

VILLAGE OF HAMERSVILLE
130 WEST MAIN STREET
HAMERSVILLE, OHIO 45130
Regular Village Council Meeting
 July 14, 2008

Present: Mayor Larry Talbott, Jack Shouse, Betty Kirkpatrick, Harry Tolliver, Keith Staggs, Wyndal Staggs, Michele Watson and Clerk Treasurer Tammie Ogle.

Also Present: Donna Tolliver, Janet Talbott, Chief Canter, Jared Riley, Cecelia Potts, Charlene Bronner and Robert & Teresa Lang-Wilson.

Mayor Talbott called the 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 order, as well as the Warrant Register, Revenue Status, Appropriation Status and Fund Status Reports, and the June, 2008 Bank Reconciliation.

Ms. Kirkpatrick made a motion to accept the minutes as presented, and Mr. Tolliver seconded it. The motion carried, all voting yes. All other reports and the Bank Reconciliation were read and approved.

Mayor Talbott recognized Mr. & Mrs. Wilson, who are interest in annexing into the Village so they can utilize the sewer system. Ms. Potts explained how to begin the procedure.

Mayor Talbott recognized Charlene Bronner who came to complain about a house and garage on Lucas Road which she says is falling down. Mayor Talbott will look at it, and if necessary the owner will be notified. Ms. Bronner also had a car paint-balled, as well as other damages due to people at the athletic field after hours. Mayor Talbott will call Pat Hodges.

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

10925.16	Hamersville Payroll	Payroll	1000-110-190
6051.56	Bank of New York Trust	Bond Payment	3401-850-720
28.00	Suzanne Madden	Mileage	5101-531-252
72.80	Kay Elliott	Mileage	5101-531-252
8.00	Cornett's Lawn & Garden	Supplies	2011-620-420
69.14	Verizon North	Telephone	2401-110-321
58.20	Brown Publishing	Advertising	2011-620-690

Ms. Kirkpatrick made a motion to pay all bills as presented, and Mr. Shouse seconded it. The motion carried, all voting yes.

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Mr. W Staggs complained that people are not mowing their grass. He also said that someone isn't checking into yard sale permits. He wants to stop having Village-wide yard sales every month next year.

Chief Canter informed the Council that the Police Department has given out 27 letters for mowing.

Mayor Talbott stepped aside temporarily, and Mr. Shouse, President of Council, appointed Janet Talbott to serve on the Board of Public Affairs as a replacement for Kevin Smith. Ms. Talbott was then sworn in.

Skip put up a Corporation sign on Fite.

2009 is the 125th Anniversary of the Municipality of Hamersville. The Council will decide later if a celebration can be arranged.

Ms. Kirkpatrick made a motion to run a 1 mil Current Expense Levy, and Ms. Waston seconded it. Roll Call vote resulted as follows: Mr. K. Staggs-no, Mr. W. Staggs-no, Mr. Tolliver-no, Ms. Watson=yes, Ms. Kirkpatrick=yes, Mr. Shouse=yes. Vote was tied, and Mayor Talbott voted yes. Motion carried. Ms. Kirkpatrick made a motion to waive three readings and declare an emergency, and roll call vote resulted as follows: Mr. K. Staggs-no, Mr. W. Staggs-no, Mr. Tolliver-no, Ms. Watsom=yes, Ms. Kirkpatrick=yes, Mr. Shouse=yes. Two thirds vote being necessary, motion did not carry.

Ms. Kirkpatrick made a motion to have the first reading to change Clerk Treasurer position to Fiscal Officer, Resolution 2008-11, and Ms. Watson seconded it. The motion carried, all voting yes.

Mr. W. Staggs made a motion to make High Street, north of St. Rt. 125 into a one-way street going into the athletic fields. Mr. Tolliver seconded, and the motion carried, all voting yes.

The Street Committee cut up a tree that had fallen on Wooster during a storm.

Mayor Talbott will call the Mayor of Bethel to find out about painting crosswalks and putting up signs.

The Council told the Police Department to keep up the good work.

Mayor Talbott set a special meeting for July 21st at 7:00 p.m.

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

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Larry Talbott, Mayor

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Michele Watson
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Jack Shouse
Jack Shouse, President

Keith Staggs
Keith Staggs, Council

Harry Tolliver
Harry Tolliver, Council

Tammie Ogle
Tammie Ogle, Clerk Treasurer