

**MINUTES OF CITY COUNCIL  
SHEFFIELD LAKE, OHIO  
December 10, 2013**

The regular meeting of the City Council was held Tuesday, December 10, 2013. Council President Rosso called the meeting to order at 7 pm.

**THE INVOCATION WAS GIVEN BY: Kay Fantauzzi**, who then led in the Pledge of Allegiance.

\*\*\*\*\***ROLL CALL OF MEMBERS**\*\*\*\*\*

Present: Rosso, Elliott, Stark, Kovach, Cizl, McCullough, Erdei, Mayor Bring, Treasurer Woods, Finance Director Smith, Law Director Graves  
Absent: Councilmen Smith, Service Director Smith, Law Director Graves (excused)  
Attending: Concerned Citizens, Fire Chief Tim Card, Firefighters; Davis, Kozlowski, Water Department; Erwin, Members of the Media

**READING OF THE MINUTES:**

*Council – November 26, 2013* - \*Motion by McCullough/Second by Elliott to accept the minutes of the November 26, 2013 Council meeting. Yeas All.

*Council Worksession – November 19, 2013* - \*Motion by McCullough/Second by Elliott to accept the minutes of the November 19, 2013 Worksession meeting. Yeas All.

**CORRESPONDENCE:**

*Clerk of Courts; Francine Shover* – Monthly report of court receipts for month of November 2013 - \$7,553.00.

**PRESENTATIONS: None.**

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**CITY COUNCIL REPORTS**

*Roads, Drains, Water, Sewer and Refuse:* Chairman Elliott reviewed the minutes of the December 2, 2013 meeting. \*Motion by Stark/Second by Kovach to accept the report. Yeas All./*Safety: None./Buildings, Lands, Vehicles & Equipment:* Councilman Erdei reviewed the minutes of the December 5, 2013 meeting. Yeas All./*Ordinance:* Chairman Kovach reviewed the minutes of the December 5, 2013 meeting. \*Motion by Elliott/Second by Stark to accept the report. Yeas All./*Finance & Audit: None./Council Representative to the Joyce Hanks Community Center:* Representative Cizl reported Pat Hastings chaired the meeting and it was my first meeting attending. I was quite surprised how often the

*Community Center is used, Pat does a great job and he is looking at increasing the rate fee's. I guess we do it every 4 or 5 years and as a resident I am very happy how often it is used./Council Representative to the Zoning Board of Appeals: **None.**/Council Representative to the Planning Commission: **None.**/Council Representative to the Park Board: **None.***

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**ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS**

**MAYORS REPORT:** *Mayor Bring reported the Woodshop which is over in Shoreway now which is the old Post Office, they had a grand opening on Saturday morning and we went over there and they raised their flag and we did a little ceremony over there. As Mr. Erdei also stated on the Bowling Alley – all the contents were removed out of there they were supposed to remove all the old bowling lanes but a few of them where left behind so those gentlemen asked me if they could go there and get a couple of those. So they went over and actually took one of the lanes and cut it off and made a big table in the center of the Post Office there for their work table and it looks really nice. So I encourage everybody to go there and talk and see what is going on with those guys. They have got a really nice set-up and they put a ton of work into that and it is a membership only so they are looking for active members. They have got 128 people I think on Facebook that are possible signor's. They have a total of 17 and to break even they have to have 30 by the end of the year but he foresees it going pretty well. I do encourage everybody to go over there. We did get Dollar General resigned their lease for the next 5 years but that really doesn't mean anything, they can opt out and give us a 6-month notice and opt out and they would still have to pay for 12 months under the lease agreement. If they go forward with their new building they still have to give us a 6-month lease, so this does not mean they are not going to build a new building but they did up their contract. We did get the ok for the extension of bike path and we have until mid-June to complete that project so we will be looking at proceeding with that. The new parking ban that you guys approved at the last meeting is actually in effect right now but as I said all along I was going to give a little bit of grace period. So in about a week and a half, we will be actively going around and giving warnings to cars that are parked there from 2 am to 6 am. We will do a round of that and that will take a few days and then after January 1<sup>st</sup> we will do another round of that as a warning. On the next water bill that is going out, I will have on there that that ordinance is in effect and come January 15<sup>th</sup> we will start to ticket anybody that is on the road after that point. We are trying to get it out there as much as possible. The Police have noted that there are several streets that are now clear, so people are paying attention to it but there is still many, many cars. I drove around the other night and there is still a lot of cars that are still parking on that and I am sure they are still unaware of it so that is what the*

warnings are going to be. But January 15<sup>th</sup> is going to be the day that we actually proceed with that. I know that everybody is talking about the levy that we possibly might have. We are going to have another meeting with the Fire Department on Thursday, myself, Tammy, David, Scott and Brian are going to sit down and talk about that and see how we are going to proceed with that. We are also going to sit down as administration and talk about more of that and then I will come to you and let you how that is all going to proceed. But again we are trying to work through this and Tammy just got finished with the budget and obviously what she came up was something that we are going to have a struggle with and we do have to do something. It is very disheartening but unfortunately that is what we are dealt with. \*Motion by Elliott/Second by Kovach to accept the report. Yeas

