliken, Walker, Amick***