
ROCKLEDGE CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19, 2020 ♦ 6:00 P.M.

1. CALL TO ORDER / ROLL CALL

The Rockledge City Council met in regular session on Wednesday, August 19, 2020, at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber at Rockledge City Hall, 1600 Huntington Lane, Rockledge, Florida.

PRESENT:	Thomas J. Price	Mayor
	Michael A. Cadore	Councilmember, Seat #1
	Dr. R. Shaun Ferguson	Councilmember, Seat #2
	Sammie Brown Martin	Councilmember, Seat #3
	Frank T. Forester	Councilmember, Seat #4
	Duane A. Daski	Councilmember, Seat #5
	Ted J. Hartselle	Councilmember, Seat #6
	Joseph E. Miniclier	City Attorney
	Dr. Brenda Fettrow	City Manager
	Jennifer M. LeVasseur	City Clerk & Public Relations Officer

STAFF PRESENT:	Matthew Trine	Assistant City Manager & Finance Director
	Donna Seyferth	Deputy Police Chief
	James Wilson	Deputy Fire Chief
	C. Kenneth Poole	Public Works Director
	James Elmore	Wastewater Treatment & Water Reclamation Director
	Trina Gilliam	City Planner

With a quorum present, the meeting was called to order by Chairman Thomas J. Price.

2. INVOCATION

- The invocation was given by Councilman Hartselle.

3. SALUTE TO THE FLAG AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

- A salute was given to the flag and the Pledge of Allegiance was repeated in unison.

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A. Minutes of Regular Meeting on July 15, 2020

Councilman Daski moved to approve the minutes of the regular meeting on July 15, 2020; seconded by Councilwoman Martin. The motion carried unanimously (7).

B. Minutes of Council Budget Workshop on August 5, 2020

Councilman Daski moved to approve the minutes of the Council Budget Workshop on August 5, 2020; seconded by Councilwoman Martin. The motion carried unanimously (7).

5. PRESENTATIONS

NOT AN AGENDA ITEM

Councilman Cadore introduced four individuals in the audience who are mentees of the Councilman:

- Jamel Jackson, Cocoa High School and University of West Florida graduate, recently offered a position with Seminole County Sheriff's Office
- Joshua Aguirre, graduate of Viera High School
- Latavius Toney, currently studying Criminal Justice at Florida Atlantic University

Mayor Price gifted each individual with a commemorative City pin.

6. FINANCIAL / BUDGET REPORT

- Month of July 2020

Councilman Ferguson moved to be in receipt of the Financial/Budget Report for the month of July 2020; seconded by Councilwoman Martin. The motion passed by unanimous vote (7).

7. PUBLIC HEARINGS / ORDINANCES / RESOLUTIONS

- ##### A. Ordinance: Second Reading and Public Hearing, Ordinance No. 1778-2020, Amending Section 1.1(A)(36) of the City of Rockledge Fire Employees Retirement Plan; Amending Section 1.1(A)(32) of the City of Rockledge General Employees Retirement Plan; Amending Section 1.1(A)(34) of the City of Rockledge Police Employees Retirement Plan

Councilman Daski offered Ordinance No. 1778-2020 entitled "ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ROCKLEDGE, FLORIDA, AMENDING SECTION 1.1(A)(36) OF THE CITY OF ROCKLEDGE FIRE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT PLAN; AMENDING SECTION 1.1(A)(32) OF THE CITY OF ROCKLEDGE GENERAL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT PLAN; AMENDING SECTION 1.1(A)(34) OF THE CITY OF

ROCKLEDGE POLICE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT PLAN; PROVIDING FOR THE RECOGNITION OF CROSS-CREDIT FROM OTHER CITY PLANS, WHICH CROSS-CREDIT SHALL COUNT FOR VESTING PURPOSES ONLY; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR EFFECTIVE DATE" **and moved for the second reading of the Ordinance by title only and to open the matter for public hearing; seconded by Councilwoman Martin. The motion carried by unanimous vote (7).**

City Attorney Miniclier read aloud the title of the Ordinance for the second reading. Chairman Price declared the matter open to the public for discussion.

There being no public comment, Chairman Price declared the public hearing to be closed.

Councilman Daski moved for the adoption of the Ordinance; seconded by Councilman Hartselle. Voting for the motion: Mayor Price and Councilmembers Cadore, Ferguson, Martin, Forester, Daski and Hartselle. The motion carried by unanimous vote (7).