**All./FINANCE DIRECTORS REPORT:** Finance Director Smith reported I am trying to get a jump on my end of year stuff because of how the holidays are falling. These are all the tweaking at the end of the year for all the funds actually. President Rosso advised Council – I am not sure that you are aware but at the back end of your packet there is an appropriation ordinance that the Finance Director is talking about that if we decide this evening we can add to tonight’s agenda. Finance Director Smith continued I would truly appreciate for tonight because I have everything set to go. I am trying to weave the end of the year into the beginning of the next year. I am trying to look on here to see if there is anything that really stands out and there really isn’t. Like I said if we didn’t get revenue we have to decrease the appropriation accordingly because then if we don’t at the end of the year we are over-appropriating. So a lot of this is just end of year maintenance, I did talk with our Fire Chief and there is one piece of equipment that we feel is dire that I have appropriated for and they are equipment and repair and that is a CO detector. We have a lot of that at this time of year, a lot of people think they have the flu and here there is CO is out of whack so we get a lot of those calls and we really need a detector that works correctly and we don’t have one that works properly. I think we have one but it is kind of on its last leg and that is in the neighborhood of \$2100.00 and I have appropriated a little more for any emergency equipment and also keep in mind if we don’t use it it goes as carry-over. Again a lot of our levy monies like our Police and Fire levies and even the Library levy and even our property tax; all those were down a little bit this year. All the Police and Fire levies were down about \$2000.00 a piece for what we were supposed to get as what the County Auditor has projected for property tax. Actually our one road fund that gets a lot of local government funds; that is actually down too – I had to decrease that by about \$20,000.00 before the end of the year. License plate fee’s are down and I try to get to the bottom of these things as I go but there is a lot of other things. If anybody has any questions, even after tonight feel free to call me and that is residents as well. I am always here except

for tomorrow but I am happy to have you come in, sit down and talk to me. I would be happy to answer any questions at any time. Councilman McCullough stated you said those are down a couple thousand each; Police and Fire levies, could this be a kind of throw back to we have gotten rid of a lot of nuisance properties and now we are no longer collecting? Finance Director Smith answered I would say that has a little to do with it and we also have some vacant properties that are back up on their taxes. It is not to say that we will never get that money, we just didn't get it in 2013 so when those houses flip those back taxes get paid. So over the years we have recognized when we had the housing crunch in 2009 that we have recovered some of the property taxes as those houses flip where the banks sell them again. That is the nice thing that property taxes really don't go away but don't always come here when we want them. Councilman McCullough stated it is my understanding that the bank has to keep those current even when they take the house back? Finance Director Smith answered you would think. I don't get a house by house number of who is paying and who is not. So a lot of people have just walked away and it takes a while for the banks to catch to that as well. Mayor Bring stated just to answer Kerry's question we had the Building Inspector – there is like 5 houses that are scheduled for demolition and we looked at the taxes on that; one house was \$28,000.00 and it was 3 years back so no they don't keep up on it and we went through several more and if you start getting on the auditor's and start looking at some of the taxes that are owed it is pretty substantial and that is part of the problem and the banks are not keeping up with that. Finance Director Smith added I think the banks are kind of thinking that they are going to flip it and that is going to take care of it. Councilman Erdei stated I know the state is cutting us pretty good, is there any end in sight of them not doing anything else to us? Finance Director Smith answered no, as a matter of fact I just went to a meeting at Regional Income Tax and they want to make all the local income tax ordinances uniform throughout the state which I don't think is necessarily a bad idea but that will probably hurt us to the tune of \$5000 to \$6000 a year and it is probably more then that but that is what RITA is kind of estimating at this time. The state really, really wants to take over collection of our income taxes and then we will never know when we will see them. So I don't know, a lot of that is up in the air at this point. \*Motion by Elliott/Second by Erdei to accept the report. Yeas All./**TREASURER REPORT:** Treasurer Woods advised my report is attached. \*Motion by Kovach/ Second by Elliott to accept the report. Yeas All./**SERVICE DIRECTORS REPORT:** Mayor Bring reported they are getting ready for winter, we have been actively getting trucks ready and everything else. Then the Water guys are going out and we have had a couple of water breaks and we had a bad one the other night again so we are taking care of that too. There is probably to be more of that with the way the weather has been – this cold, as the ground moves up

