

Council Minutes
May 29, 2007

Those in attendance: April Grunden, Kristina Boroff, Janice Clay, Mike Bowling, Sara Busacca, Judy Koesters, Andy Buffenbarger, Terry Seibert, Randy Severns.
Meeting was called to order at 6:30pm followed by the pledge.

Bob Nolan asked Council to have people in the Village keep their lawns mowed.

There was a motion by April with a second by Sara to waive the reading of the minutes, all yeas. There was a motion by Mike with a second by April to approve the minutes, all yeas.

There was motion by Mike with a second by Sara to approve the police report, all yeas.

Street Commissioner's Report: Randy will get some mulch for the park. Several old Cemetery maps were found at Maurer's Hardware and donated to the village. Randy will take the fogger in for service. There was a motion by Janice with a second by Mike to set cremation burials at \$220.00 for residents and \$250.00 for non residents, all yeas. There was a motion by April with a second by Sara to approve the Street Commissioner's report, all yeas.

Zoning Board: The alley on Main Street was discussed. It has been vacant for over two years now so it has reverted to a residential property and cannot house a business.

New Business:

There was a motion by Terry with a second by April to donate the old Ricoh copy machine to the Church of God, all yeas.

There was a motion by April with a second by Sara to approve the Fire Protection contract, all yeas.

Old Business:

The Drieling complaint has been filed.

The issue on mowing the Fire Department was tabled until the next meeting.

There was some discussion about the burst pipe in the new Fire House and whether it should be under warranty or not. Council would like to see the contract that was signed between the builder and the Township that states what is covered by warranty.

There have been some complaints about four wheelers in the village. The idea of issuing permits was discussed further. As of right now, there are no restrictions on four wheelers in the village.

Legislation:

The third reading of the ambulance contract was heard, resolution 2007-01. There was a motion by Terry with a second by April to approve passage of the ambulance contract resolution number 2007-01, all yeas.

The second reading of the 2.5 mil levy for the November ballot was heard, resolution 2007-02.

The first reading of Ordinance 2007-01 concerning the alley vacation on South Main Street was heard.

There was a motion by Mike with a second by Sara to approve the mutual aid agreement, all yeas.

There was a motion by Terry with a second by April to set resident grave prices at \$250.00 for one grave and \$500 for two graves, all yeas.

Mayor: The Mayor explained that he had received a legislation bulletin that states that franchise agreements are no longer mandatory.

Clerk: The old ledgers will be given to Bill Emans for photographing if he wishes to do so.

It was decided to get someone in to clean the bathroom, council room, Clerk's office, and back entrance at the Town Hall once a month.

The Fiscal Officer announced she would be having a baby in November and asked if she could start working from home. Council was very supportive of this idea and said that it was fine for her to work from home.

There was a motion by April with a second by Sara to approve the April checks, all yeas. There was a motion by Mike with a second by Terry to approve the clerk's mileage, all yeas.

There was a motion by Terry with a second by Mike to adjourn, all yeas.
Meeting Adjourn.

William Buffenbarger Mayor

April Grunden President

Kristina Boroff Fiscal Officer