- B. Ordinance: First Reading, Deleting Section 56.20(d), Placement of Utility Poles, of the Rockledge Land Development Regulations

Councilman Ferguson offered an Ordinance entitled "AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ROCKLEDGE, BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, DELETING SECTION 56.20(d) "PLACEMENT OF UTILITY POLES" FROM THE ROCKLEDGE LAND DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS; DECLARING THAT INVALIDITY OF ANY PORTION HEREOF SHALL NOT AFFECT THE REMAINING PORTIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE; PROVIDING FOR THE EFFECTIVE DATE HEREOF AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES" and moved for the first reading of the Ordinance by title only; seconded by Councilwoman Martin. The motion carried unanimously (7).

City Attorney Miniclier read aloud the title of the Ordinance for the first reading.

Councilwoman Martin moved to authorize publication and a public hearing to be held on September 9, 2020; seconded by Councilman Forester. The motion carried by unanimous vote (7).

- C. Ordinance: First Reading, Amending Part VIII, Special Regulation/Uses in Zoning Districts, of the Rockledge Land Development Regulations by Adding Section 80.26, Dog Friendly Dining

Councilman Ferguson offered an Ordinance entitled "AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ROCKLEDGE, BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, AMENDING PART VIII OF THE LAND DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS BY ADDING A NEW SECTION 80.26 - "DOG FRIENDLY DINING" TO

THE LAND DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS PERMITTED UNDER §509.233, FLORIDA STATUTES, ESTABLISHING DEFINITIONS AND CREATING PROVISIONS FOR THE REGULATION OF SAID DOG FRIENDLY DINING; DECLARING THAT INVALIDITY OF ANY PORTION HEREOF SHALL NOT AFFECT THE REMAINING PORTIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE; PROVIDING FOR THE EFFECTIVE DATE HEREOF AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES" **and moved for the first reading of the Ordinance by title only; seconded by Councilwoman Martin. The motion carried unanimously (7).**

City Attorney Miniclier read aloud the title of the Ordinance for the first reading.

Councilman Ferguson moved to authorize publication and a public hearing to be held on September 9, 2020; seconded by Councilwoman Martin. The motion carried by unanimous vote (7).

- D. Ordinance: First Reading, Amending Part VIII, Special Regulation/Uses in Zoning Districts, of the Rockledge Land Development Regulations by Adding Section 80.08.1, Brewpub, Microbrewery, Micro-winery or Micro-distillery

Councilman Daski offered an Ordinance entitled "AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ROCKLEDGE, BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, AMENDING PART VIII OF THE ROCKLEDGE LAND DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS TO ESTABLISH THE REGULATIONS AND STANDARDS FOR BREWPUB, MICROBREWERY, MICRO-WINERY AND MICRO-DISTILLERY BY ADDING A SECTION 80.08.1 TO THE ROCKLEDGE LAND DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS; DECLARING THAT INVALIDITY OF ANY PORTION HEREOF SHALL NOT AFFECT THE REMAINING PORTIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE; PROVIDING FOR THE EFFECTIVE DATE HEREOF AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES" and moved for the first reading of the Ordinance by title only; seconded by Councilwoman Martin. The motion carried unanimously (7).

City Attorney Miniclier read aloud the title of the Ordinance for the first reading.

Councilman Daski moved to authorize publication and a public hearing to be held on September 9, 2020; seconded by Councilman Hartselle. The motion carried by unanimous vote (7).

8. REPORTS FROM BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

Councilman Ferguson moved to be in receipt of the minutes of the following meetings:

- Code Enforcement Board, Minutes of Regular Meeting on July 9, 2020

- Council Administrative, Personnel and Community Relations Committee, Minutes of Meeting on July 28, 2020
- Planning Commission, Minutes of Regular Meeting on August 4, 2020

and to consider independently any recommendations contained therein; seconded by Councilwoman Martin. The motion passed unanimously (7).

- A. Code Enforcement Board, Minutes of Regular Meeting on July 9, 2020 (no recommendation)
- B. Council Administrative, Personnel and Community Relations Committee, Minutes of Meeting on July 28, 2020

1. Recommendation: Adoption of Amendments to the Personnel Policies and Procedure Manual

...recommend adoption of the amendments to the Personnel Policies and Procedure Manual and to forward the recommendation to City Council...

City Manager Fettrow explained that the Council Administrative, Personnel and Community Relations Committee performed an extensive review of the Manual after a separate Staff committee conducted a thorough review and edit process. A labor attorney reviewed the Manual and provided modifications as well.

