

August 12, 2024 Council

Present for this regular meeting of the Village of West Liberty Council was Mayor Hudson, Mrs. Zerkle, Mrs. Griffith, Mr. Spriggs, Mr. Woodruff, Ms. Kauffman and Clerk Boyd. Absent: Solicitor Moell and Mrs. Maier. Mr. Detrick, street superintendent was also present. Guests: Lions Club members Nancy McGuire, Mr. Vitt, Mr. Harrison, also Mr. Joe Buck, Joann O'Brien. Other Guests: Jeremy Levan, Ken Reutch and Diane Allen. Howard Weirnerman was also here.

Meeting was opened with Pledge of Allegiance and Lord's Prayer.

Mrs. McGuire was here to present Joe Buck Sr. as the Grand Marshall for Labor Day Parade. Mrs. McGuire and Mr. Vitt presented Mr. Bob Harrison as Lion of the Year Award.

Howard Weirnerman was here to explain the recycling and trash bag options. He said curbside recycling started in 2006 and we were collecting about 12 TN and its 6-8 TN monthly. If trash bag cost increased it would be an incentive for residents to recycle. Logan County Solid Waste has grant money to educate residents what to recycle and what not to recycle. Trash bags could be raise to \$2.75 for large and \$1.75 small and would bring in about \$5400 per month. Mr. Reutch said he is on a fixed income and he doesn't want to pay for recycling. Steve Popp doesn't want to 60 gallon tote and Diane Allen doesn't want a tote either. Mayor Hudson will have a meeting with street committee and try to come up with a cost for recycling and trash bags.

A MOTION was made by Mrs. Griffith seconded by Mr. Woodruff to approve the minutes of July 22, 2024 as written/read. Motion Carried.

A MOTION was made by Mr. Spriggs seconded by Mrs. Zerkle to approve the following bills in the amount of \$87,280.59. Motion Carried.

Dumpster Now	clean up day	2711.00
DNEI Neenah	grates etc.	2304.00
Postmaster	certified mailing	58.08
Ohio Child Support	for Oelker	340.68
AES	electric Dodge	143.22
AES	electric Library	178.92
AES	electric PH	32.45
AES	electric L/B	216.31
AES	electric L/B	408.97
Bug A Boo	mosquito fogging	375.00
Boldman Printing	newsletters	175.00
ATT	cell phones	279.88
Cherokee run Landfill	43.51 TN	3090.55
Statewide Ford	3rd final payment	17914.07
Duff Quarry	stone	615.96
CenterPoint	natural gas library	60.48
CenterPoint	natural gas L/B	260.94
CT Communication	phones	539.51
CO Jack Lumber	spray black	7.29
CO Jack Lumber	supplies	15.97
Thomans IGA	water	11.96
AES	electric L/B	422.62
TSC	tire tube	21.99
TSC	tire	34.99
TSC	weed killer	159.99
Ryan Campbell	80 reg 22 OT	1774.45

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Lee Deloye	56 reg 16 SL 8 vac	1432.97
Bill Detrick	salary	1562.23
Rickey Lowe	80 reg	1011.07
Mark Nelson	80 reg	1165.48
Shane Oelker	salary	1433.48
Brian Snider	67.75 reg	1060.73
Brad Hudson	salary	360.05
Darin Leach	salary	1332.61
Rick Miller	salary	311.84
Chris Moell	salary	550.45
Steve Rabenstein	salary	836.40
Scott Woodruff	salary	600.14
IRS	WH MC EMP MC	747.59
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Ohio School Dist.	school tax	369.94
Ohio Dept Taxation	state tax	750.40
RITA	municipal tax	347.06
OPERS	retirement	3727.99
OPFDPF	retirement	4487.12
O'Reilly	coupler	14.24
Anthem Life	life ins.	50.00
Champaign		
Telephone	phones July	123.50
Ohio Data	phones Aug	123.50
AES	electric L/B	63.28
Wex Bank	gasoline	2175.72
Cindee Boyd	salary	1465.20
Ryan Campbell	80 reg 9 OT	1511.81
Lee deloye	80 reg 2 OT	1479.75
Bill Detrick	salary	1562.23
Missy Hughes	55 reg 5 SL	744.63
Rickey Lowe	80 reg	1011.07
Mark Nelson	75 reg 1 pers 4 vac	1165.48
Shane Oelker	salary	1433.48
Brian Snider	32 vac 24 reg	885.10
Ohio Def Comp	for Boyd	85.00
Ohio Child Support	for Oelker	340.68
IRS	WH MC EMP MC	2074.94
WL Fire Dept	training	375.00
Fire Safety	kit and gasket	41.00
Integrity Ford	oil change	37.02
Integrity Ford	A/C battery etc.	1353.64
Patriots Attic	range fee and barrels	1270.00
Dollar General	calculator Windex etc.	11.75
Heater Excavating	storm drain	2500.00
Cintas	uniforms	325.56
Doug Lash	services 8-2	100.00
Quality Paving	paving at Lions Park	3200.00
Shannon Maier	signs	50.00
RD holder	fuel	619.84
Ryan Wirick	services 7-26	100.00
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	maintenance on cooling	
Reliant Mechanical	TH	350.00
Shane Freehauf	spray lic and training	115.00

