Regular Council May 17, 2022

Meeting came to order with Pledge of Allegiance. Roll call was answered by Cou. Behrendt, James, Grieger, & Aichholz. Cou. S. Broker and K. Broker were absent. Cou. Behrendt made motion to accept & dispense with reading minutes; 2nd by Cou. Grieger. Accepted by all. Cou. Grieger made motion to pay bills; 2nd by Cou. Behrendt. Accepted by all. Cou. Grieger made motion to accept reports; 2nd by Cou. Behrendt. Accepted by all.

VISITORS:

Eagle Scout, Zeke French, would like to put two pillars by the police & fire station for his scout project. (eventually there will be a new sign). Cou. Behrendt made motion giving approval for project; 2nd by Cou. Grieger. Accepted by all.

OLD BUSINESS:

We opened bids for lots on Cherokee Trail before meeting. Bids were:

- 1. Joe & Kathy Szabo \$33,300
- 2. William Lafferty \$34,900
- 3. Denise Collins \$33,620.11
- 4. Kimberly Marshall \$33,439.61

Winning bid is William Lafferty.

Discussion on possibility of bed tax. Cou. Grieger looked into this and it is hard to get information unless you book a stay. Solicitor said there is a paid service that can research this but he has no idea of the cost. Solicitor will forward the service information and mayor will do research.

NEW BUSINESS:

Cou. Grieger made motion to purchase a bigger chainsaw for not more than \$1000; 2nd by Cou. Behrendt. Accepted by all.

Cou. Behrendt made motion to have mayor get bids for a security fence for the stormwater pumping station; 2nd by Cou. Grieger. Accepted by all.

Cou. Behrendt said we received the Metroparks grant we applied for (we were approved for both). The total amount is \$4422. Clerk will order equipment tomorrow.

Clerk read Ord. 2022-10 (accepting updated flood plain maps) for first time.

Cou. Aichholz said the street committee met regarding a re paving plan for streets and surplus equipment. We will discuss further when Cou. S. Broker is here. Solicitor said the govdeals.com has a 10 or 12 percent premium. He is in process of getting more information and will get back to council.

FLOOR:

Darren Draper asked if we have a current ordinance that regulates renting out a house. Mayor said no.

Daryl Pasek said he thinks a white plastic fence (for around stormwater pump) would look much better than a chain link fence. He also thinks we should re visit the idea of having one trash hauler in the village. This would help with the wear on the roads. Mayor will look into pricing.

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

ATTEST: Respectfully submitted,

Larry D. Gwinner, Mayor Marsha K. Schenk, Clerk