Councilman Daski moved to accept the recommendation and adopt the amended Personnel Policies and Procedure Manual; seconded by Councilwoman Martin. The motion passed unanimously (7).

2. Recommendation: Adoption of Amendments to the Social Media and Website Policy

...recommend adoption of the amendments to the Social Media and Website Policy as presented and to forward the recommendation to City Council...

City Manager Fettrow explained that this policy was recently updated due to several years having passed since its inception, and the Council Administrative, Personnel and Community Relations Committee has recommended adoption.

Councilwoman Martin moved to accept the recommendation and adopt the amended Social Media and Website Policy; seconded by Councilman Forester. The motion passed unanimously (7).

3. Recommendation: Ordinance Deleting and Replacing Chapter 18 of the Rockledge Code of Ordinances, Titled "Chapter

18 Streets, Sidewalks, Rights-of-Way and Other
Public Places”

...approve the draft Ordinance as presented and to forward the recommendation to City Council...

City Manager Fettrow explained that this 60-plus page Ordinance has been developed in support of the plans for 5G technology implementation throughout the City. City Attorney Miniclier noted that many months of work went into the development of this Ordinance in order to meet statutory provisions. This Ordinance establishes procedures for companies to register and provide the Public Works Department with the required information in order to permit telecommunications companies to install and utilize this technology within City limits.

Councilman Ferguson moved to accept the recommendation; seconded by Councilwoman Martin. The motion carried without objection (7).

- a. Ordinance: First Reading, Deleting Chapter 18 of the Rockledge Code of Ordinances and Replacing it with a New Chapter 18 to the Rockledge Code of Ordinances Titled “Chapter 18 Streets, Sidewalks, Rights-of-Way and Other Public Places”

Councilman Ferguson offered an Ordinance entitled “AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ROCKLEDGE, BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, DELETING CHAPTER 18 OF THE ROCKLEDGE CODE OF ORDINANCES AND REPLACING IT WITH A NEW CHAPTER 18 TO THE ROCKLEDGE CODE OF ORDINANCES TITLED “CHAPTER 18 STREETS, SIDEWALKS, RIGHTS-OF-WAY AND OTHER PUBLIC PLACES,” WHICH INCLUDES SECTION 18-1 PURPOSE, SCOPE AND INTENT; 18-2 COMMERCIAL USE OF RIGHTS-OF-WAY; 18-3 EXCEPTIONS; 18-4 ENFORCEMENT; 18-5 NEWSRACKS AND NEWSPAPER VENDING MACHINE; 18-6 TRESPASS WARNINGS, AUTHORIZATION TO ISSUE TRESPASS WARNINGS FOR PUBLIC PROPERTY; 18-7 COMMUNICATIONS FACILITIES IN PUBLIC RIGHTS- OF-WAY; DECLARING THAT INVALIDITY OF ANY PORTION HEREOF SHALL NOT AFFECT THE REMAINING PORTIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE; PROVIDING FOR THE EFFECTIVE DATE HEREOF AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES” and moved for the first reading of the Ordinance by title only; seconded by Councilwoman Martin. The motion carried unanimously (7).

City Attorney Miniclier read aloud the title of the Ordinance for the first reading.

Councilman Ferguson moved to authorize publication and a public hearing to be held on September 9, 2020; seconded by Councilwoman Martin. The motion carried by unanimous vote (7).

4. Recommendation: Ordinance Establishing Ex-Officio Members for Boards

...approve the draft Ordinance as presented and to forward the recommendation to City Council...

City Manager Fettrow noted that, if it is the desire of the Council to appoint a Councilmember to an advisory board, an Ordinance would need to be adopted.

Councilman Daski moved to accept the recommendation; seconded by Councilwoman Martin. The motion carried without objection (7).

- a. Ordinance: First Reading, Amending Article III of the Rockledge Code of Ordinances to Add Section 2-81, Establishing that City Council Members are Eligible to Serve as Ex-Officio Members on Any Advisory Committees, Board or other City Body