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Columbus Street		
Cleaning	street sweeping	1200.00
Ryan Wirick	service 8-6	100.00
Quill	toner and tabs	181.98
Bill Alig	chains sharpened	12.00
Dustin Eckurd	alley work	187.50
Lo Co Chamber	seminar	30.00
	electric at concession	
AE Custom	stand	1100.00
Ohio SHP	Leads	1200.00
Spectrum	internet	149.97
NAPA	headlamps	36.99
Citnas	mat	50.45
Doug Lash	services aug 9	100.00

Land Bank update for old school- - Received permission from Scott O'Donnell old school and Breanne is looking into the property next to Shell.

RITA – has 11 accounts past due totaling \$13,170.00 we want to 1. file civil litigation 2. We collect 3. No action. We can send a letter to all and if they pay penalties will be waived (not interest) by December 31- Clerk sent certified letters and a few have come back.

Mrs. Griffith explained Lunch Buddies for WLS and they meet 1 time a month for 3rd grader—If anyone interested please contact the clerk with more information.

Mr. Detrick thinks Mandating garbage rubbish 951.11 needs changed. We will wait until next meeting; the solicitor will be here.

The United Way Community Day is August 23 and Civista bank will be helping us with staining the pergola at splash pad. We will provide lunch.

All employees and elected officials are Required fraud training from Ohio Auditor of State. Please give your certificate to the Clerk or she can give you the link to get the certificate.

The Bank has forced us to get flood insurance in the amount of \$236 per month added to our payment per month for the police department.

Mayor Hudson needs to appoint Planning Commission 1. Resident 2. resident 3. Jeremy Hankins 4. Mayor and 5. Council member- no updates yet.

Zoning Appeals Andy Smith Tim Wilcox Steve Godwin Cherrie Squires and Brenda Coy

Resolution 2024-R9 entitled "A RESOLUTION BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF West Liberty AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE OF West Liberty TO ORDER THE LOGAN COUNTY AUDITOR TO ADD AN ADDITIONAL TAX LIEN ON CERTAIN REAL ESTATE TAXES FOR COLLECTION FOR SERVICES RENDERED AS STATED HEREIN" was read. A MOTION was made by Mrs. Griffith seconded by Ms. Kauffman to adopt Resolution 2024-R9 on first and final reading. Motion Carried.

Mr. Detrick said City of Centerville will be here Tuesday to pay and pick up old packer.

Mr. Detrick said Dustin Eukard could not freshen up the gravel alleys. Our alleys don't have enough stone.

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Mr. Detrick said we don't have enough time to get Rickey trained for CDL and he thinks Mark and Rickey need to come in on Saturday's to train/study for Overtime. He thought maybe 20 hours and Rickey can get it done or we can spend \$3000 and send him to class. A MOITON was made by Mrs. Zerkle seconded by Mr. Woodruff to approve the Overtime. Motion Carried. Yeas: 5 Nays: 0 No vote: 1. Clerk Boyd was looking at the appropriations when motion was made.

Mr. Detrick has not been driving the trash truck because of his spine surgery.

Mr. Detrick said if we were going to start picking up recyclables. We have to hire younger employees because of the up and down off truck and it is tough.

A MOTION was made by Mrs. Griffith seconded by Ms. Kauffman to purchase a new splash pad button in the amount of about \$900 installed. Motion Carried.

Important Dates

August 15th Safety Council Mrs. Griffith and Mr. Woodruff will attend.

A MOTION was made by Mr. Spriggs seconded by Mrs. Zerkle to adjourn at 8:03 PM. Motion Carried.

Clerk Cindee M. Boyd

Mayor Bradley Hudson