

## MINUTES

### **OHIOVILLE BOROUGH**

### **COUNCIL MEMBERS**

### **REGULAR MEETING**

**August 6, 2024**

The Ohioville Borough Council met in regular session on August 6, 2024, at the Ohioville Borough Building Annex. The meeting was called to order by the President, Nick Girting at 7:30 P.M.

### **ATTENDANCE:**

#### **COUNCIL MEMBERS:**

Mrs. Ball  
Mrs. Janicki  
Mr. Kadilak  
Mr. Knallay  
Mr. Kovacic  
Mrs. Zibaila  
Mr. Girting  
Mr. Chaffee

#### **BOROUGH PERSONNEL:**

Natalie Ollis, Borough Secretary/Treasurer  
Paul A. Steff, Borough Solicitor

### **Absent:**

### **ACTION ON MINUTES:**

On a motion by Mrs. Janicki and seconded by Mrs. Zibaila, it was moved to approve the minutes of the July 16, 2024, meeting. All answered yes to a roll call vote. The motion was carried.

**BIDS:** None

**PUBLIC COMMENTS AGENDA ITEMS:** None

### **COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

#### **PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE:**

Mr. Kovacic

- Emptied the trash at Lock 57.
- Mowed and weed wacked borough parks and properties.
- Cleaned pavilion and bathrooms for rental.
- Removed fallen trees from Tusca Ext. and First Ave.
- Checked roads and removed brush and branches after high winds.
- Continued berming roads and patching potholes.
- Pushed up stone deliveries.
- Installed new exhaust brake relay on the 2005 International.
- Awaiting price quotes from other companies for Massey Ferguson polycarbonate window and did receive one quote from Groff Tractor in the amount of \$2,285.45.
- Replaced stop sign post on Valleyview.
- Had natural gas leak in the shop and it was repaired by City Plumbing.
- Put chippers on the trucks and tested the function.
- Swept roads to be chipped.

- Trimmed overhanging tree branches on Eastwood and Westwood.
- Fixed veteran banners that became loose from high winds.
- Oil and chipped roads.
- Bought another load of cold patch.

**FINANCE/OFFICE COMMITTEE:** No Report

**LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE:**

Mrs. Janicki reported the COG Conference is on Thursday August 22, 2024 from 11am to 5pm at the Hilton Garden Inn, Monaca, PA.

**PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMITTEE:** No Report

**PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE:** No Report

**RECREATION COMMITTEE:**

Mrs. Ball reported Mr. Bernard would like to head the entire Bee Project and harvest the bees and we did not receive the grant to partner with the Bee Keeper's Association.

**REPORTS OF OFFICERS:**

Mayor Chaffee - No Report

Secretary - No Report

Treasurer - No Report

Planning Commission - No Report

Emergency Coordinator - No Report

Borough Solicitor - No Report

Borough Engineer - No Report

Sewage Enforcement Officer - No Report

Tax Collector - No Report

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

Mr. Girting reported that the Wi-Fi was installed at Lock 57 today and Secure Tech will install the cameras the week of August 19th.

**ACTION ON BILLS:**

Bill List #15 submitted for approval.

**MOTION TO APPROVE SUBMITTED BILL LIST #15:**

On a motion by Mrs. Janicki and seconded by Mr. Kadilak, it was moved to approve Bill List #15. All answered yes to a roll call vote. The motion was carried.

**ORDINANCES OR RESOLUTIONS:** None

**APPROVAL OF PLANS:** None

**COMMUNICATIONS:**

Mrs. Janicki thanked everyone involved from the community with the Cancer Benefit that was held for Assistant Chief Cain and stated it was a huge success and spoke highly of everyone.

**ACTION ON COMMUNICATIONS:** None

**AWARDING OF BIDS:** None

**NEW BUSINESS:** None

**PUBLIC COMMENT:**

Mike Daniels of 480 Smith's Ferry Road asked if there was a Planning Commission meeting.

Mr. Juba, President of GCU would like to solicit signatures from qualified electors of Ohioville Borough to have the question asked, "do you favor the granting of liquor licenses for privately-owned public golf course for the sale of liquor in Ohioville Borough" to be considered by voters to appear on the ballots of the general election, occurring on November 5, 2024 and will need to receive 425 signatures for it to be a question on the ballot.

Mr. D'Egidio with the Fairview Grange

- Weekly Auction
- Car Cruise
- Giving Tree
- September 28th is the Chili Cook Off
- Trunk or Treat
- Gyros will be sold on Election Day
- December 7th will be the tree lighting
- December 14th Santa Parade
- House Lighting date to be determined

**ADJOURNMENT:**

**ACTION TO ADJOURN THE MEETING:**

There being no other business, on a motion by Mr. Girting and seconded by Mr. Knallay it was moved to adjourn at 7:59 pm, and will meet on August 20, 2024, for the regular meeting at the Ohioville Borough Building Annex. All answered aye in favor - the motion was carried unanimously. There were 4 individuals in attendance.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Natalie Ollis  
Secretary/Treasurer