

**MASSILLON CITY COUNCIL
CITY OF MASSILLON, OHIO
CLAUDETTE O. ISTNICK, PRESIDENT**

**DATE: MONDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2017
PLACE: COUNCIL CHAMBERS
TIME: 6:30 P.M.**

THERE ARE NO PUBLIC HEARINGS TONIGHT

- 1. ROLL CALL**
- 2. INVOCATION BY COUNCILWOMAN LINDA LITMAN**
- 3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- 4. READING OF THE JOURNAL**
- 5. REMARKS OF DELEGATIONS AND CITIZENS TO MATTERS ON THE AGENDA**
- 6. INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS**

ORDINANCE NO. 157 – 2017

BY: COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

AN ORDINANCE to approve current replacement pages to the Massillon Codified Ordinances, and declaring an emergency.

ORDINANCE NO. 158 – 2017

BY: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Mayor of the City of Massillon, Ohio to enter into an agreement with Stark County Regional Planning Commission (SCRPC) for housing rehabilitation for the year ending December 31, 2018, and declaring an emergency.

ORDINANCE NO. 159 – 2017

BY: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Director of Public Service and Safety of the City of Massillon, Ohio, to enter into an agreement to transfer property to the Community Improvement Corporation (CIC) of Massillon, and declaring an emergency.

ORDINANCE NO. 160 – 2017

BY: RULES, COURTS & CIVIL SERVICE COMMITTEE

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Director of Law of the City of Massillon, Ohio to renew a one (1) year contract with the Stark County Public Defender's Office, for the purpose of providing representation for indigent defendants that are charged under City Ordinances.

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BY: FINANCE COMMITTEE

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Mayor of the City of Massillon, Ohio, to enter into and execute a contract with the State of Ohio, Department of Transportation to proceed with the highway improvement project, PID No. 100870, consisting of microsurfacing, lying with the City of Massillon, Ohio, and declaring an emergency.

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BY: FINANCE COMMITTEE

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BY: FINANCE COMMITTEE

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Director of Public Service and Safety of the City of Massillon, Ohio, to enter into a contract with The Health Plan for health insurance coverage for City employees for the 2018 calendar year, and declaring an emergency.

ORDINANCE NO. 164 – 2017

BY: FINANCE COMMITTEE

AN ORDINANCE reducing the appropriations in the 3110 Massillon Museum Fund, for the year ending December 31, 2017, and declaring an emergency.

7. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

8. PETITIONS AND GENERAL COMMUNICATIONS

9. BILLS, ACCOUNTS AND CLAIMS

The Repository - \$ 897.60 Publication of October Ordinances

10. REPORTS FROM CITY OFFICIALS

11. REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

12. RESOLUTIONS AND REQUESTS OF COUNCIL MEMBER

13. CALL OF THE CALENDAR

ORDINANCE NO. 130 – 2017

BY: STREETS, HIGHWAYS, TRAFFIC & SAFETY COMMITTEE

Tabled November 20, 2017 until December 4, 2017

AN ORDINANCE implementing existing legislation authorizing this Council to designate additional streets to be improved relating to the Marketplace Development, authorizing related matters, and declaring an emergency.

ORDINANCE NO. 119 – 2017

BY: FINANCE COMMITTEE

Tabled November 20, 2017 until December 4, 2017

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Director of Public Service and Safety of Massillon, Ohio, to enter into a contract with OHM Advisors and the Ohio Department of Transportation (ODOT) for design and funding of the Wales Road Safety/Widening Project (STA-241-9.71), PID 100471, and declaring an emergency.

14. THIRD READING ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS

ORDINANCE NO. 145 – 2017

BY: FINANCE COMMITTEE

AN ORDINANCE to adopt appropriations for the operating and capital expenditures of the City of Massillon, Ohio, for the fiscal year 2018, and declaring an emergency.

ORDINANCE NO. 146 – 2017

BY: FINANCE COMMITTEE

AN ORDINANCE amending Section 2 of Ordinance No. 125 – 2013 and any other ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance, authorizing and directing the Auditor of the City of Massillon, Ohio, as of January 1, 2018, to hereby deposit the three-tenths percent (.3%) City Income Tax for the Parks and Recreation System into the “1234 Parks and Recreation Operation Fund”, “1306 Parks and Recreation Debt Retirement Fund” and the “1433 Parks and Recreation Capital Improvement Fund.

