

REGULAR MEETING

JUNE 20, 2019

Mayor Jeff Dryden called the meeting to order at 7:15 pm. Greg DiDonato, Helen Borland, Jim Dickey, Tracie Bolitho and Fiscal Officer Kathy Norman were in attendance. Mike Clark, Kene Edwards and Solicitor James Ong were absent.

Motion (1) to accept the meeting minutes from June 20, 2019 was made by Helen Borland, 2nd by Jim Dickey. Motion carried.

GUESTS: None

DEPARTMENT REPORTS:

FISCAL: Fiscal Officer Kathy Norman presented bills in the amount of \$65,357.76 to be paid. Motion (2) to pay the bills made by Greg DiDonato, 2nd by Tracie Bolitho. Motion carried.

Bank reconciliation was completed with no outstanding receipts or adjustments.

RITA collections were 56.42 % over budget, \$800,000 was budgeted and we are half way through the year and collections are at \$451.367.32 YTD.

Zoning: Dan Shaver was in attendance. He requested approval to do bug spraying and rat poison at 233 McCook which is scheduled to be demolished. Motion (3) to allow Dan to spend up to \$500 for bug spraying and rat poison at 233 McCook property made by Greg DiDonato, 2nd by Tracie Bolitho. Motion carried.

Dan Shaver also requested \$10,380 for demolition of 233 McCook and \$7,728 for demolition of 703 Center Street which will be completed by July 1. Motion (4) to approve demolition cost for 233 McCook and 703 Center as listed above was made by Greg DiDonato, 2nd by Jim Dickey. Motion carried.

He also notified council that the fee to obtain 701 Center had been sent to the County and that he is working on getting 303 McCrea. The home at 808 N. 1st Street will be demolished by Trinity Twin City Hospital this month.

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STREET:

Doug White was in attendance. He said that Newton Paving had completed the 700 block of N. 4th St and the striping is done. His department is working on mowing and patching holes.

An AEP Contractor broke a storm drain behind the American Italian Club on N. 5th. They have agreed to repair at a cost not to exceed \$2,500 or they will address the issue with Council. Motion (5) to accept the repairs not to exceed \$2,500 made by Greg DiDonato, 2nd by Tracie Bolitho. Motion carried.

Union Township has requested \$1,000 for gravel to repair the road at Sherman St. (Point Breeze) to the Catholic Cemetery. Motion (6) to pay Union Township for gravel to repair Sherman St. to the Catholic Cemetery not to exceed \$1,000 made by Greg DiDonato, 2nd by Tracie Bolitho. Motion carried.

POLICE: Chief Todd Beeman said they are working on Property Improvement issues.

REPORTS: Fire and Zoning Reports for May 2019 were approved. Motion (7) made by Greg DiDonato, 2nd by Jim Dickey. Motion carried.

Mayor Dryden announced that the Tuscarawas General Health District would be spraying for mosquitoes June 24 to June 27.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Jim Dickey recommended that the lease with Thornwood Park Preservation Group be rescinded and the Village begin to manage the Thornwood Park Pavilion and bookings for its rental. Motion (8) to rescind the lease with Thornwood Park Preservation Group and return management of the pavilion back to the Village of Dennison made by Greg DiDonato, 2nd by Tracie Bolitho. Motion carried.

Greg DiDonato informed council that Fire Chief Dave McConnell had requested a grant for a generator and Brush truck.

