

VILLAGE OF HAMERSVILLE
130 WEST MAIN STREET
HAMERSVILLE, OHIO 45130
Regular Village Council Meeting
 June 14, 2010

Present: Mayor Larry Talbott, Harry Tolliver, Ragan Ernst, Keith Staggs, Wyndal Staggs, Betty Kirkpatrick and Clerk Treasurer Tammie Ogle.

Also Present: Bob Neu, Cecelia Potts, Chief Jim Canter, Gene Whisman, Skip Bollinger, Gerald Holton, Edna Pride and Scott McKinney.

Mayor Talbott called this meeting to order at 7:00 p.m., and then led the assembly in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Clerk Treasurer presented the minutes of the previous meeting to the Council, as well as the Warrant Register, Fund Status, Revenue Status and Appropriation Status reports, and the May, 2010 Bank Reconciliation. Ms. Kirkpatrick made a motion to accept the minutes, and Mr. K. Staggs seconded it. The motion carried, all members voting yes. All other reports and the Bank Reconciliation were read and approved.

Mayor Talbott recognized Mr. Neu, who came on behalf of Bible Chapel Church. A semi truck went off of the road and caved in the culvert. Council will have Ronnie Blair fix it as soon as the weather permits.

Mayor Talbott then recognized Mr. Whisman, who is thinking about building a house on Main Street. Council told him to go ahead as planned.

Mayor Talbott recognized Scott McKinney, who wants to put in a 1250 sq. ft. home on his lot on Wooster. Mr. K. Staggs asked for a copy of his floor plans.

Mayor Talbott recognized Edna Pride, who asked Council to put up a sign saying "do not block alley". She also complained about trees blocking the alley. Mr. Holton informed the council that the Village has his permission to trim the trees. Council agreed to put up the sign.

The Clerk Treasurer presented all bills to the Council as follows:

11568.90	Hamersville Payroll	Payroll	1000-110-190
1.35	ODJFS	Unemployment	1000-710-690
62.10	Keith Staggs	Other	2011-620-399
55.13	Brown County Press	Other	1000-710-690
152.59	1 st Stop	Fuel	2011-620-420
106.75	Marathon Petroleum	Fuel	2011-620-420
12523.94	Bank of New York Trust	Bond Payment	3401-850-720
72.58	Verizon North	Telephone	2401-110-321

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Mr. K. Staggs made a motion to pay all bills. Ms. Kirkpatrick seconded the motion, and it carried, all voting yes.

Ms. Kirkpatrick made a motion to read the Mowing Ordinance for the second time. Mr. W. Staggs seconded the motion, and it carried, all voting yes.

Ms. Potts discussed the Ordinances for abatement and the correct procedures necessary. The NSP demolitions are under way.

Mr. K. Staggs and Skip have been looking at tractors, and they have found one at Cahall Brothers with only 159 hours on it, for \$16,500.00

Mr. W. Staggs drove around Sunday after the flooding. He informed the Council that the cul-de-sac on Adkins Place is not being mowed. Mr. Helton needs it kept cleaned out so it does not back up into his farm.

Mr. K. Staggs made a motion to suspend the rules for reading an Ordinance three times, and Ms. Kirkpatrick seconded it. The motion carried, all voting yes. Ms. Kirkpatrick made a motion to adopt Ordinance 2010-08, requesting an Auditor's Certificate for a 2 mil Police Levy. Mr. W. Staggs seconded the motion, and it carried, all voting yes.

Chief Canter has been going out at all hours of the night trying to catch people stealing signs. Bob Cantrell approached Jared while on patrol and asked if the Village would split its gas purchases between them and McKinney Mart. The Council discussed the issue, and decided to consider the Board's opinion as well. After asking whether the members wanted to discuss it or wait, Ms. Ernst and Ms. Kirkpatrick wanted to make a decision now. Ms. Ernst reminded the Council that her family has been in the Village for a long time.

Ms. Kirkpatrick made a motion to give Suzanne a \$25.00 per month raise, starting June 1, for Clerk of Courts. Mr. Tolliver seconded the motion, and it carried, all voting yes.

Mr. K. Staggs made a motion to adjourn, and Ms. Ernst seconded it. The motion carried, all voting yes.

Larry Talbott, Mayor

Betty Kirkpatrick, Council

Ragan Ernst, Council

Keith Staggs, Council

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