ORDINANCE NO. 147 – 2017

BY: FINANCE COMMITTEE

AN ORDINANCE amending Ordinance No. 143 – 1976 by repealing Section 13 – “ALLOCATION OF FUNDS - INCOME TAX” and enacting a new Section 13 – “ALLOCATION OF FUNDS - INCOME TAX” and repealing Ordinance No. 172 – 2014.

ORDINANCE NO. 148 – 2017

BY: FINANCE COMMITTEE

AN ORDINANCE amending Ordinance No. 157 – 2016 and any other ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance, and authorizing and directing the Auditor of the City of Massillon as of January 1, 2018, to deposit funds received from golfing fees at The Legends of Massillon Golf Course into The Legends Operating Fund and the Bond Retirement Fund.

15. SECOND READING ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS

ORDINANCE NO. 150 – 2017

BY: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

AN ORDINANCE amending Chapter 1349 “HISTORIC DISTRICTS” of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Massillon, Ohio.

16. NEW AND MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

17. REMARKS OF DELEGATIONS AND CITIZENS TO MATTERS NOT ON THE AGENDA

18. ADJOURNMENT

DIANE ROLLAND – CLERK OF COUNCIL

ORDINANCE NO. 157-2017

AN ORDINANCE TO APPROVE CURRENT REPLACEMENT
PAGES TO THE MASSILLON CODIFIED ORDINANCES AND
DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Ohio Constitution requires that Ohio municipal ordinances comply with State law if they are an exercise of the Municipality's police powers;

WHEREAS, certain provisions within the Codified Ordinances should be amended to conform with current State law; and

WHEREAS, various ordinances of a general and permanent nature have been passed by Council which should be included in the Codified Ordinances; and

WHEREAS, the City has heretofore entered into a contract with the Walter H. Drane Company to prepare and publish such revision which is before Council;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Council of the City of Massillon, Ohio:

SECTION 1: That the ordinances of the City of Massillon, Ohio, of a general and permanent nature, as revised, recodified, rearranged and consolidated into component codes, titles, chapters and sections within the 2018 Replacement Pages to the Codified Ordinances, are hereby approved and adopted.

SECTION 2: That the following sections and chapters are hereby added, amended or repealed as respectively indicated in order to comply with current State law.

Traffic Code

303.04	Road Workers, Motor Vehicles and Equipment Excepted. (Amended)
313.09	Driver's Duties Upon Approaching Ambiguous Traffic Signal. (Amended)
331.03	Overtaking, Passing to Left; Driver's Duties. (Amended)
333.01	Driving Under the Influence. (Amended)
335.09	Display of License Plates. (Amended)
351.07	Unattended Vehicles: Duties. (Amended)

General Offenses Code

501.01	General Definitions. (Amended)
521.10	Nonsmoking Areas in Places of Public Assembly. (Amended)
525.05	Failure to Report a Crime, Injury or Knowledge of Death. (Amended)
529.01	Liquor Control Definitions. (Amended)
529.08	Hours of Sale or Consumption. (Amended)
537.15	Temporary Protection Order. (Amended)
537.18	Contributing to Child Delinquency. (Amended)
541.02	Arson. (Amended)
549.01	Weapons Definitions. (Amended)
549.02	Carrying Concealed Weapons. (Amended)
549.04	Improperly Handling a Firearm in a Motor Vehicle. (Amended)

SECTION 3: That the complete text of the sections listed above are set forth in full in the current replacement pages to the Codified Ordinances which are hereby attached to this ordinance as Exhibit A. The listing above of each new section by reference to its title shall constitute sufficient publication of new matter contained therein.

SECTION 4: That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the Municipality and its inhabitants for the reason that there exists an imperative necessity for the earliest publication and distribution of current Replacement Pages to the officials and residents of the Municipality, so as to facilitate administration, daily operation and avoid practical and legal entanglements, including conflict with general State law, and shall go into effect immediately.

PASSED IN COUNCIL THIS _____ DAY OF _____, _____.

