

Village of Hamersville
Special Council Meeting
November 18, 1992 7:00 P.M.
202 Main Street Hamersville, Ohio 45130

Present: Mayor Steven Bowyer, Clerk Treasurer Martha Hanes,
Council Members: Ms. Cheryl Craig, Mr. William Dean Jr., Mr.
James Johnston, Mr. Duane Neu, Mr. Wyndal Staggs.
Also Present: Chief James Canter and Officer Wayde Blanton of
the Hamersville Police Department.
Absent: Patrick Hanselman

Mayor Bowyer called this special meeting to order and turned
the meeting over to Mr. Staggs.

Mr. Staggs reported that he had a meeting with Chief Canter
and they had discussed their problems and that they think they
have them all in order.

Mayor Bowyer said he had called Chief Canter the day there
had been an accident in town and there was no officer on duty
even though one was on the schedule. Chief Canter reported that
Officer Neal had gone home early.

Mayor Bowyer said that the absence of a police officer
and the fact that the village had to call another Life Squad
makes the village look very bad.

Mr. Staggs brought up the subject of ticket fixing within
the village and Mayor Bowyer reported that Officer Neal had
written a ticket and had requested the ticket be dismissed.

Council wanted to know what hours the Chief worked and
he replied that he had kept record of his hours and had given
them to the Mayor.

Mr. Staggs said that the Chief should be firm and that
all officers must work their scheduled hours.

Mr. Johnston feels that the village has a problem with
the Officers having hours scheduled and then leaving early or
not working their hours and said that they should report to
the Mayor or the Chief if they are going to leave early;
however it was pointed out that since both the Chief and the
Mayor both have full time jobs they are not in the village to
receive the report.

Chief Canter said he had no problem with keeping a log
of all the hours he works per month and will make this available
to council members.

Chief Canter said he apologized to Mr. Staggs for the
misunderstanding and would also apologize to Mrs. Staggs for
bringing her name into the conversation.

Mayor Bowyer said that he wanted to go on record that he
does not fix tickets now nor has he fixed tickets in the past.

Mr. Staggs reported that Mr. Bolender had complained about
Mrs. Blantons ditch being stopped up and water over flowing
on the street.

Mr. Staggs reported that council wants Mr. Leicht to bring

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council a copy of the State Law that says all residences must hook on to a sewer system and also tell council what they have to do to have this law enforced.

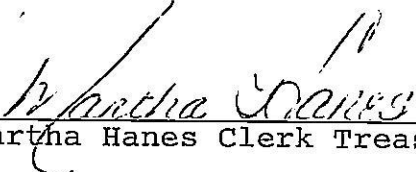
Mr. Johnston recommended on behalf of the police committee that the village hire Mr. Robert Hensley as a part time police officer.

After some discussion Mr. Johnston motioned that Mr. Robert Hensley be hired as a part time police officer for the village of Hamersville, his hours to be set by the Chief of the police department and his pay rate to start at Four Dollars and Sixty Five Cents per hour (\$4.65). He is to be on a six month probationary period. The village will furnish Mr. Hensley with one winter uniform consisting of a long Sleeve Shirt, Pants, Jacket, Tie, Hat, and Badge. If Mr. Hensley leaves the village to accept employment elsewhere before his probationary period is up he will reimburse the village for one half the cost of the uniform. Motion was seconded by Mr. Neu. Voteing: Johnston: YEA, Neu: YEA, Craig: YEA, Dean: YEA, Staggs: YEA. Voteing: Nay. None. **MOTION CARRIED.**

A motion to adjourn was made by Ms. Craig seconded by Mr. Dean. Voteing: Craig: YEA, Dean: YEA, Johnston: YEA, Neu: YEA, Staggs: YEA. Voteing: NAY. None. **MOTION CARRIED.**

Mayor Bowyer adjourned the meeting reminding everyone that if you have any questions about the village business you should call and get the facts from me. He also reminded everyone that the next regular meeting will be December 7, 1992 at 7:00 P.M.


Steven Bowyer-Mayor


Martha Hanes Clerk Treasurer