ORDINANCE COMMITTEE
Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, June 2, 2020, 5:00 P.M.
Council Chambers, Bristol City Hall

ATTENDEES:  David Preleski, Greg Hahn
ABSENT:  Mary Fortier
STAFF PRESENT:  Wyland Dale Clift, Corporation Counsel

1. The Ordinance Committee was called to order at 5:00 p.m. by Council Member Preleski.

2. Approval of Minutes

Council Member Hahn made a motion to approve the minutes of May 5, 2020 seconded by Council Member Preleski. Minutes were approved.

3. Public Participation

There was no public participation.

4. Old Business


There was no public participation at the Public Hearing. Council Member Hahn made a motion to send this item to City Council for adoption. Council Member Preleski seconded the motion, all present voted in favor and the motion passed.

b. Sewer Authority – Creation of Charter Section 48A

Council Members Preleski and Hahn have spoken to Rob Longo and Sean Hennessey. Next month there should be a draft for this ordinance.

c. Personnel Committee, Charter changes to Section 54(a) City Charter

These are cleanups from the last Charter Revision Commission. The Committee has not met recently.

5. New Business

a. Tax exemptions for energy co-generation systems pursuant to CT General Statutes 12-41, 12-81 (63)

The suggested language is in the packet so that the committee members can become familiar with it. The Committee will focus on this at the next meeting. Attorney Clift advised that they should focus on the time periods. They will ask the Assessor or Judy Dick to attend the next meeting.

b. Pension changes pursuant to recent collective bargaining negotiations

Attorney Clift advised that the collective bargaining agreement overrides the Charter if there is a conflict. This is to do some cleanup. A lot of the detail can be removed and see what the agreement
provides for and see if there should be any changes. The Committee will follow-up with Attorney Conlin. Attorney Clift said that the changes should be made in the Ordinance as well. It should all comply.

6. Committee Member Comments

There were no committee member comments.

7. Adjournment

Council Member Hahn made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 5:11 p.m. seconded by Council Member Preleski. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Christine Cooper
Recording Secretary