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Public Hearings

The City Clerk reports that there were no public hearings scheduled prior to the March Regular Council meeting.

Unauthorized Items

The City Clerk reports that there are no unauthorized items on the agenda for the March Regular Council meeting.

Information Items

1. Monthly Permit and Zoning Reports

Bridget Susel has enclosed copies of the monthly zoning and permit violations report for February 2017. Permit revenues were \$24,932 for February with the most permits being issued for existing commercial (31 permits). There were 46 code enforcement items in February. (attachment)

2. Fire Incident Report

Chief Tosko has provided a copy of the fire and emergency medical services report for January 2017. In 2017 calls for fire service are down 27% (15 calls); fire mutual aid assistance is up 1 event in 2017; and EMS responses are up 22% (54 calls). (attachment)

3. "One Kent" Attachments

I've included a couple of new articles related to our One Kent Initiative that are 3-hole punched so that you can insert them into your notebook.

The first is the "Community Heart & Soul" Field Guide that was mentioned as a possible template to help guide us through our renewed community conversations related to updating the social and cultural elements of the Bicentennial Plan (you may recall the Heart & Soul approach received a positive testimonial from Professor Jen Mapes during the public comment period).

I've also printed an article that describes recent efforts in Dublin Ohio to build multigenerational apartments. According to the article, it turns out that the lifestyle amenities that appeal to the younger generation also appeal to active seniors.

Lastly I came across an article that summarized the apartment/housing design trends that appeal to the over 55 demographic. (attachments)