

**ATHENS CITY COUNCIL: REGULAR SESSION, TUESDAY, JANUARY 3, 2017, 7:00 P.M.**

Athens City Council met in Regular Session at the above hour with the following members present: Butler, Cochran, Kotses, McGee, Papai, and Risner.

Also present: President Knisely, Mayor Patterson, Service-Safety Director Horan Moseley, and Law Director Eliason.

**DISPOSITION OF MINUTES:**

Cochran moved approval of the minutes of the following sessions of Council held December 5, 2016; December 12, 2016; and December 14, 2016; Risner seconded. The minutes were unanimously approved as presented.

**COMMUNICATIONS:**

**President Knisely** reported that City Council met in a work session at 6:00 p.m. this evening to review revised Rules of Council.

**Council Member Cochran** has received communications from several citizens applauding the City for its strides in recycling efforts, as well as the resolution on single-use bag reduction.

**REPORTS AND COMMUNICATIONS FROM OTHER ELECTED OFFICIALS:**

**Law Director Eliason** submitted her annual report (see attached).

**Mayor Patterson** submitted his 2016 Year-End Review (see attached).

**ONE-READING RESOLUTION:**

**R-01-17**

A RESOLUTION IN RECOGNITION OF OHIO UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT RODERICK McDAVIS. Butler moved for Adoption; Papai seconded. Adoption was approved unanimously.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS & OTHER BUSINESS:**

President Knisely announced that City Council Members will be attending a final luncheon with President McDavis on Thursday, January 12, at noon.

Risner moved to accept the Auditor's November, 2016, Financial Reports; Papai seconded. Motion was approved unanimously.

Papai moved approval of the revised Rules of Council; Cochran seconded. Motion was approved unanimously.

At approximately 7:35 p.m., Cochran moved to adjourn the meeting; Papai seconded. Motion was approved unanimously.

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President of Council

ATTEST:

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Clerk of Council