APPROVED: _____
Clerk of Council

President

Mayor

DATE: DECEMBER 4, 2017

CLERK: DIANE ROLLAND

MASSILLON CITY COUNCIL
CITY OF MASSILLON, OHIO
CLAUDETTE O. ISTNICK, PRESIDENT

COUNCIL CHAMBERS

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

ORDINANCE NO. 158 – 2017

BY: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

TITLE: AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Mayor of the City of Massillon, Ohio to enter into an agreement with Stark County Regional Planning Commission (SCRPC) for housing rehabilitation for the year ending December 31, 2018, and declaring an emergency.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MASSILLON, STATE OF OHIO, THAT:

Section 1:

The Council of the City of Massillon, Ohio, hereby finds that it is necessary for the Mayor of the City of Massillon, Ohio, to enter into an agreement with Stark County Regional Planning Commission (SCRPC) for housing rehabilitation as set forth in the attached agreement.

Section 2:

The Clerk of Council is authorized to correct any typographical errors discovered herein during or after the pendency or passage of this ordinance. The Clerk of Council is further authorized, in conjunction with the Law Department and the Council President to correct any ministerial or de minimis errors that do not substantially alter the intended results or numerical total sums of this ordinance, during or after the pendency or passage of this ordinance. Corrected copies are to be sent to all official recipients.

Section 3:

This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure, the reason for the emergency being it is necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety and welfare of the community. Provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the elected members to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor. Otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

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CLERK: DIANE ROLLAND

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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

ORDINANCE NO. 159 – 2017

BY: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

TITLE: AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Director of Public Service and Safety of the City of Massillon, Ohio, to enter into an agreement to transfer property to the Community Improvement Corporation (CIC) of Massillon, and declaring an emergency.

Section 1:

The Council of the City of Massillon, Ohio, hereby finds it necessary for the Director of Public Service and Safety of the City of Massillon, Ohio, to enter into an agreement to transfer Parcel No. 616847, a vacant lot on North Ave. N.W., Massillon, Ohio, to the Community Improvement Corporation (CIC) of Massillon.

Section 2:

The Director of Public Service and Safety of the City of Massillon, Ohio, is hereby authorized and directed to enter into an agreement to transfer Parcel No. 616847, a vacant lot on North Ave. N.W., Massillon, Ohio, to the Community Improvement Corporation (CIC) of Massillon for one dollar (\$1.00) and other valuable consideration.

Section 3:

The Clerk of Council is authorized to correct any typographical errors discovered herein during or after the pendency or passage of this ordinance. The Clerk of Council is further authorized, in conjunction with the Law Department and the Council President to correct any ministerial or de minimis errors that do not substantially alter the intended results or numerical total sums of this ordinance, during or after the pendency or passage of this ordinance. Corrected copies are to be sent to all official recipients.

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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

ORDINANCE NO. 160 – 2017

BY: RULES, COURTS AND CIVIL SERVICE COMMITTEE

TITLE: AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Director of Law of the City of Massillon, Ohio to renew a one (1) year contract with the Stark County Public Defender's Office, for the purpose of providing representation for indigent defendants that are charged under City Ordinances.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MASSILLON, STATE OF OHIO, THAT:

Section 1:

The Council of the City of Massillon, Ohio, hereby finds that it is necessary for the Director of Law of the City of Massillon, Ohio, to renew the one year contract with the Stark County Public Defender's Office for the purpose of providing representation for indigent defendants charged with violations of City Ordinances.

Section 2:

The Director of Law of the City of Massillon, Ohio, is hereby authorized to renew the one year contract with the Stark County Public Defender's Office for the purpose of providing representation for indigent defendants. The City of Massillon shall pay the sum of One Hundred Ninety-Five Dollars (\$195.00) per case under the terms of the contract; said payment to be made from Municipal Court funds which were previously used to pay private counsel appointed for indigent defendants. The contract will commence January 1, 2018 through the end of the 2018 calendar year with an option to renew for an additional year.

Section 3:

The Clerk of Council is authorized to correct any typographical errors discovered herein during or after the pendency or passage of this ordinance. The Clerk of Council is further authorized, in conjunction with the Law Department and the Council President to correct any ministerial or de minimis errors that do not substantially alter the intended results or numerical total sums of this ordinance, during or after the pendency or passage of this ordinance. Corrected copies are to be sent to all official recipients.