Councilman Daski offered an Ordinance entitled "AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ROCKLEDGE, BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, AMENDING ARTICLE III OF THE ROCKLEDGE CODE OF ORDINANCES TO ADD A NEW SECTION 2-81 THERETO, ESTABLISHING THAT CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS ARE ELIGIBLE TO SERVE AS EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS ON ANY ADVISORY COMMITTEES, BOARD OR OTHER CITY BODY; DETERMINING THAT COUNCIL PERSONS SITTING ON SUCH ADVISORY CITY BODIES IN AN EX-OFFICIO CAPACITY WOULD NOT VIOLATE ARTICLE II, SECTION 5(a) OF THE FLORIDA CONSTITUTION PROHIBITION AGAINST HOLDING DUAL OFFICES; ESTABLISHING PROCEDURES TO APPOINT COUNCIL MEMBERS TO ADVISORY BODIES; DECLARING THAT INVALIDITY OF ANY PORTION HEREOF SHALL NOT AFFECT THE REMAINING PORTIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE; PROVIDING FOR THE EFFECTIVE DATE HEREOF AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES" and moved for the first reading of the Ordinance by title only; seconded by Councilman Forester. The motion carried unanimously (7).

Councilman Forester expressed the desire that this Ordinance be applied judiciously and sparingly.

City Attorney Miniclier read aloud the title of the Ordinance for the first reading.

Councilman Daski moved to authorize publication and a public hearing to be held on September 9, 2020; seconded by Councilwoman Martin. The motion carried by unanimous vote (7).

C. Planning Commission, Minutes of Regular Meeting on August 4, 2020

1. Recommendation: Approval of Preliminary Subdivision Plat, Harvest Landing

...recommend approval of the Harvest Landing Preliminary Plat and forward it to City Council...

Councilman Forester noted that the preliminary plat as presented does not include two entrances, which would be a requirement to conform to the draft Ordinance being considered as an upcoming agenda item; however, paving a portion of Clearlake Road south of Pluckebaum Road would potentially solve that issue.

David Bassford, MBV Engineering, 1250 W. Eau Gallie Boulevard, Suite H, Melbourne, Engineer of Record, noted that the initial traffic study only warranted a single entrance; however, the current infrastructure design would be able to accommodate a future requirement for two entrances.

Councilman Forester moved to approve the recommendation with the proviso that it comply with any future Land Development Regulations or Ordinances concerning number of exits in a subdivision; seconded by Councilwoman Martin. The motion passed unanimously (7).

D. Reappointments and Appointments

1. Reappointments

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2. Appointments

a. Business Development Committee

Currently, there is one vacancy on the Business Development Committee. Two applications have been received from Erinn Stranko and Jeffrey Fee.

Jeffrey Fee, 1272 St. Andrews Drive, was willing to withdraw his application from consideration for the Business Development Committee, as he also applied to serve on the Code Enforcement Board.

Councilman Ferguson moved to appoint Erinn Stranko to the Business Development Committee; seconded by Councilwoman Martin. The motion passed without objection (7).

b. Code Enforcement Board

There are two vacancies on the Code Enforcement Board, consisting of businessperson and subcontractor. Per the Board's enabling legislation, composition consists of seven members appointed to three-year terms, and the membership shall include, whenever possible, an architect, businessperson, engineer, general contractor, subcontractor, realtor, and a citizen. Two applications have been received from Matthew Whalen and Jeffrey Fee. Due to the length of time in which vacancies have existed on this board, Council may wish to consider appointing individuals to fill the vacant positions regardless of membership designation.

Councilwoman Martin moved to appoint Matthew Whalen and Jeffrey Fee to the Code Enforcement Board; seconded by Councilman Daski. The motion passed unanimously (7).

c. Board of Adjustment

Currently, there are four vacancies on the Board of Adjustment, consisting of two regular members and two alternate members. Two applications have been received from Navael Fontus and Mark O'Donnell. Terms of service are for three years.

Councilwoman Martin moved to appoint Navael Fontus and Mark O'Donnell to the Board of Adjustment as regular members; seconded by Councilman Cadore. The motion carried without objection (7).

d. The Rockledge Environmental Enhancement (TREE) Board

Currently, there are four vacancies on The Rockledge Environmental Enhancement (TREE) Board. Two applications have been received by Eugene Sims and Marcia Booth. Terms of service are for three years.

Councilman Daski moved to appoint Eugene Sims and Marcia Booth to The Rockledge Environmental Enhancement (TREE) Board; seconded by Councilwoman Martin. The motion passed unanimously (7).

9. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- A. Discussion: Draft Ordinance, Amending Rockledge Land Development Regulations, Part VII, Section 70.41, Providing for Entrance

Requirements and Emergency Vehicles Access for New Subdivisions (Planning Division)

City Manager Fettrow explained that, in November 2019, City Council approved the Planning Commission's recommendation to amend the Rockledge Land Development Regulations, Part VII, Section 70.41, to establish the required number of entrances for subdivisions based on the number of dwelling units. The Ordinance was presented for first reading on January 15, 2020, at which time, Council expressed some recommendations for modifications to the Ordinance, and the item was subsequently tabled. The Planning Division has incorporated those suggestions in to the revised Ordinance, which was presented to Council for consideration and direction.