and down and just snaps those pipes. That is totally unavoidable and there is nothing that we can do about it. We just repair them as they go. \*Motion by Elliott/Second by Stark to accept the report. Yeas All./**SAFETY DIRECTORS REPORT:** Mayor Bring reported as far as our police cars, we are down one more police car. We had another problem with one of them and that is going back in the shop. That brings us down to 4 cruisers. We actively have one Officer going out on a new detail as far as junk cars and some other things that he is taking care of but he is doing that. He has started at the west end of the city and he is working towards to the east and he is getting a couple of streets a night because he is doing this during the day time so he starts at 4 o'clock and works until about 5:30 pm on that and he goes back to follow-up on warnings that he gave out to make sure that they have complied with it. He told me tonight that probably 98% of the warning tickets he gave out were complied with. That is working quite well and we had one gentleman tonight in court that didn't agree with it but the car that he was arguing about he said he moved after 7 days when he got a 5-day warning but the car had been sitting there for a year without it running and he thought because he moved it in 7 days he wasn't going to get a fine but he did and he was upset. But this is the process that we are going to go through too and it does seem to be working and it is going to take them probably a month to get to the other end of the city but he is doing that. Councilman Kovach asked the majority of these cars, are they in the street or in the yard or is a mix? Mayor Bring answered there is a couple on the street, basically most of these are in the yards that are jacked up and they either have tarps on them/hoods up/no engines/no tires. One resident had 5 cars and she did get rid of them all but none of them ran and they have been sitting there for 3 years. There is cars in between garages and cars in the back – he is finding them all. There is also other type vehicles that I wouldn't consider cars but they have an engine in them and a seat but most of this stuff is just junk. Councilman Erdei asked on the parking in the front lawns, have there been many citations or are they pretty well? Mayor Bring answered there have been many citations on that and we continue to do the same people over and over. They think that they own the property that they should be allowed to do it and there is an ordinance against that and we have tried to explain that to them and then they have said that they are just going to fill in their yard with gravel and we have said you can't do that – it has to be concrete, They don't understand that, we are not going to allow that and we did have a couple of those in court today and Magistrate Brusnahan told him that we are going to continue this and we are going to continue this – this is going to stop. Either they comply or they are going to pay \$15.00 a day to park on their front lawn and then after a certain period of time it is going to escalate. Councilman McCullough asked how far east has he gotten so far? Mayor Bring answered he told me tonight and I have forgotten. Councilman McCullough asked Stark Street

*maybe? Mayor Bring answered no I don't think but I would have to ask Shawn – he is out there doing it right now but I know he hasn't gotten that far because there are a lot. I do know what you are talking about though and I think he is 4 streets away from that.* \*Motion by Erdei/Second by Elliott to accept the report. Yeas All./**LAW DIRECTOR REPORT:** President Rosso reviewed proposed legislation that may be added to the agenda if Council sees fit.

**CITIZEN'S COMMENTARY:**

**Linda Vitai, 4850 Saddlewood Dr.** stated why don't we have another levy, we were not explained to; my husband and I are disabled and we were not explained to or we would have voted? President Rosso explained that is what the Mayor talked about, the Mayor is going to meet with the Departments this week. Mrs. Vitai continued we have a fire hydrant – we are against from the park on Saddlewood then there is Richelieu. In 1983 we had a fire and the hydrant didn't work and they have not been out to flush it. So we don't know if it works again or not. They have been promising us that they are going to paint it, at the Water Department and they haven't done that. Finance Director Smith advised well they have been flushing, they may not have gotten to you yet but they have been flushing. Mrs. Vitai stated I know they started in September but I am just saying if something forbid and hopefully not because we went through a lot. I need one more things – we have a pot hole that is right down the street and these people do not clean their leaves out of the sewage thing – my husband goes down and he is disabled, he goes down and cleans all the leaves out of the sewer thing. We used to have the neighbor 2 doors down that dumped his oil down it. My husband goes and cleans everybody's, these neighbors are so lazy they won't do anything and we have a pot hole I would say probably the 3<sup>rd</sup> house on the left hand side when you come down and it is about that big and if you don't know that it is there. Mayor Bring asked is that Saddlewood too? Mrs. Vitai answered yes.

