

TO: Mayor Brown and Members of Council

FROM: Rules and Law, Committee, Maggie Palazzolo – Chairman

DATE: December 21, 2020

RE: Code of Ordinance Changes

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Rules and Law Committee Meeting  
Date: December 9, 2020 Began at 1:06 pm

The committee discussed the following issues related to updating the Mariemont Code of Ordinances:

1. Audit Committee: Currently, we have code that created an Audit Committee. It is recommended that the Mayor appoint three residents, with the approval of Council, to serve on the Committee to review Audit results and End of Year Financial documents.
2. Civil Defense Organization: We have code that creates this, however we contract with the Hamilton County Emergency Management Agency, so we are out of compliance with our code and it is unnecessary for us to do this for ourselves. The committee recommends removing this section of the code.
3. Parking: The goal of these changes are to correct the code to match what is actually happening in the Village based on changes to parking places being added and removed as well as signage changes. See the specific changes in the attachment. Additionally, the committee discussed parking changes that have been made at West and Thorndike as well as parking limitations made on Cherry St. Rob will follow-up to ensure those changes will also be made if any are necessary.
4. Bicycles on sidewalks: See attachment for changes. This was taken from Montgomery's code.
5. Swimming Pool Regulations: The committee recommends removing these from the code book. The pool manager should maintain these, not council.

The meeting concluded at approximately 1:50 pm.

The Committee recommends that the Solicitor prepare the necessary legislation.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Maggie Palazzolo, Chairman

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Marcy Lewis, Vice-Chairman

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Rob Bartlett, Member