

VILLAGE OF HAMERSVILLE
202 WEST MAIN STREET
HAMERSVILLE, OHIO 45130
Regular Village Council Meeting
May 14, 2001

Present: Mayor Duane C. Neu, Clerk Treasurer Tammie Ogle, and the following members of the Village Council: Kevin Ogle, Bill Dean, Donnie Sowers, and Joyce Craig.
Also Present: Police Chief Jim Canter, Ryan Patton, Kenny Green, Lisa Gumm, Scott Lanter and Ron Ebelhar of H.C. Nutting Company.

Mayor Neu called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. He then recognized Mr. Ebelhar, who came to explain the Village's rights concerning the regulation of wireless communications towers in the Village. At present, there are approx. 150,000 antennae in the U.S., and it is estimated that in seven years, that number will increase to over 1 million. H.C. Nutting's program insures at least some control over how high the towers can be, where it is placed, etc. The Village can assess taxes on the towers if we write the ordinances correctly. H.C. Nutting will write the ordinance for \$2,000, and they will charge the carriers the rest of the costs. The Council will take this under advisement.

Mayor Neu then recognized Ms. Gumm. She is having problems with her sewer. We are waiting for the parts to come in. If they do not come in shortly, Mr. Green will pump her system out for her.

The Clerk Treasurer presented the reports, which included the Warrant Register, Revenue Account Status, Expenditure Account Status, Fund Status, and the Mayor's Report. The Minutes of the previous meeting were presented as well. Mr. Dean made a motion to accept the minutes as presented, and Mr. Ogle seconded the minutes. The motion carried, all members voting yes.

Mr. Green needs a new push mower. He will pick it up from Cornett's, at an approximate cost of \$129.00

Mr. Patton presented his letter of resignation to the Council. Mr. Ogle made the motion to accept it, and Ms. Craig seconded the motion. The motion was carried, all members voting yes.

There is a concern regarding the old brush and tree limb piles around town. There have been some rats seen in them. We need to make an effort to let people bring their brush in for disposal. Mr. Dean will drop off a booklet for chipper rental, and we can rent one for a day and set it up-maybe in the park.

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We have a problem with dogs in town. Do we need to write up a new ordinance? We use the Ohio Municipal Code regarding vicious dogs. We also need to require liability insurance. There are also some people breeding dogs in town. Mayor Neu will bring up the subject of dog control ordinances at this month's Mayor's meeting.

Ms. Potts brought all of our ordinances from the Law Library. We need to go through them and take out all of the ordinances that are not enforcement ordinances. The Clerk Treasurer will keep the rest.

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

7319.17	H'ville Payroll	Payroll	1000-110-190
46.92	H'ville Payroll	Medicare	1000-110-213
3267.11	BWC	Workers Comp	1000-110-225
108.39	Verizon North	Telephone	1000-110-321
75.50	West Group	Legal	1000-710-690
20.00	BC Sheriff	Other	1000-710-690
45.99	Richey Automotive	Repairs	1000-110-431
500.00	Scott Gusweiler	Magistrate	1000-720-369
34.71	News Democrat	Advertising	1000-710-690
1640.75	Ronnie Blair	Contr. Serv.	2011-620-369
61.89	Kibler Lumber	Supplies	2011-620-690
880.25	Lykins Companies	Supplies	1000-710-690
95.55	Kay Elliott	Travel	5101-531-252
27.63	Tammie Ogle	Travel	5101-531-252
280.00	Colby Saylor	Travel	5101-531-252
200.00	Ronnie Schneider	Rent	1000-730-331

Mr. Ogle made a motion to pay all bills as presented. Mr. Dean seconded the motion, and the motion carried, all members voting yes.

There needs to be a catch basin behind the firehouse, and they need to cut the road to carry the water across Wooster. This needs to be done now so that it has time to settle. They will use double wall plastic.

Mr. Ogle will ask the Township Trustees to mow the tree limbs on Wooster when they are doing their roads.

The Clerk Treasurer called Doug Green to check on a new Levy for the Police Department. A new 1 1/2 mil Levy would bring us about three times what we are getting now from our old one. Ms. Potts will bring us an Ordinance for a 2 mil replacement Levy this year.

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Ordinance 2001-06, Adelphia Franchise, was read for the third time. Ms. Craig made a motion to adopt this ordinance, and Mr. Sowers seconded the motion. The motion carried, all members voting yes.

Mayor Neu will contact Brandstetter and Carroll to get the engineering for moving the sewer line at Neal's Corner.

Mr. Ogle made the motion to adjourn, and Ms. Craig seconded the motion. The motion carried, all members voting yes.

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