

**CITY OF CLARKSVILLE
CITY COUNCIL BUSINESS MEETING
February 1, 2021**

The Clarksville City Council met in regular session on February 1, 2021, in the City Council Chambers at 6:30 p.m. with Mayor Todd Fails in the chair and Council Members Wendy Brooks, Roger Doty, Brock Lodge, Travis Sterken, and Larry Voigts present.

Motion Voigts, Doty, to approve and adopt the items contained in the Consent Agenda: Motion to approve minutes (January 4, 2021, January 11, 2021, January 18, 2021 and January 22, 2021). RCV – Ayes: Brooks, Doty, Lodge, Sterken, and Voigts. Nays: None. MC.

Motion Brooks, Lodge, to approve purchase of council chamber flat screen extended display, wall mount and HDMI transmitter/receiver not to exceed \$1,500.00.

RCV – Ayes: Brooks, Doty, Lodge, Sterken, and Voigts. Nays: None. MC.

Motion Sterken, Brooks, to set a public hearing date of February 15, 2021 at 6:30 p.m. for the total maximum property tax dollars for fiscal year 2022.

RCV – Ayes: Brooks, Doty, Lodge, Sterken, and Voigts. Nays: None. MC.

Motion Brooks, Doty, to adopt Resolution 21-746: A RESOLUTION EXTENDING PAID SICK LEAVE AND EXPANDED FAMILY AND MEDICAL LEAVE FOR EMPLOYEES OF THE CITY OF CLARKSVILLE, IOWA.

WHEREAS, the Families First Coronavirus Response Act included emergency paid sick leave and an expansion of the Emergency and Family and Medical Leave effective April 1, 2020 and expiring December 31, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has desires to extend the benefits and terms of the Families First Coronavirus Response Act to March 31, 2021; and

WHEREAS, the City Council identifies that said benefits provided by the Act will be beneficial to city employees and as such, desire to extend said benefits until March 31, 2021 only; and

WHEREAS, the City Council acknowledges that benefits extended by the Act previously expired on December 31, 2020 and the Council seeks to extend those benefits voluntarily as its policy; and

WHEREAS, the City Council believes it is in the best interest of its employees and the community to extend said benefits.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the City of Clarksville hereby extends the benefits provided under the Families First Coronavirus Response Act to March 31, 2021 and only for said time period. This resolution and policy is not meant to extend benefits past March 31, 2021 and said benefits are being provided voluntarily by the City in this matter as a result of the emergency and pending pandemic.

PASSED and ADOPTED this 1 day of February, 2021.

RCV – Ayes: Brooks, Doty, Sterken, and Voigts. Nays: None. Lodge declined to vote. MC.

Motion Lodge, Voigts, to approve girls' softball games at Volunteer Park on 04/17/21 and 04/18/21.

RCV – Ayes: Brooks, Doty, Lodge, Sterken, and Voigts. Nays: None. MC.

Motion Sterken, to adjourn the regular City Council meeting at 6:51 pm.

Todd Fails
Mayor

Attest: Lori A. Peterson
City Clerk/Treasurer