

Regular Council Meeting

Thursday, October 6, 2022

Mayor Mike Petrella called the meeting to Order.

Roll Call: Gael Damron present, Randy Spence present, Carmen DeStefano absent, Pennie Scarpone present, Jason Mattern present, Bob Merriman present.

Officials: Mayor Mike Petrella present, Fiscal Officer Denise Geanangel absent, Administrator Walt Ziemba present, Solicitor Jake Linn present.

Moment of Silence

Pledge of Allegiance

Reading of Minutes

Motion by Randy Spence seconded by Pennie Scarpone to approve the minutes from the September 15, 2022 meeting.

Vote: Gael Damron yea, Randy Spence yea, Pennie Scarpone yea, Jason Mattern yea, Bob Merriman yea.

Motion passed 4-0.

Persons Appearing Before Council

Robert Laukert spoke about the Steel Valley Regional Transit Authority and BHJ.

Ordinance and/or Resolution

None

Reports & Announcements and Communications

The Mayor's Court Report, Police Report and Code Enforcement Officer reports were read for the Month of September.

The Wintersville Fire Department Gun Bash is October 15th.

Halloween will be October 29th from 5 – 7 PM.

Wintersville Winter Bash will be December 3rd hosting light up night with luminaries and December 4th with the Christmas Parade at 4 P.M.

Mayor's Report

Update on Camera system should be installed next week.

Walnut Park painting should be done today and the new roof in the next 2 to 3 weeks.

Paving Project went well they will be striping the Village parking lot next week. They also fixed the water line breaks.

Thank you to our crews and all the water office.

AT&T will continue to work on the Manholes on main street.

NPL is continuing to work on the gas lines

Thank You to all our First Responders.

Our water contract with Jefferson County water expires this month I was able to negotiate with the Jefferson County Commissioners that our contract will stay in place until we go back to another meeting in January 2023.

This month is Breast Cancer awareness month.

Welcome a new business Vanderborne Properties

That make 11 new business this year.

Reminder to Residence to keep supporting the business with in the Village.

Administrator's Report:

Tonight is the last night for Hydrant Flushing finishing up at 6:00 AM. At the next meeting I will give an update of any hydrant the needs fixed or replace.

In two week the Phase VI sewer bids will be due which will be for Garden Drive, Meadow Road and Canton Road area.

Next year October 28 is the dead line due for Public Works Application. The paving project is \$275,000.00 with a 50/50 grant.

Moon Valley is going to broke down into two phases because the cost of materials is out of site.

Phase 1 is Rex, Russell and Day Circle when it was done when it was done 2 year ago it was \$537,000.00 now it is \$725,000.00.

Unfinished Business

Randy Spence ask is there was an update on the Wall on Parkview.

Mayor and Jake Linn have been working on it for months.

Jake Linn we are starting to look into enforcing our Ordinance which is in the Codified Ordinance Chapter 1327 nuisance ordinance. We are going to give the owner time to correct this, also it is a minor misdemeanor we will try to negotiate with the Owner.

Jason Mattern asked if there was an update on School Street.

Mayor said there was no update as of yet but they do have a court date of October 18, 2022.

New Business

Randy Spence stated that is great that there is 11 new business in one year.

He also thanked the Mayor, Council Person Pennie Scarpone and Chief Vanderborne with trash duty on the First Wednesday it takes a lot for everyone to show up every time.

Jason Mattern said on the patch work repairs Meadow Road and Garden Drive the road was a mess and it was greatly appreciated.

Jason thanked the Frist Responders that responded to the Fire in Pottery Addition they need to be commended.

Transfers/Advance:

None

Motion by Gael Damron, seconded by Jason Mattern to pay the bills.

Vote: Gael Damron yea, Randy Spence yea, Pennie Scarpone yea, Jason Mattern yea, Bob Merriman yea.

Motion passed 4-0.

Next scheduled Meeting is October 20, 2022 at 7:00 P.M.

Denise Geanangel
Fiscal Officer

Michael W. Petrella
Mayor