

VILLAGE OF HAMERSVILLE
130 WEST MAIN STREET
HAMERSVILLE, OHIO 45130
Regular Village Council Meeting
 May 14, 2012

Present: Mayor Keith Staggs, Harry Tolliver, Ragan Ernst, Betty Kirkpatrick, Michele Watson, Pat Scott, John Kirby and Fiscal Officer Tammie Ogle.
 Also Present: Donna Tolliver, Skip Bollinger, Chief Canter, Suzanne Madden, Wayne and Diana Johnson, Gary Bronner and David Grimes.

Mayor Staggs 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 April, 2012 Bank Reconciliation. Ms. Kirkpatrick made a motion to accept the minutes, and Mr. Tolliver seconded it. The motion carried, all voting yes. All other reports, as well as the Bank Reconciliation, were read and approved.

Mayor Staggs recognized Mr. & Mrs. Johnson, who bought the property at 124 Richey Street. They want to put a newer mobile home there, and asked if the Council is still willing to grant a variance on the size of the dwelling. Ms. Ernst made a motion to grant the variance, and Ms. Kirkpatrick seconded it. The motion carried, all voting yes.

Mayor Staggs recognized Gary Bronner, who came in because he was told that when his wife brought in the pictures last month of properties she thought needed to be cleaned up, the Mayor went to certain people and told them that she was after them. The Mayor told him that he had told the people that she brought pictures of their properties to Council. Mr. Bronner was angry. He left the meeting.

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

9951.73	Hamersville Payroll	Payroll	1000-110-190
6449.48	Bank of New York	Bond Payment	3401-850-710
240.00	Hamersville Electric	Supplies	2011-620-420
103.23	Seips Auto Parts	Supplies	2011-620-420
70.88	ODJFS	Unemployment	1000-110-190
80.74	Frontier	Telephone	2401-110-231
218.21	Roy Tailor Uniform	Supplies	2401-110-420
45.42	Dave's Auto Service	Supplies	2401-110-420
6.00	BC Lawn & Garden	Other	2011-620-399
400.00	Buckeye Flags & Flagpoles	Other	2011-620-690
640.00	Ronnie Blair	Contract Services	2011-620-399

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Ms. Kirkpatrick made a motion to pay all bills, and Ms. Watson seconded it. The motion carried, all voting yes.

Mayor Staggs got the plaque with the names all spelled correctly.

We will add the tornado siren to our insurance policy.

Skip needs sign posts and 5 more storm drain frames.

Mr. Cantrell still will not return the Mayor's phone calls. Ronnie Blair did up a drawing to fix the problem. It will cost around \$8,000 to \$10,000. The Council feels that we are not responsible for any of the cost.

Mr. Kirby has a 4X6 flag that was flown over the Capital coming. Jean Schmidt is willing to come and have a ceremony. Council discussed the best place for the flag. Mr. Tolliver and Mr. Kirby think it would look best in the front. Mayor Staggs wants Skip to be the one to raise the flag. Mr. Kirby, Ms. Watson and Mr. Tolliver will set a date and start to plan the ceremony.

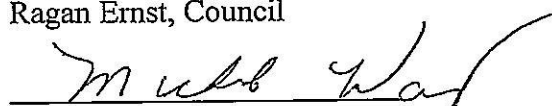
Mayor Staggs will meet with the Police Officers. He wants to give Officer Graham a promotion to Sergeant, and invite him and his wife to a meeting. The Police Officers are not helping Chief with the on-call time. Mayor Staggs will talk to them.

Ms. Kirkpatrick made a motion to give Suzan, Bob and Skip \$.50 per hour raises as of May 1, per the Board's recommendation. Ms. Ernst seconded the motion, and it carried, all voting yes.

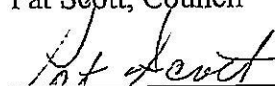
Ms. Kirkpatrick made a motion to adjourn, and Ms. Ernst seconded it. The motion carried, all voting yes.

Keith Staggs, Mayor

Ragan Ernst, Council



Pat Seott, Council



Michele Watson, Council

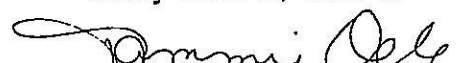


Betty Kirkpatrick, President



John Kirby, Council

Harry Tolliver, Council



Tammie Ogle, Fiscal Officer