

Regular Council June 2, 2020

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

OLD BUSINESS:

Mayor found tree ordinance, which is from 1981. It says you need a permit from the mayor and need to replant a similar tree in a nearby area. Mayor will give council copies to review and discuss bringing ordinance up to date.

Regarding the pump: right now, our small pump is keeping up but we need to look at possibly replacing it. Mayor thinks a used one would be a good idea. He spoke to Erie County and they suggested a flow preventer to fix the problem. He will ask the county to look into the cost.

Mayor said some residents have expressed interest in some village owned property. He thinks we could possibly use money from a sale for a pump. Mayor will do more checking on this and get back to council with information.

Cou. Behrendt prepared the third edition of the village newsletter. Council received copies. Mayor thanked her.

Cou. Tully and Cou. Aichholz and resident Brad Phlieger volunteered to be on a committee with Mayor to start applying the village junk ordinance.

Lengthy discussion on solutions for the excessive trash on the fishing pier. Some suggestions: permits, installing a gate, turning it over to the state, shutting it down at night. Police Chief suggested installing covers on the trash barrels. Mayor will look into this. Cou. Behrendt asked for volunteers to help clean the bridge area. Cou. Aichholz made motion to close the fishing pier from midnight to 7a.m. as a temporary solution and to post signs; 2nd by Cou. Behrendt. Accepted by all except Cou. Failor. Cou. Aichholz wants us to re visit this issue at the next meeting.

Cou. Broker made motion to have the Goodwill donation station removed due to the amount of furniture, etc. being left there; 2nd by Cou. Robbins. Accepted by all

Cou. Tully said Erie County is offering Covid-19 testing at Firelands Regional Medical Center and the Health Dept.

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

Daryl Pasek asked if we have changed the rules regarding comments from the floor, during the meeting. Mayor said no.

Tony Kaiser asked solicitor about Lakeview Motel. Solicitor said the Health Dept. is looking into it.

Brad Phlieger asked whom to call if there is property near his home that needs attention. Solicitor said to contact either village zoning inspector, village building inspector, the village Mayor, or Health Dept.

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

ATTEST:

Respectfully submitted,

Larry D. Gwinner, Mayor

Marsha K. Schenk, Clerk