

REGULAR MEETING

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 p.m., Mayor Steven M. Brown presiding.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag

Moment of Silence

PRESENT: Councilpersons Mario DiSanto, Michael Higgins, Mark Kandes, Thomas McPartlin, Thomas Murphy and Frank Vaslo

ALSO PRESENT: City Attorney Ed Zelenak and City Clerk Donna Breeding

Mayor's Remarks

RESOLUTION 06-126 Minutes

By Councilman McPartlin, supported by Council President Higgins

RESOLVED, that the minutes of the Regular Meeting held under the date of April 3, 2006 be approved as recorded.

Motion unanimously carried.

RESOLUTION 06-127 Appointment/Director of Public Services

By Councilman Kandes, supported by Councilman Vaslo

RESOLVED, that Robert Bartok be appointed Director of Public Services of the City of Lincoln Park effective April 11, 2006 until January 1, 2007; with compensation and fringe benefits outlined in the Lincoln Park Administrators Collective Bargaining Agreement.

Motion carried.

NAY: Councilman McPartlin

RESOLUTION 06-128 Appointment/Comm. Imp. Comm.

By Councilman McPartlin, supported by Councilman Murphy

RESOLVED, that **Paul Aune**, of 1666 Liberty, be appointed to the Community Improvement Commission. Term to expire 5/1/09.

Motion unanimously carried.

RESOLUTION 06-129 Appointment/EDC & BRA

By Councilman McPartlin, supported by Councilman DiSanto

RESOLVED, that **Sue Ingesoulian**, City of Lincoln Park business owner, be appointed to the Lincoln Park Economic Development Corporation (EDC) Board of Directors and Brownfield Redevelopment Authority (BRA) Board of Directors, to fill the unexpired term of Patrick Roberts. Term to expire May 1, 2009.

Motion unanimously carried.

RESOLUTION 06-130 Open Bids/LP Pride Contractor

By Councilman Murphy, supported by Councilman Vaslo

RESOLVED, that the City Clerk be authorized to open bid proposals received marked "LP PRIDE CONTRACTOR"

Motion unanimously carried.

RESOLUTION 06-131 Refer Above Bids

By Councilman Murphy, supported by Councilman McPartlin

RESOLVED, that the bid proposals received marked "LP PRIDE CONTRACTOR" be referred to the Purchasing Specialist, Chief of Police and City Manager for tabulation and recommendation.

Motion unanimously carried.

RESOLUTION 06-132 Solicit Bids/2005 Street Imp. Program

By Councilman Vaslo, supported by Councilman Murphy

RESOLVED, that OHM and the Department of Public Service are authorized and directed to solicit bids for milling overlay and concrete reconstruction of Champaign from I-75 to Lafayette. Funds to come from those designated and reserved for this project in the 2005 Paving program. Project reserve and cost estimate \$543,113.12.

Motion unanimously carried.

RESOLUTION 06-133 Extend Contract/2006-07 Sidewalk Program

By Councilman Kandes, supported by Councilman McPartlin

RESOLVED, that the contract in effect with Gaglio Cement for the 2005/06 sidewalk program be extended for 2006/07 under the existing terms and conditions at the current cost schedule with a cost not to exceed \$100,000 for the new year.

Motion carried.

NAY: Councilman Murphy

RESOLUTION 06-134 Special Use Approval/2323 Dix

By Councilman Kandes, supported by Councilman McPartlin

RESOLVED, that Special Use Approval PC#05-07 for Downriver Collision at 2323 Dix, be granted for the addition to the existing building in the Municipal Business District as per the site plan, the recommendations of the planning consultant letter dated December 21, 2005, the stipulations of the Planning Commission, Building Department, and all other concerned City Departments.

Motion unanimously carried.

RESOLUTION 06-135 Site Plan Approval/2323 Dix

By Councilman Kandes, supported by Council President Higgins

RESOLVED, that Site Plan approval PC#05-07 for Downriver Collision at 2323 Dix, be granted for the addition to the existing building in the Municipal Business District as per the site plan, the recommendations of the planning consultant letter dated March 28, 2006, the stipulations of the Planning Commission, Building Department, and all other concerned City Departments.

Motion unanimously carried.

RESOLUTION 06-136 Proposed Ord. Amend/Chap. 666 – Stalking

By Councilman Vaslo, supported by Council President Higgins

RESOLVED, that an ordinance to amend the Codified Ordinances of the City of Lincoln Park by adding a new Section .06 to Chapter 666 STALKING, be given its first & second reading by TITLE ONLY THE CITY OF LINCOLN PARK ORDAINS

That adding a new Section .06 to Chapter 666 amend the Municipal Code of the City of Lincoln Park entitled STALKING.

Motion carried.

NAY: Councilman Murphy

RESOLUTION 06-137 Authorize Fundraiser/Jr. Rails

By Councilman Vaslo, supported by Councilman Kandes

RESOLVED, that the Lincoln Park Jr. Rails be granted permission to sell various plants in the municipal parking lot adjacent to 2040 Fort St. on May 14, 2006 from 7a.m. to 4 p.m., as a fund raising effort to benefit the organization. All reporting provisions of the local ordinance to be timely observed.

Motion unanimously carried.

RESOLUTION 06-138 Approve 2005 Used Auto Dealers Licenses

By Councilman DiSanto, supported by Council President Higgins

RESOLVED, that the following applicants be granted their "2005 Used Auto Dealers License". Per the recommendation of the Building Dept. and City Clerk:

United Auto Center (Class W – Automotive Wholesaler)	4242 Fort St.
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(no outside storage of vehicles at location)

Bright Powersport (Class B – Used Vehicle Dealer)	4181 Dix
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Motion unanimously carried.

RESOLUTION 06-139 Attorney Review/Fireworks Codes

By Councilman Murphy, supported by Council President Higgins

WHEREAS, a number of the Lincoln Park business owners have expressed a desire to continue selling legal fireworks in their Lincoln Park businesses, and

WHEREAS, the legal code and its interpretation on the sale of fireworks is voluminous and vague as it relates to code enforcement.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Office of the City Attorney be instructed to review the specific fireworks codes and immediately report back to the Council, indicating any **specific** codes or regulations that would prevent our business owners from participating in the sale of fireworks.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that if in fact, the City Attorney's Office finds a code or regulation that would **disallow** the merchants from selling fireworks, without a change or alteration on their part, the City Attorney will present a list of remedies designed to overcome the problems in question.

Motion unanimously carried.

CITIZENS COMMUNICATIONS

ORAL REPORTS OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 9:26 p.m.

STEVEN M. BROWN, MAYOR

DONNA BREEDING, CITY CLERK