**Sandra Jensen, 865 Warwick Dr.** stated 11 years ago I was on the committee that passed the ¼% income tax for the roads and I just wondered how the budget is doing with that because it was a ¼%. Finance Director Smith answered that is very well, there is no issues and that is where our paving process comes through every year. It paid for some notes and bonds that we took out initially to get things started and we got a lot of streets on the schedule for 2014 and that has held its own and that money comes in there and it stays in there – it never goes anywhere else. Mrs. Jensen stated it will be cut a little bit, I mean the services will be cut a little bit because of the levy failing. Finance Director Smith advised we only have 3 guys and they do such a good job I have to say. Now the paving is done by an outside contractor though. Mayor Bring advised Sandra we spent about \$250,000.00 the year before on the roads and we spent about \$265,000.00 last year and this year it will be \$240,000.00 and the following year it will be the same. So

that money is still earmarked to used for that. Mrs. Jensen stated I think people don't realize how it used to be, how Ferndale was and how nice it is and I just want to keep that going.

**David Dunn, 4119 Holl Ave.** stated you said the only thing that you are accepting is concrete? Mayor Bring answered correct. Mr. Dunn asked asphalt is not a hard surface? Mayor Bring answered you could do that too. The thing of it is there are people that already did gravel and it was grand-fathered in and I would probably have to go to the Building Inspector to find out about that. But it would have to be some type of a hard surface and asphalt is a hard surface but I believe that concrete they are asking for and I would have to check with him. Mr. Dunn stated I do have a situation with 4 cars, I got 2 kids with cars now. See this ordinance was passed when there was 1 car families. Mayor Bring stated the other thing is I didn't get a chance to drive by your house to see if you had a garage. Mr. Dunn answered I do have a garage. Mayor Bring asked do you have anything in your garage? Mr. Dunn answered yes I got a truck in the garage. Mayor Bring asked you have 4 additional cars? Mr. Dunn answered yes. Mayor Bring stated so you got 5 cars. Mr. Dunn advised I have already paid \$30.00 in tickets already, it is getting old. Mayor Bring advised you are parking over the sidewalk and they are trying to stop that too. Mr. Dunn stated I am just trying to come to an easy conclusion on this.

**Lisa Prokay, 765 Lfayette** stated one question regarding the parking situation, is there any assistance for families because this is obviously going to costs money for people who have to add an asphalt or concrete driveway extension. Does the Council know of any assistance programs that we could share that information with the rest of the city. Mayor Bring answered I am not aware of any of that, our Grant Writer is not going to be our Grant Writer anymore at the beginning of the first of the year because we don't have any matching funds. That is another thing we had to cut and unfortunately our staff is getting smaller and smaller. So that I don't know. Mrs. Prokay stated I am just wondering just like the gentleman said he has had enough parking tickets already, how are we going to address that problem obviously it costs money to extend driveways. Is there some kind of a resolution within a reasonable amount of time because we can't let this go on indefinitely but within a reasonable amount of time that would allow for people to get the necessary funds to make that happen. Mayor Bring advised I will never say never on anything but I will tell you that we are going to move forward with this. If somebody comes to me and says I am going to put this in in a certain amount of time I would probably and I am saying probably give them a little leeway but I am not going to let it go on very long because then you are going to have everybody coming to me saying they are going to do this and then they are not going to do it and then we are going to be in the same situation. The problem is that the warnings that some people have ignored – they are ignoring the tickets, so it is kind of a

