

First Energy Stadium Commission

James Schlegel- Chairman

Rick Denunzio- Vice Chairman/ Secretary

Rick Mountz- member

Michael Schorn –member

Gary Yeager Jr- member

Carlos Torres- DPW Liaison

Donna Reed- City Council Liaison

Strat Marmarou- Emeritus member

Stadium Commission Meeting 11-30-2022

Location- First Energy Stadium, RBI Room

Present; James Schlegel, Rick Denunzio, Gary Yeager Jr,

Rick Mountz, Strat Marmarou, Donna Reed, Carlos Torres

Absent; Mike Schorn

Order of business

- I. Call to order at 7:00PM by Chairman Schlegel
- II. Approval of meeting minutes from 10/26/2022; minutes presented and approved as read. Motion to accept by Gary Yeager Jr and seconded by Rick Mountz. Motion passed.
- III. Old Business: Scott Hunsicker was present and gave report on stadium upgrade project, Scott reported that steel frame should be completed by end of December, expecting total completion by April of 2024. Scott gave a presentation with blueprints of expected look of the renovations and upgrades. Scott mentioned that First Energy Stadium will be a one-of-a-kind facility in the USA when completed. Scott also reported that new Led lighting structures and home run walls must be completed by April 11th of 2023. Donna Reed stated that the building at 2040 Centre Ave is still waiting for a zoning hearing at this time. Volunteer hours

were tabulated and given to Chairman Schlegel so he can include them in his annual report to City Council

- IV. New Business: The Stadium Commission has decided on meeting dates for 2023 and it will be as follows,
1/25/23,3/22/23,5/31/23,9/27/23,10/25/23, 11/29/23 all to be held at the RBI room of the stadium at 7:00pm. Motion was made by Rick Mountz to accept new dates and seconded by Gary Yeager Jr. Motion passed.
- V. Miscellaneous; Chairman Schlegel reminded Commission that election of officers for 2023 will be held at the January meeting. Rick Denunzio questioned if any other funding was approved for stadium renovations and Donna Reed responded with that the State has released two million additional dollars but nothing more from the County at this time.
- VI. Chairman Schlegel asked that with no further business a motion was made to adjourn meeting at 7:57 pm, second by Gary Yeager Jr, meeting adjourned. Next scheduled meeting of Reading Stadium Commission will be held January 25th, 2023, at 7:00PM in the RBI room of the stadium.