

**NOTICE OF NORTH CANTON CITY COUNCIL MEETING**  
**Monday, June 25, 2018, 7:00 p.m., City Hall**

**Agenda**

1. Call to Order
2. Opening Prayer -
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Roll Call
5. Consideration

Committee of the Whole Meeting Minutes: June 4, 2018  
Council Meeting Minutes: June 11, 2018  
Financial Reports: May 2018

6. Recognition of Visitors
7. Old Business
8. **Ordinance No. 46 - 2018 - 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading - Personnel and Safety Committee**

An ordinance authorizing the Mayor of the City of North Canton, Ohio, to enter into a successor collective bargaining agreement between the City and the Ohio Patrolmen's Benevolent Association, Dispatch and Lead Dispatcher, regarding State Employment Relations Board ("SERB") Case No. 2017-MED-10-1312, and declaring the same to be an emergency.

9. **Ordinance No. 47 - 2018 - 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading - Personnel and Safety Committee**

An ordinance authorizing the Mayor of the City of North Canton, Ohio, to enter into a successor collective bargaining agreement between the City and the Ohio Patrolmen's Benevolent Association, Patrol Officers, regarding State Employment Relations Board ("SERB") Case No. 2017-MED-10-1313, and declaring the same to be an emergency.

10. New Business
11. **Ordinance No. 48 - 2018 - 1<sup>st</sup> Reading - Finance and Property Committee**

An ordinance amending Chapter 192, Income tax, of the Codified Ordinances of the City of North Canton, to increase the rate of municipal income tax from 1.5 to 2.0 percent for a period of 10 years, January 1, 2019 until December 31, 2028, for the purpose of providing additional safety funding for construction of a new safety building to house Police, Dispatch, and Fire/EMS operations, supporting Fire/EMS staffing, providing additional training opportunities for safety forces, and to create a resource for future maintenance of the safety building.

12. **Ordinance No. 49 - 2018 - 1<sup>st</sup> Reading - Finance and Property Committee**

An ordinance authorizing the supplemental appropriation of funds of the City of North Canton, to be appropriated from the unappropriated resources of the Park Development Fund to the

Facilities Account in the amount of \$750,000.00 for the current expenses during the fiscal year ending December 31, 2018.

**13. Resolution No. 10 - 2018 - 1<sup>st</sup> Reading - Finance and Property Committee**

A resolution directing the Board of Elections to place upon the ballot at the General Election to be held on November 6, 2018, the question of increasing the City of North Canton's rate of municipal income tax from 1.5% to 2.0% for a period of 10 years, January 1, 2019 until December 31, 2028, for the purpose of providing additional safety funding for construction of a new safety building to house Police, Dispatch, and Fire/EMS operations, supporting Fire/EMS staffing, providing additional training opportunities for safety forces, and to create a resource for future maintenance of the safety building.

**14. Reports - Council**

Doug Foltz	Ward 1	Mark Cerreta	At Large
Daniel Peters	Ward 2	Daryl Revoldt	At Large
Stephanie Werren	Ward 3	Marcia Kiesling	At Large
Dominic Fonte	Ward 4		

**15. Reports**

Director of Law Mayor	Director of Finance City Engineer	Director of Administration Clerk of Council
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**16. Final Call for New Business**

**17. July Meeting Schedule**

\*\*Monday, July 2, 2018 - no meeting  
Monday, July 9, 2018 - Council Meeting  
\*\*Monday, July 16, 2018 - no meeting  
Monday, July 23, 2018 - Council Meeting  
\*\*Monday, July 30, 2018 - no meeting

**18. Adjourn**

North Canton City Council  
Finance and Property Committee

Ordinance No. 48 - 2018

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WHEREAS, safety forces buildings and areas, i.e., Police, Fire/EMS, and Dispatch, are in need of costly repair and rehabilitation; and

WHEREAS, housing the City's safety forces in a single building will provide the opportunity to share common resources, which will ultimately result in a savings for our taxpayers; and

WHEREAS, additional Fire/EMS staffing is necessary to reduce the cost of supplemental staffing of full-time employees;

WHEREAS, increases in technology in safety services require our safety forces to increase training resources so that they may provide our residents, business, and guests with quicker response times and utilization of advanced, life-saving technology.

WHEREAS, to proactively resolve the issues of maintenance and repair of our safety forces' buildings, as well as funding an increase in Fire/EMS staffing, and to increase our safety forces' ability to utilize advanced, life-saving technology, a modest increase of municipal income tax, with a 10-year sunset provision is recommended.

WHEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH CANTON, COUNTY OF STARK, STATE OF OHIO:

- Section 1. That this City Council recognizes the recognizes the need to proactively resolve the issues of maintenance and repair of our safety forces' buildings, as well as funding an increase in Fire/EMS staffing, and to increase our safety forces' ability to utilize advanced, life-saving technology.
- Section 2. That a modest increase of municipal income tax, with a 10-year sunset provision is recommended to fund the above-mentioned goals.
- Section 3. That subject to the approval of the electors of the City of North Canton, Ohio, as provided in Section 718.01 of the Ohio Revised Code, Sections 192.01(B), 192.03, 192.04(A) of Chapter 192, Income Tax, be, and are hereby amended to provide an increase in the tax levied on income from 1½% to 2.0%, such sections are amended to read as provided in Exhibit A, attached hereto and incorporated herein.

Section 4: That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed in Council this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2018

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David Held, Mayor

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_, 2018

ATTEST:

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Mary Beth Bailey, Clerk of Council

North Canton City Council  
Finance and Property Committee

Ordinance No. 49 - 2018

An ordinance authorizing the supplemental appropriation of funds of the City of North Canton, to be appropriated from the unappropriated resources of the Park Development Fund to the Facilities Account in the amount of \$750,000.00 for the current expenses during the fiscal year ending December 31, 2018.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH CANTON, COUNTY OF STARK, AND STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. To provide for the current expenses and other expenditures of the City of North Canton, during the fiscal year ending December 31, 2018, the following funds, be, and are hereby set aside and appropriated as follows:

Appropriate From:

The unappropriated resources of the 331 Fund PARK DEVELOPMENT FUND	\$750,000.00
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Appropriate To:

331 PARK DEVELOPMENT FUND 331.309.5501 Facilities	\$750,000.00
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Section 2. That the Director of Finance of the City of North Canton, be, and is hereby authorized to issue warrants from appropriations established herein for the payment of vouchers duly approved by the proper departmental authority.

Section 3. That if a provision of this ordinance is or becomes illegal, invalid or unenforceable, that shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provision of this ordinance.

Section 4. That this ordinance is necessary to appropriate these dollars to be used towards park improvements for the Park Department using the grant dollars the City will receive from the State of Ohio. The City will need to complete the grant requirement process in order to receive the funding which will be available after July 1, 2018. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed in Council this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2018

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David Held, Mayor

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_, 2018

ATTEST:

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Mary Beth Bailey, Clerk of Council

North Canton City Council  
Finance and Property Committee

Resolution No. 10 - 2018

A resolution directing the Board of Elections to place upon the ballot at the General Election to be held on November 6, 2018, the question of increasing the City of North Canton's rate of municipal income tax from 1.5% to 2.0% for a period of 10 years, January 1, 2019 until December 31, 2028, for the purpose of providing additional safety funding for construction of a new safety building to house Police, Dispatch, and Fire/EMS operations, supporting Fire/EMS staffing, providing additional training opportunities for safety forces, and to create a resource for future maintenance of the safety building.

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WHEREAS, to proactively resolve the issues of maintenance and repair of our safety forces' buildings, as well as funding an increase in Fire/EMS staffing, and to increase our safety forces' ability to utilize advanced, life-saving technology, a modest increase of municipal income tax, with a 10-year sunset provision is recommended.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH CANTON, COUNTY OF STARK, STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That the Board of Elections of Stark County, be, and it is hereby requested and directed to place upon the ballot at the general election to be held on November 6, 2018, the question of whether the attached Ordinance No. – 2018, increasing the City of North Canton's rate of income tax from 1.5% to 2.0% for a period of 10 years, January 1, 2019 until December 31, 2028, for the purpose of providing additional safety funding for construction of a new safety building to house Police, Dispatch, and Fire/EMS operations, supporting Fire/EMS staffing, and providing additional training opportunities for safety forces, shall be passed.

Section 2. That the Clerk of Council, be, and is hereby directed to file this resolution together with a certified copy of Ordinance No. 48 - 2018 with the Board of Elections no later than August 8, 2018.

Section 3. That the following ballot language be and is hereby certified to the Stark County Board of Elections for consideration at the general election to be held on November 6, 2018:

Ballot Form  
Proposed Amendment to  
The City of North Canton Income Tax Ordinance  
(A Majority Vote is Necessary for Adoption)

Shall an increase in the municipal income tax for the City of North Canton, from 1.5% to 2.0% for a period of 10 years, January 1, 2019 until December 31, 2028, for the purpose of providing additional safety funding for construction of a new safety building to house Police, Dispatch, and Fire/EMS operations, supporting Fire/EMS staffing, and providing additional training opportunities for safety forces, be passed?

	For the Increased Income Tax
	Against the Increased Income Tax

Section 2. That this resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed in Council this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2018

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David Held, Mayor

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_, 2018

ATTEST:

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Mary Beth Bailey, Clerk of Council