

**MINUTES OF THE CITY COUNCIL  
SHEFFIELD LAKE, OHIO  
Dec. 28, 2021**

This regular meeting of the City Council was held Tuesday, Dec. 28, 2021.  
Council President Rosso called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

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

Present: Council President Rosso, Kovach, Radeff, Cizl, Wtulich, Erdei, Mayor Bring, Finance Director Smith, Superintendent Hastings, Law Director Graves.  
Excused: Gee, Stark.  
Attending: Citizens.

**READING OF THE MINUTES:**

*Council* - \*Motion by Kovach/Second by Cizl to accept the minutes of the Dec. 14, 2021 meeting with any noted corrections. Yeas All.

*Public Hearing on 2022 Budget*- \*Motion by Kovach/Second by Cizl to accept the minutes of the Decd. 14, 2021 meeting with any noted corrections. Yeas All.

*Public Hearing on Appointment of Public Official*- \*Motion by Kovach/Second by Gee to accept the minutes of the Dec. 14, 2021 meeting with any noted corrections. Yeas All.

**CORRESPONDENCE.** None.

**PRESENTATIONS:** None.

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**CITY COUNCIL REPORTS**

*Roads, Drains, Water, Sewer and Refuse:* None. /*Buildings, Lands, Vehicles & Equipment:* None. /*Ordinance:* None. /*Finance:* None. /*Council Representative to the Joyce Hanks Community Center:* Excused. /*Council Representative to the Park Board:* None. /*Representative to the Planning Commission:* None. /*Council Representative to the Zoning Board of Appeals:* None.

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**ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS**

**MAYOR/SAFETY:** Mayor Bring reports we are having some issues with Covid in the police dept. We have 5 out, one is a police dispatcher and the chief tested positive too. We are a little short staffed but making do. \*Motion by Kovach/Second by Erdei to accept the report. Yeas All. /**SUPERINTENDENTS REPORT:** Superintendent Hastings has no report. /**FINANCE DIRECTORS REPORT:** Finance Director Smith has no report. /**LAW DIRECTORS REPORT:** Law Director Graves has no report. /**CITIZENS COMMENTARY:** Joshua Nichols, 4835 Madison Ave. states the reason I am here tonight is about the bike path. It runs directly beside my fence. My question is if there is someway the city could look into putting some sort of buffer between the path and my fence? The way the path goes, is it goes uphill, and you can look right over my fence into my backyard. It concerns me, I have a 1-year-old daughter.

Superintendent Hastings replies the space between the trail and his property is admittedly small. We could consider/explore arborvitaes, but I believe it would be foolish to erect a second fence beside a fence. Mayor Bring says I did go down today and look at it too. Mr. Nichols states if I would have known it would be so close, I would have got a variance for a taller fence. Mayor Bring replies we will definitely look into it.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:** None.

**NEW BUSINESS:** None.

**ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS:**

**COUNCIL #072-EMERGENCY- AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE CURRENT EXPENDITURES AND OTHER EXPENDITURES FOR THE CITY OF SHEFFIELD LAKE, OHIO DURING THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND THE DECLARING OF AN EMERGENCY.**

\*Motion by Kovach/Second by Cizl FOR SUSPENSION OF THE RULES.

ROLL CALL FOR SUSPENSION: Kovach, Erdei, Wtulich, Cizl, Radeff. Yeas All.

\*Motion by Kovach/Second by Cizl FOR ADOPTION.

ROLL CALL FOR ADOPTION: Radeff, Wtulich, Kovach, Erdei, Cizl. Yeas All.

***Ordinance Passes #72-21***

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT:** None.

**MEETING ADJOURNED:** With no further business before this council, \*Motion by Kovach/Second by Cizl to adjourn at 7:13pm. 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**

*Brandy Randolph*

I, Brandy Randolph, 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 28, 2021.

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**COUNCIL PRESIDENT**

*Rick Rosso*

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**MAYOR**

*Dennis Bring*