



Ravenna City Council
Community & Economic Development Committee Meeting Minutes
May 13, 2024

The public meeting was held in person in Ravenna City Council Chambers.

Council present: Rob Kairis, Amy Michael, Paul Moskun, Tyler Marovich, Tim Calfee, Christina West, Matt Harper

Also attending the meeting: Mayor Frank Seman; Service Director, Tim Contant; Finance Director, Brian Huff; Assistant Finance Director, Tami Lorence; Council Clerk, Chelsea Gregor; Cliff Soudil, John Sferra, Mike Bogo, Amy Young, Cynthia Miller, Richard Miller, Larry Silenius

The Community & Economic Development Committee Meeting was called to order at 6:25 P.M. by Chairperson, Cheryl Wood.

The first item was the approval of the annual Tax Incentive Review Council (TIRC) minutes.

The item is an annual housekeeping item to review and approve the TIRC minutes. The minutes have to be reviewed by the City, School District and County which reviews abatement agreements.

- The item was forwarded.

The second item was the CHIP grant application.

The item is a partnership between Portage County, Streetsboro and Ravenna to apply for a joint grant for home repairs and housing rehabilitations. The City has applied for the grant for the past 30 years and is seeking the maximum total grant amount.

- The item was forwarded.

Management Update

Ms. Michael noted that the new park across the street is moving along.

Mr. Bogo explained that the new park next to Guido's should be finished by late June and that the budget looks good to do sidewalk repairs. He said that the curb will be extended, and that the arches will take longer to do with the electrical work that will need to be done.

There being no further business for discussion, the meeting was adjourned at 6:35 P.M.
ATTEST:

Clerk of Council

Cheryl Wood, Chairperson
Community & Economic Development