Councilman Forester commented that the basis for this Ordinance came from experience with significant congestion in large developments with a single ingress/egress present. Council agreed to address the first reading of the Ordinance at the September 9, 2020 City Council meeting.

10. CONSENT BUSINESS

Councilman Daski moved for approval of these consent business items:

- A. Approval: Ratification of Laborers' International Union of North America (LIUNA) Contract Amendments (City Manager)
- B. Approval: Agreement for Bid/Procurement Services, DemandStar Corporation (City Manager)
- C. Approval: Renewal of Agreement with CareATC, Inc. for Employee Health Center Services (City Manager)
- D. Approval: Approval of Amendment No. 2 to the Agreement, PROCHAMPS (City Manager/Department of Public Safety)
- E. Approval: Street Sweeping Contract, USA Services (Public Works Department)
- F. Approval: Declaration of Surplus Property and Authorization to Retain Vehicle for Salvage/Part Purposes (Public Works Department)
- G. Approval: Authorization to Exceed Previously Approved Quote for Vehicle Accessory Purchases (Department of Public Safety)
- H. Approval: Use of Forfeiture Funds to Purchase Public Safety Gym Equipment (Department of Public Safety)
- I. Approval: ESRI Municipal Government Enterprise License Agreement Renewal (Finance/GIS Division)
- J. Approval: Extension of Agreement, Safety-Kleen Systems, Inc. (Public Works Department)

The motion was seconded by Councilwoman Martin and passed without objection (7).

11. NEW BUSINESS

- A. Action Item: Approval of Final Plat, Brookview Subdivision

City Planner Gilliam informed Council that the Brookview subdivision consists of eight acres and will provide for 28 single-family homes. All of the Land Development Regulation requirements for platting have been met, and the preliminary plat was approved in December 2018. The entrance to the subdivision will be off of Brookview Lane in Levitt Park.

Councilman Ferguson moved to approve the final plat for the Brookview subdivision; seconded by Councilwoman Martin. The motion carried unanimously (7).

- B. Action Item: Sale of 513 Barton Boulevard and Long Term Lease Agreement of 515, 517 and 527 Barton Boulevard, Beach Brewer, LLC (City Manager)

City Manager Fettrow explained that Beach Brewer, LLC has submitted a letter of intent for the purchase of 513 Barton Boulevard, as well as the long term lease of 515, 517 and 527 Barton Boulevard. The proposed purchase price of 513 Barton Boulevard is \$230,000.00. The long-term lease term would be for an initial term of three (3) years with two (2), one (1) year options. The buyer shall have the option to purchase said property at the pre-determined price agreed upon by both parties and stated in the lease.

Additionally, a portion of the City Hub will be leased by Beach Brewer, LLC for the sole purpose of providing beer, wine or other alcoholic beverage sales at events in the park, while accommodating non-profit organizations.

City Attorney Miniclier noted that the proposed sale price is lower than the appraised value, which would require a supermajority vote of the Council to accept. This lesser value is due to some degradation of the building due to weather that was not present when previously appraised in December 2019 with a renewal in July 2020; however, the appraiser did not enter the building to view the altered status.

Councilman Daski noted that this project is a culmination of efforts over a long period of time with a long term vision in consideration.

City Manager Fettrow clarified that, if approved, the lease terms would undergo negotiation.

Councilman Daski moved to authorize the City Manager and City Attorney to finalize the sale of 513 Barton Boulevard and the long-term lease agreement of 515, 517 and 527 Barton Boulevard with Beach Brewer, LLC (City Manager).

Brewer, LLC; seconded by Councilwoman Martin. The motion passed without objection (7).

12. PETITIONS, REMONSTRANCES AND COMMUNICATIONS

Veronica C. Whitehead, 436 Heathrow Circle, shared that she currently works for the Brevard County Health Department with the PACE program, and her job is to perform community outreach in unincorporated areas of Brevard County to discover what the community needs and desires for improvement, whether it be bus stops, ditch cleaning, cessation of drug activity in run-down areas, etc. Ms. Whitehead noted that her involvement in the community requires door-to-door visits in all types of communities. She expressed frustration with the runaround that she encounters at times. Mayor Price encouraged Ms. Whitehead to reach out to City Manager Fettrow for assistance, if needed.