mess out there. People have called me and said that they have family coming and/or they call Tammy and we have allowed that. We are not trying to be completely ignorant on this situation but we do need to move forward on this. Like I said I will never say never on anything on anything. Mrs. Prokay stated so it is just a matter of someone trying to find out whether or not there is assistance from the Federal Government or something like that. Mayor Bring advised I would highly doubt it but I don't know. Mrs. Prokay stated I just wanted to say on the issue#18, well this is my third time attending the meetings and I made a commitment that I would to be as present as possible. I work til 7 so I get here a little bit late. But I have heard in the last couple of meetings the suggestion to put the issue back on the ballot. I saw it in the newspaper and my only concern with that, in the last meeting it was mentioned that it would costs about \$8000.00 or so. President Rosso stated the \$8000.00 was if we had a special election in February and that dead line is passed. The soonest we can put it on would be May and they really don't the costs but it would be less then that. Mrs. Prokay stated I wanted to come up front and say that I was one of the 50% who voted no for the levy and not because of anything against our public services but frankly because after 3 Mayor's – my whole issue was what happened to the things that were promised to us. Primarily and this was brought up in a couple of meetings, the concern with our children's resources and I think Mr. McCullough brought that up the last time in terms of recreational services. That was the leading factor for me was now my son who some of you know is 21 so it doesn't matter to much to him but at the time when we moved here and voted for the previous levies we were told there would be a skate park built and there would be a place for children to go and enjoy other then the little parks that we have. So that was a big thing for me, we are concerned about drug use and I see children getting stopped by the Police in front of Apples if they are skate boarding and every time I see that I say where are they suppose to go and what are they supposed to do. Mayor Bring stated it is not that but the Apples has requested us to stop them from doing it and then they went over to the Library and they were in the Library and wouldn't let people going in and took their soft drinks and through it down the shoot of the return books. Then they jumped off the Post Office thing and they took wood from the Dollar General that was put in the back and they brought it over there and jumped that and smashed that and they didn't pick it all up. I caught them and I said look young men we are done, that is their own problem – it is not our problem and they have got to understand that. Mrs. Prokay stated there is a lot more, it is not just a simple. Mayor Bring stated even the gazebo at our Community Center has been ruined because they were jumping all over that. I realize that they don't have a place and we did have that slated to be built if this had passed but unfortunately it didn't pass. I know that it has been promised but I did go over to Bay Village – there is a nice concrete one

there that is built which is unsecured. It is like Avon Lake's where it is all stand out, this is all kind of sunken down and that was the plan on doing that. I know your frustration don't vote for things we absolutely can't move forward at all and it is just going to get worse. Your son may not have been able to enjoy that but the rest of the kids around here just like you said they don't have any place to go and now they really aren't going to have any place to go. Mrs. Prokay stated I am not saying that I would not vote this time because a mental health counselor I work with children and some of the children from this community. I know the problem that exist for them so it is a big concern and I would like to know that if we get this passed that we are going to do something for our children because it is not that the drugs are available; that happens and it goes beyond our control – that is something that hopefully the federal government can handle. It is that they don't have anything else to do, we have a problem with our children not getting out doors enough and the whole social media which I won't get into that but it would be nice to have something for them to go to – we don't even have a rec center and I thought at one time we were considering using Carosel and somebody was going to buy that up and make it available to the kids here but that didn't happen. So I was just wondering where we were with that and I will vote yes but I would like to know that something is going to happen for our children. Mayor Bring stated it was issue#18 and it probably will not be issue#18 this time but part of the reason why we had asked for was not only to affect our Police and Fire Departments but it was for our Parks and Recreation and we only have one part-time gentleman that takes care of all that stuff and we have a gentleman that comes in here all the time – Jon Wright who is very proactive for the Parks and he wants to add playground equipment and every thing else, he has been coming to the meetings for the last 3 years and ask all the time and he is very disappointed that this did not go through. He had a lot of ideas and he had some grant money that was available and we can't even apply for that because we have no matching funds. So this was all part of this and everybody keeps saying that they don't trust us with spending the money they want a guarantee of where the money is going to go. The guarantee is that it is going to the city to support these kind of programs and the guarantee would be if it doesn't pass that we aren't going to have any of this stuff. The guarantee is that we probably aren't even going to have a Fire Department and I don't know how else to explain that without getting extremely upset that the mistrust of where everything is being spent. They keep talking about the money that was spent on the shopping center and that money was from a bond and is totally separate and does not have anything to do with the general fund. If that would not have been purchased – remember Giant Eagle had moved out so we would not have a grocery store right now. Rite Aid was not going to resign their lease so we would not have a drug store and the Chase Bank was not going to resign their lease. There were 4 stores