Section 4:

This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure as the current contract will expire December 31, 2017. Provided this Ordinance receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the elected members to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor. Otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED IN COUNCIL THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2017

ATTEST: _____
DIANE ROLLAND, CLERK OF COUNCIL

CLAUDETTE O. ISTNICK, PRESIDENT

APPROVED: _____

KATHY CATAZARO-PERRY, MAYOR

DATE: DECEMBER 4, 2017

CLERK: DIANE ROLLAND

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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

ORDINANCE NO. 161 – 2017

BY: STREETS, HIGHWAYS, TRAFFIC AND SAFETY COMMITTEE

TITLE: AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Mayor of the City of Massillon, Ohio, to enter into and execute a contract with the State of Ohio, Department of Transportation to proceed with the highway improvement project, PID No. 100870, consisting of microsurfacing, lying with the City of Massillon, Ohio, and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, on the 2nd day of May, 2016, the LPA enacted legislation, Ordinance No. 58- 2016, proposing cooperation with the Director of Transportation for the described project:

The project consists of microsurfacing, lying within the City of Massillon, Ohio; and

WHEREAS, the LPA shall cooperate with the Director of Transportation in the above described project as follows:

The City agrees to assume and bear one hundred percent (100%) of the entire cost of the improvement within the city limits, less the amount of Federal-Aid funds set aside by the Director of Transportation for the financing of this improvement from funds allocated by the Federal Highway Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation.

The share of the cost of the LPA is now estimated in the amount of Eight Thousand Seven Hundred Eight Dollars (\$8,708.00); but said estimated amount is to be adjusted in order that the LPA's ultimate share of said improvement shall correspond with said percentages of actual costs when said actual costs are determined; and

WHEREAS, the Director of Transportation has approved said legislation proposing cooperation and has caused to be made plans and specifications and an estimate of cost and expense for improving the above described highway and has transmitted copies of the same to this legislative authority; and

WHEREAS, the LPA desires the Director of Transportation to proceed with the aforesaid highway improvement.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MASSILLON, STATE OF OHIO, THAT:

Section 1:

That the estimated sum, of Eight Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars (\$8,708.00) is hereby appropriated for the improvement described above and the fiscal officer is hereby authorized and directed to issue an order on the treasurer for said sum upon the requisition of the Director of Transportation to pay the cost and expense of said improvement. We hereby agree to assume in the first instance, the share of the cost and expense over and above the amount to be paid from Federal funds.

Section 2:

That the LPA hereby request the Director of Transportation to proceed with the aforesaid highway improvement.

Section 3:

That the LPA enter into a contract with the State, and that Mayor be, and is hereby authorized to execute said contract, providing for the payment of the LPA the sum of money set forth herein above for improving the described project.

Section 4:

That the LPA transmit to the Director of Transportation a fully executed copy of this Ordinance.

Section 5:

The Clerk of Council is authorized to correct any typographical errors discovered herein during or after the pendency or passage of this ordinance. The Clerk of Council is further authorized, in conjunction with the Law Department and the Council President to correct any ministerial or de minimis errors that do not substantially alter the intended results or numerical total sums of this ordinance, during or after the pendency or passage of this ordinance. Corrected copies are to be sent to all official recipients.

Section 6:

This Ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety and welfare of the community and for the further reason to permit payment of appropriated dollars by the December 29, 2017 deadline. Provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the elected members to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor. Otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

DATE: DECEMBER 4, 2017

CLERK: DIANE ROLLAND

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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

ORDINANCE NO. 162 – 2017

BY: FINANCE COMMITTEE

TITLE: AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Director of Public Service and Safety of the City of Massillon, Ohio, to enter into contract with the best bidder for the financing/lease-purchase of two (2) fire trucks on behalf of the Massillon Fire Department, and declaring an emergency.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MASSILLON, STATE OF OHIO, THAT:

Section 1:

The Council of the City of Massillon, Ohio, hereby determines it necessary in the public health, safety and welfare for the Director of Public Service and Safety of the City of Massillon, Ohio, to enter into contract with the best bidder for the financing/lease-purchase of two (2) fire trucks on behalf of the Massillon Fire Department.

