

Regular Council November 16, 2021

Meeting came to order with Pledge of Allegiance. Roll call was answered by Cou. Broker, Behrendt, Tully, James, Aichholz, & Robbins. Cou. Broker made motion to accept & dispense with reading minutes; 2nd by Cou. Robbins. Accepted by all. Cou. Broker made motion to pay bills; 2nd by Cou. Robbins. Accepted by all.

OLD BUSINESS:

Discussion on swimming pool ordinance. Solicitor handed out copies of a draft. Mayor said zoning board has some additional things to add. He will bring it to council. Solicitor also has some suggestions. Cou. Broker made motion to approve the current draft; 2nd by Cou. Behrendt. Accepted by all.

Discussion on Sheriff Dispatch service increase in fee. Mayor and Cou. Aichholz both spoke to Erie County Commissioner, Scott Shoffner. Mayor told him the village cannot afford such a huge increase. Cou. Aichholz suggested that our utilization of 911 does not warrant such an increase. Cou. Aichholz suggested we ask for an extension for now. Solicitor will draft a letter, explaining why we feel the village cannot afford this.

NEW BUSINESS:

We had first reading of Ord. 2021-10 (temporary budget for beginning of 2022).

Cou. Broker made motion to spend up to \$200 in materials to install LED lighting in a park shelter; 2nd by Cou. Behrendt. Accepted by all.

Mayor thanks all who helped with the Veterans Day event.

Mayor said Franklin Sanitation has been making good progress. Should be done next week. We will see about getting more work done in the spring.

Mayor said Maintenance Dept. began chipping branches today. This will be the last time this year, unless there are storms. Leaf pickup will begin next week.

Cou. Broker said we should consider putting some of the village lots up for sale. We need to think about how much we would want for them.

Cou. Broker made motion to spend up to \$500 for Christmas decorations; 2nd by Cou. James. Accepted by all.

FLOOR:

Daryl Pasek said that we need to be forceful in fighting the large increase in the dispatch fee. He suggested going to state representative and senator, letter to editor, etc.

Police Chief said there is a mail fraud scam going around. Keep an eye on your mail.

Cou. Broker made motion to adjourn; 2nd by Cou. Behrendt.

ATTEST:

Respectfully submitted,

Larry D. Gwinner, Mayor

Marsha K. Schenk, Clerk