

MINUTES

OHIOVILLE BOROUGH

COUNCIL MEMBERS

REGULAR MEETING

September 17, 2024

The Ohioville Borough Council met in regular session on September 17, 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
Mr. Kadilak
Mr. Knallay
Mr. Kovacic
Mrs. Zibaila
Mr. Girting
Mr. Chaffee

BOROUGH PERSONNEL:

Natalie Ollis, Borough Secretary/Treasurer
Paul A. Steff, Borough Solicitor
David Eisenbrow, EIT HRG Engineer

Absent: Mrs. Janicki

ACTION ON MINUTES:

On a motion by Mrs. Ball and seconded by Mrs. Zibaila, it was moved to approve the minutes of the September 3, 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 rentals.
- Checked roads and removed brush and branches after high winds. Replaced two sign posts on Smithsferry and Fredericktown roads that were knocked down by high winds.
- Continued roadside mowing.
- Finished cleaning tar off dump trucks from chipping roads.
- Repaired lights and cleaned the loader.
- Changed oil in pickup truck and F600.
- Got F600 inspected.
- Got drain cleaner running, replaced battery, changed oil, changed filters, and replaced one tire with a used one.
- Cleaned cross drains in Brookview, Pleasantview, and started cleaning cross drains on Wildwood when seals blew on water pump. Awaiting price quotes and availability from various vendors.
- Trimmed trees on Route 68 and Tusca Ext. for line of sight and safety.

- The Police Department asks for quotes for power washing at Lock 57.
- Repaired playground slide at the ballfields.
- Applied more material on Pleasantview oil spill.

On a motion by Mr. Kovacic and seconded by Mr. Kadilak, it was moved to purchase a new fuel pump in the amount of \$1,304.15 for the 2011 International from OS Hill International. All answered yes to a roll call vote. The motion was carried.

Mr. Girting reported he would like the tractor window to be buffed out first and quotes on a replacement window.

FINANCE/OFFICE COMMITTEE:

Mr. Girting reported a finance meeting will be held October 1, 2024 at 6:30pm at the Ohioville Borough Building Annex.

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE:

Mr. Girting reported the COG meeting will be held September 26, 2024 at the Beaver Pool House, located in Shaw Park near Beaver High School , 1 Gypsy Glen Road, Beaver at 7:00 pm.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMITTEE: No Report

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE:

On a motion by Mr. Knallay and seconded by Mr. Kovacic, it was moved to purchase three Tasers from Axon Enterprises, Inc. in the amount of \$14,623.20 for the Police Department. All answered yes to a roll call vote. The motion was carried.

RECREATION COMMITTEE: No Report

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

Mayor Chaffee -

Mr. Chaffee reported 1,628 miles patrolled on 220, 1,155 miles patrolled on 221, 1,696 miles patrolled on 222 with a total of 4,479 miles patrolled and 244 gallons of fuel. Mr. Chaffee reported 82 calls for service, 1 traffic accident investigated, 1 DUI arrest, 3 criminal investigations conducted, and 9 traffic warnings issued.

Secretary - No Report

Treasurer - On a motion by Mr. Knallay and seconded by Mrs. Zibaila it was moved to accept the Treasurer's Report ending August 31, 2024. All answered yes to a roll call vote. The motion was carried.

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:

ACTION ON BILLS:

Bill List #18 submitted for approval.

MOTION TO APPROVE SUBMITTED BILL LIST #18:

On a motion by Mrs. Zibaila and seconded by Mr. Knallay, it was moved to approve Bill List #18. All answered yes to a roll call vote. The motion was carried.

ORDINANCES OR RESOLUTIONS: None

APPROVAL OF PLANS: None

COMMUNICATIONS: None

ACTION ON COMMUNICATIONS: None

AWARDING OF BIDS: None

NEW BUSINESS: None

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

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 7:49 pm, and will meet on October 1, 2024, for the regular meeting at the Ohioville Borough Building Annex. All answered aye in favor - the motion was carried unanimously. There were 8 individuals in attendance.

Respectfully Submitted,
Natalie Ollis
Secretary/Treasurer