Section 2:

The Director of Public Service and Safety of the City of Massillon, Ohio, is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract with the best bidder for the financing/lease-purchase of two (2) fire trucks on behalf of the Massillon Fire Department, with a maximum finance amount of Eight Hundred and Forty-Eight Thousand Dollars (\$848,000.00).

Section 3:

The Clerk of Council is authorized to correct any typographical errors discovered herein during or after the pendency or passage of this ordinance. The Clerk of Council is further authorized, in conjunction with the Law Department and the Council President to correct any ministerial or de minimis errors that do not substantially alter the intended results or numerical total sums of this ordinance, during or after the pendency or passage of this ordinance. Corrected copies are to be sent to all official recipients.

Section 4:

This Ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety and welfare of the community and for the further reason to permit timely execution of documents to procure the vehicles. Provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the elected members to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor. Otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED IN COUNCIL THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2017

ATTEST: _____

DIANE ROLLAND, CLERK OF COUNCIL

CLAUDETTE O. ISTNICK, PRESIDENT

APPROVED: _____

KATHY CATAZARO-PERRY, MAYOR

DATE: DECEMBER 4, 2017

CLERK: DIANE ROLLAND

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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

ORDINANCE NO. 163 – 2017

BY: FINANCE COMMITTEE

TITLE: AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Director of Public Service and Safety of the City of Massillon, Ohio, to enter into a contract with The Health Plan for health insurance coverage for City employees for the 2018 calendar year, and declaring an emergency.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MASSILLON, STATE OF OHIO, THAT:

Section 1:

The Council of the City of Massillon, Ohio, hereby determines it to be necessary and in the public health, safety and welfare to enter into a contract with The Health Plan for health insurance coverage for City employees for the 2018 calendar year.

Section 2:

The Director of Public Service and Safety of the City of Massillon, Ohio, is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with The Health Plan for health insurance coverage for City employees for the 2018 calendar year.

Section 3:

The Clerk of Council is authorized to correct any typographical errors discovered herein during or after the pendency or passage of this ordinance. The Clerk of Council is further authorized, in conjunction with the Law Department and the Council President to correct any ministerial or de minimis errors that do not substantially alter the intended results or numerical total sums of this ordinance, during or after the pendency or passage of this ordinance. Corrected copies are to be sent to all official recipients.

Section 4:

This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the health, safety, and welfare of the community, and for the additional reason that it is necessary to take advantage of competitive costs for health insurance coverage for City employees for the 2018 calendar year. Provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the elected members to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor. Otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

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ATTEST: _____
DIANE ROLLAND, CLERK OF COUNCIL

CLAUDETTE O. ISTNICK, PRESIDENT

APPROVED: _____

KATHY CATAZARO-PERRY, MAYOR

DATE: DECEMBER 4, 2017

CLERK: DIANE ROLLAND

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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

ORDINANCE NO. 164 – 2017

BY: FINANCE COMMITTEE

TITLE: AN ORDINANCE reducing the appropriations in the 3110 Massillon Museum Fund, for the year ending December 31, 2017, and declaring an emergency.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MASSILLON, STATE OF OHIO, THAT:

Section 1:

The appropriations are hereby reduced in the 3110 Massillon Museum Fund, for the year ending December 31, 2017, as follows:

\$ - 820.95 from an account entitled "Massillon Museum Holding Account"	- 3110.905.5.2379
- <u>567.22</u> from an account entitled "County Collection Fees"	- 3110.905.5.2393
\$ -1,388.17 Total	

Section 2:

The Clerk of Council is authorized to correct any typographical errors discovered herein during or after the pendency or passage of this ordinance. The Clerk of Council is further authorized, in conjunction with the Law Department and the Council President to correct any ministerial or de minimis errors that do not substantially alter the intended results or numerical total sums of this ordinance, during or after the pendency or passage of this ordinance. Corrected copies are to be sent to all official recipients.

Section 3:

That this Ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure for the efficient operation of the various departments of the City of Massillon and for the preservation of the health, safety and welfare of the community and for the additional reason that the appropriations need to be reduced because of an audit procedure. Provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the elected members to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor. Otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.