that were not going to resign their leases so we had a place there that was basically a shell with broken windows and boarded up windows because that is the way it was before the city purchased it. I don't want to own that building but I am trying to get it so it looks decent and yes we can sell it and get rid of it. Right now we are trying to make it look decent so that somebody will come along and actively want to buy that and purchase it. The problem is we need money to operate and without the money we can't do anything. Finance Director Smith added still – Shoreway Shopping Center makes enough revenue that it totally takes care of itself and the financing that we have taken. Anybody can come and I can show you how that works, you can go to the State Auditor's website – we have excellent audits and we are responsible for our money and I can say because I am very proud of that. Again come on by and I will sit and show you how it works and help you see. Mrs. Prokay stated I wasn't questioning in any way. Finance Director Smith advised no, no, no – we just want to make that clear though. Mrs. Prokay stated I truly was not informed, I was misinformed and most of us go by what we see. But there were 50% of the people who voted no and I was one of those people, I feel now differently because I have been coming here and I don't look for guarantees in that sense but just to know that yes we are still looking at that, we are still working towards making those things happen. Mayor Bring stated I talked about a couple of those youngsters and that is not the majority of Sheffield Lake, the majority of our kids in Sheffield Lake are very, very good kids and the majority of our families in Sheffield Lake are very, very good people. Obviously we have a little group here that want to tests the waters and we are trying to be as lenient as possible but they have got to understand they cannot destroy public property and that have got to let people in and out of a buildings. Unfortunately they may have to get their skateboards taken away and they are going to come down to the Police Department and have pick them up with their parents so that we talk to their parents and that will be the next step. We are not going to take it away from them but until you are responsible. It is no different then us, if you drive a car and you want to drive 80 miles an hour down Lake Road you are not going to be allowed to do that. There are rules that you have to follow and that is the whole aspect of what is going on.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None.**

**NEW BUSINESS:** \*Motion by McCullough/Second by Kovach to amend the agenda to include Council#058 and 059. ROLL CALL TO AMEND THE AGENDA: Yeas All – McCullough, Stark, Erdei, Kovach, Elliott, Cizl.

President Rosso advised we spoke a little bit about the income tax and putting another issue on the ballot. The Mayor and I spoke a few minutes before tonight's meeting, just so we are all on the same page like I already mentioned – I called the Board of Elections to try to get some information and was surprised to find out to

put a special election that deadline was the day after the general election. We didn't even know if we won or lost and we missed the deadline to put it for February. So the soonest we could put it on is May and the deadline for getting it to the Board of Elections I believe was February 5th, so we have the month of January to make that decision and pass a resolution to put it back on the ballot. So just so everyone knows why we can't do a special, this is why and I was surprised when he said it was the day after the general. It would have to be on in May and we would have to pass some sort of resolution/legislation if you will by the end of January to make the February 5<sup>th</sup> deadline. The only other thing and I will mention now instead of at the end is as you are aware, at the request of the Finance Director we have changed next week's Worksession to be a Council meeting in case there is any more appropriation changes that need to be done for year end. We are all going to be anyways, it really doesn't much matter. So if there is any financial issues that come up, we will just address during Council. We will meet as a Council next Tuesday and don't forget that the 3<sup>rd</sup> which should have been the 2<sup>nd</sup> Council fell on Christmas Eve and we moved it to the 30<sup>th</sup>. That is why you see all the cancel and add's on the schedule. We are trying to help the Finance Director out.

#### **ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS:**

Council#058 – FIRST READING – an ordinance amending Chapter 1395 of the codified ordinances of the City of Sheffield Lake regarding permitting public nuisance and the declaring of an emergency.

Council#059 – EMERGENCY – an ordinance providing for an increase and decrease of certain funds within the annual appropriations ordinance of the City of Sheffield Lake, Ohio and the declaring of an emergency.

\*Motion by Stark/Second by Elliott for SUSPENSION OF RULES:

ROLL CALL FOR SUSPENSION OF RULES: Yeas All – Elliott, Stark, Kovach, McCullough, Erdei, Cizl.

\*Motion by Stark/Second by Elliott for ADOPTION:

ROLL CALL FOR ADOPTION: Yeas All – Elliott, Kovach, McCullough, Stark, Erdei, Cizl.

#### **Ordinance Passes#57-13**

**MEETING ADJOURNED:** With no further business before this council, Motion by Kovach/Second by Erdei to adjourn at 8:01 PM. Yeas All.

**CLERK OF COUNCIL AFFIRMATION:** This Meeting Of The City Council Of The City Of Sheffield Lake, Ohio Was Held And Conducted Under All Rules And Regulations Governing The Sunshine Laws Of The State Of Ohio As They May Apply. All meetings are recorded and available in council offices.

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CLERK OF COUNCIL/COMMITTEES  
*Kay Fantauzzi*

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COUNCILPRESIDENT  
*Rick Rosso*

*and/or*

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COUNCIL PRO TEM  
*Eric S Elliott*

I, Kay Fantauzzi, duly appointed Clerk of Council of Sheffield Lake DO HEREBY CERTIFY that this is a true and exact copy of the Minutes of COUNCIL of December 10, 2013.

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MAYOR  
*Dennis Bring*