LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE

A meeting of the Legislative Committee was called to order by Chair Coenen on Monday, June 19, 2023 at 6:35 P.M.

Members present: Coenen, Eggleston, Moore, and Schell.

Also present: Mayor Penterman (Via Zoom), Ald. DeCoster, Kilgas, Antoine, Thiele, DPW/Eng. Neumeier, Fire Chief Carrel and interested citizens.

1. Correspondence - None.

2. Discussion Topics.

a. Ordinance 1883-2023 Creating Section 3.18 Special Charges.

Mayor Penterman stated Finance Director Van Rossum presented the to the Council a memo in May of 2023 regarding the creation of this special charge ordinance. The Common Council then directed legal to draft Ordinance 1883-2023 and put it into the appropriate section of the Municipal Code. The reason for creating this code is due to the increase in abatements with code violations. Home owners who refuse to take action on their own would be charged by the City for the cleanup. Special charges cannot be transferred to the tax roll, so this allows the City to offer a payment plan to our residents who have abatement charges. Questions from the Board were answered.

Motion by Eggleston, seconded by Moore to recommend approval of the proposed ordinance, 1883-2023 Creating Section 3.18 Special Charges to the Common Council. All members voted aye. Motion carried.

3. General Matters - none.

4. Adjourn.

Motion by Moore, seconded by Schell to adjourn. All members voted aye. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 6:39 p.m.

Sally Kenney, Clerk