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REGULAR MEETING | TOWN HALL | OCTOBER 24, 2023

CALL TO ORDER: 6:30 p.m. by Mayor Rick Whetsel

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL:

John Dierksheide	Ryan Caudill	Dan Conner	Tim Woodruff	Earl Morse	Juanieta Rodriguez
P	P	P	A	P	P

MOTION: Accept minutes from previous meeting September 2023.

1st: Juanieta R. 2nd: Ryan C.

All in favor (yes) Motion passed

MAYORS REPORT – Mayor Rick Whetsel

- \$50.00 donation for the Fire Auxiliary

GUESTS –No Guests

FISCAL OFFICERS REPORT – Gena Rathburn, Fiscal Officer / Clerk

MOTION: To accept emailed reports/financials.

- 1st Ryan C. 2nd Earl M.

All in favor (yes) Motion passed

POLICE DEPT. – Chief Shawn Beckley

- No reporting.

FIRE DEPT. – Chief Mike Cox.

- Steve Wells resigned as Lieutenant. He will be missed. Not sure if they will be filling that position.
- 2 new members are in the process of training.
- 2 new AED devices will be paid by the Ohio EMS grant \$2700.00.
- Waiting to hear from Corey Seweik on the bid process for the FEMA Grant the department received. Earl M. to call Auditor and discuss with Jeff Kline. Mayor Whetsel will call Corey.

ZONE REPORTS – Nothing to report

STREET COMM. – John D.

- Nothing

FINANCE COMM. –

- Nothing to report

OLD BUSINESS:

- Parade, Trick or Treat, and Movie at Park. Be safe and enjoy.
- Historical Plaque has been attached to the building and a dedication will take place with an open house at the hall at 3:30p on the 28th. Great work Historical Society.

NEW BUSINESS:

- **MOTION:** To donate \$50.00 to the Fire Aux. for the Halloween Festivities.
John D. 1st Earl M. 2nd All in Favor Y Motion Passes
- **MOTION:** To accept the job description outlined by the Mayor for the Street Department Position.
Earl M. 1st Ryan C. 2nd All In Favor Y Motion Passes

Mayor Whetsel stated it was budgeting season and the following projects / expenditures will be budgeted for the 2024 fiscal year.

1. Police Cruiser
2. Front windows on Town Hall – Keeping with the Historical significance and preserving the detail.
3. Zero Turn Mower
4. Paint for various projects with in the village: Tennis Ball / Pickle Ball , Cross Walks and Exterior of Hall.
5. Tuck Point if budget allows.

Mayor Whetsel also stated that during the last few months of the year to keep the spending down so we can focus on closing the year out and planning on next.


We were going to recognize a few individuals on achievements with in the village, this will be on hold until November.


Thank you!!!! Thank you!!!! Sandy Stephenson on the front flower beds at the Village Hall they needed it. We so appreciate it.

Don't forget to Vote November 7th!!!

MOTION: To Adjourn 1st Earl M. 2nd Juanita R. All in favor (yes) motion passed.

Next Meeting: Next Meeting November 28, 2023 @ 6:30p.m. Town Hall
Finance Meeting: November 28 @ 5:45p.m.


Gena Rathburn
Fiscal Officer / Clerk


Rick Whetsel
Mayor