13. REPORTS

A. City Manager Report

- City Manager Fettrow noted that the annual Cocoa/Rockledge Christmas Parade, historically held the first Saturday in December, is approaching, and planning will need to commence if Council wished to participate. Cocoa City Council and Brevard County have authorized their staff to begin planning the parade. Council expressed their desire to start planning but wished to retain the option to pull back if necessary, due to COVID-19.
- City Manager Fettrow reminded Council that Resolutions have been passed three times in previous years regarding the memorial designation of Fiske Boulevard in Rockledge as Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial Highway. Representative Sirois has agreed to place the subject matter in the upcoming Highway Designation Bill with Council's direction. Councilmembers confirmed their support of this endeavor.
- City Manager Fettrow congratulated Mayor Price, Deputy Mayor Forester and Councilwoman Martin, as they were unopposed and will retain their seats.

B. City Attorney Litigation Report

Councilman Daski moved to be in receipt of the City Attorney Litigation Report dated August 1, 2020; seconded by Councilwoman Martin. The motion passed unanimously (7).

- City Attorney Miniclier explained that, due to COVID-19, communication regarding trial processes has been null.

- City Attorney Miniclier noted that he has represented the City for 20 years as of August 20, 2020; the quality of Staff and Councilmembers has remained consistent over the years, and he has enjoyed serving the City of Rockledge.

C. Reports from the Dias

- Councilman Ferguson:
 - Recognized former Councilman and Attorney Kendall Moore in the audience and expressed his happiness in seeing so many board volunteers.
 - Congratulated Mayor Price, Deputy Mayor Forester and Councilwoman Martin for their unopposed election.
 - Noted that he attended the Florida League of Cities virtual business meeting and reminded Council that he and City Manager Fettrow were recognized as Home Rule Heroes.
 - Congratulated City Attorney Miniclier on his twenty years of service and thanked him for his wisdom and heart.
 - Thanked Councilman Cadore's mentees for attending the Council meeting and wished them future success.
- Councilman Hartselle:
 - Echoed the sentiments of Councilman Ferguson.
 - Expressed his sympathy to Public Safety Director/Chief of Police LaSata on his mother's passing.
 - City Manager Fettrow noted that Councilman Hartselle's suggestion for a virtual event is coming to fruition as a virtual car show is being planned for September/October.
- Councilman Cadore:
 - Praised Staff for developing a virtual event for the community.
 - Echoed congratulatory remarks to City Attorney Miniclier as he celebrates twenty years of service.
 - Shared in celebration for the unopposed election for Mayor Price, Deputy Mayor Forester and Councilwoman Martin.
 - Recognized the many audience members in attendance and noted that the young individuals in the audience who have taken an interest in their communities are truly inspiring.
- Councilman Daski:

- Thanked the board volunteers in attendance, noting that board service is near and dear to his heart, as he spent 17 years on volunteer boards before being elected to City Council.
- Echoed congratulatory remarks to Mayor Price, Deputy Mayor Forester and Councilwoman Martin.
- Councilwoman Martin:
 - Expressed her appreciation for the audience in attendance and the commitment of board volunteers.
 - Noted her honor in retaining City Council Seat 3 and serving the citizens of Rockledge for another term.
 - Explained that she received many calls about masks over the past several weeks and requested Council's input on the current status of the mask Order and the potential for discussion. Deputy Chief Donna Seyferth, 1776 Jack Oates Boulevard, explained that there have been very few issues involving stores and individual mask mandates by the stores themselves. Businesses have made their requirements known, and citizens have complied for the most part without issue. Council discussed the potential for situation escalation by requiring employees to enforce mandates and the desire to keep citizens and employees safe from violence or injury. Councilmembers elected to remain at the current status of the Order strongly urging masks without a mandate with the option to revisit the topic in the future.
- Councilman Forester:
 - Explained to the audience that, although the agenda is large, Councilmembers prepare for the meetings in advance in order to handle agenda items expeditiously.
 - Expressed gratitude to Councilmembers for their congratulatory remarks and noted that he has been honored to serve as Councilman for almost 15 years, working with the community's best interests and safety in mind.
- Mayor Price:
 - Thanked the volunteers, residents and other individuals in the audience for attending the meeting.
 - Expressed his excitement in serving the City as Mayor for another three years.

14. ADJOURN

There being no further business to come before the Council, Chairman Price declared the meeting to be adjourned at 7:38 p.m.

Council Chairman

ATTEST: _____
City Clerk