



# CITY OF CROSSGATE

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## Minutes City of Crossgate

Thomas Jefferson Unitarian Church Annex  
Monday, September 9th, 2013 7:00 p.m.

1. Opening Ceremonies: Pledge of Allegiance
2. Roll call conducted by Susan Dotson at 7:00 p.m.

### Commissioners Present:

- Mayor Kirk Hilbrecht
- Commissioner Anne Stanley Hoffman
- Commissioner Larry Kirschenbaum
- Commissioner Michael Yeager
- Commissioner John Lepping

Quorum present:  Yes /  No

Mayor Pro-tem Hoffman called the City Council Meeting to order at: 7:02 p.m.

### Others Present:

- Treasurer Tom Elmes
- City Clerk Susan Dotson
- Residents/Guests

3. Approval of minutes of City Council Meeting of regular meeting held on August 12<sup>th</sup>, 2013.

Comments: None

Motion introduced by Commissioner Kirschenbaum

Second by Commissioner Lepping

Discussion:

All in favor:  Yes /  No

Minutes approved:  Yes /  No

4. Old Business

A. Commissioner and Committee Reports

i. Treasurer's Report - *Elmes*

Comments: Treasurer Elmes stated that the expenses for this month were reoccurring and normal expenditures. Treasurer Elmes reaffirmed the statement from last month's meeting that all City property taxes have been paid and are now current.

Motion to approve the treasurer's report introduced by: Commissioner Lepping  
Second by: Commissioner Kirschenbaum

Discussion:

All in favor:   3   Yes /    No

Treasurers report:   x   Yes /    No

ii. Commissioner's report – *Kirschenbaum*

Comments: Commissioner Kirschenbaum informed the Commission that the proof for the new City Directory is at the printers, and the new directory should be distributed before the regularly scheduled meeting in October. Additionally, Commissioner Kirschenbaum stated that the City still has a few potholes which need to be filled before the winter weather begins, and he will confer with Commissioner Yeager on this matter.

iii. Commissioner's report—*Lepping*

Comments: Stated that he felt the City should not get involved with the installation of lightning rods in the City. Commissioner Lepping indicated that the installation was cost prohibited and he had concerns about the Cities liability. The matter was then dropped.

Commissioner Lepping also request that the Commission check with City residents to see if anyone wants to volunteer to help maintain the front entrances floral beds.

Commissioner Lepping will also check into the placing of the Christmas lights at the front entrances.

vi. Commissioner's report –*Hoffman*

Comments: Mayor Pro-tem Hoffman stated that only 6 residents responded to her email concerning a City-Wide yard sale this fall. It was determined that the City would go ahead with the advertising cost and have the sale. The City-Wide yard sale will be held on October 12<sup>th</sup> and the City will place ads in the *Voice, Courier Journal*, and place a notice on craigslist. The City will send out fliers to the residents later this month to remind residents of the yard sale and to encourage them to participate.

Commissioner's report-*Yeager*

Comments: Commissioner Yeager was not present.

- B. VA Medical Center update
  - i. Legal Counsel Update –*Hilbrecht*

Comments: Mayor Hilbrecht was not present, however prior to the meeting he was able to inform the Commission that no new information was available at this time.

Information from VA and/or report from VA –*Hilbrecht*

Comments: None at this time.

5. New Business

Comments: None at this time

6. Open Forum.

*NOTE: Neighbors/Guests wishing to speak at the meeting must sign in at the beginning of the meeting. Neighbors/Guests will be limited to approximately 5 minutes of meeting time.*

Comments: Resident suggested that next year the City-Wide yard sale be in the spring.

Comments: Residents suggested that the City purchase a chain saw to keep for emergencies if needed to help clear roadway of fallen trees etc. It was also suggested that the chain saw be kept at the Mayors house.

Comments: Resident wants to have City go back to one day trash pickup instead of the 2 days the City currently has. The resident was informed that the City is currently under contract and it cannot be changed. The resident then suggested that when it comes time for contract renewal that one day pickup is part of the bid requirements.

7. Adjournment

Comments:

Motion introduced by Commissioner Kirschenbaum  
Second by Commissioner Lepping

All in favor:   3   Yes /    No  
Motion approved:   x   Yes /    No

Meeting adjourned at: 7:37 p.m.

8. Next meeting October 14, 2013

