

ORDINANCE NO.: 118-2023 (As Revised 10/10/2023)

INTRODUCED BY: Jordan

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 121.20, "STANDING COMMITTEES", TO CHANGE THE MEETING TIMES OF CERTAIN STANDING COMMITTEES OF COUNCIL TO BE HELD ON THE FIRST TUESDAY OF THE MONTH.

WHEREAS, this Council wishes to consolidate the meetings of certain of its "Standing Committees" (Planning and Zoning Committee, Public Service and Recreation Committee, Public Safety Committee, and Finance Committee) to be held in the evening of the first Tuesday of each month in order to improve the efficiency and effectiveness of the Council's business;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Richmond Heights, State of Ohio, that:

Section 1: Section 121.20, "Standing Committees", division (b), of Chapter 121, "Council", of the Codified Ordinances is hereby amended to hereinafter provide as follows:

"121.20 STANDING COMMITTEES.

(b) Time. The Council Standing Committees, other than the Committee of the Whole and the Audit Committee, shall hold regular meetings on the first ~~and third Tuesdays~~ **Tuesday** of each month unless otherwise ordered by Council. The Committee of the Whole shall hold its regular meetings on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month unless otherwise ordered by Council. The following schedule shall be observed:

First Tuesday:	Planning and Zoning Committee at 7:30- 6:30 p.m.
	Public Services and Recreation Committee at 8:30 7:00 p.m. or <u>immediately following the Planning and Zoning Committee meeting.</u>
	<u>Public Safety Committee</u> <u>at 7:30 p.m. or immediately following the Public Services and Recreation Committee meeting.</u>
	<u>Finance Committee</u> <u>at 8:00 p.m. or immediately following the Public Safety Committee meeting.</u>
Second Tuesday:	Committee of the Whole at 7:30 p.m.
Third Tuesday:	Public Safety Committee at 7:30 6:30 p.m.

~~Finance Committee~~
~~at 8:30~~7:00 p.m.

Fourth Tuesday:

Committee of the Whole
at 7:30 p.m.

As needed: Audit Committee shall meet as scheduled by the chair but shall meet not less than once per calendar quarter."

Section 2: Existing Section 121.20(b) of the Codified Ordinances is hereby repealed but only as it is amended in Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 3: It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 4: This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: October 10, 2023

APPROVED: October 24th, 2023

ATTEST: Donnie Hunter
Donnie L. Hunter
Clerk of Council

Kim A. Thomas
Kim A. Thomas, Mayor

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