

**REGULAR MEETING
July 5th, 2022**

Meeting called to order at 7:00 PM by Mayor Barbara J. Lloyd with the recitation of the “Pledge of Allegiance”.

Roll Call – In Attendance – Paul Lowe, Kim St. Clair, Ed Harlan, Mike Nunley, Bo Coconis and Greg Gibson

Paul motioned to accept the minutes of the Regular Village Council Meeting held June 7th, 2022. Seconded by Bo. Lowe – yea, St. Clair – yea, Harlon – yea, Nunley – yea, Coconis – yea, and Gibson – yea. Motion Carried.

Greg motioned to dispense with the Fiscal Officer’s report for June 2022 as we awaiting the Bank Statement. Seconded by Bo. Gibson – yea, Coconis – yea, Nunley – yea, Harlon – yea, St. Clair – yea, and Lowe - yea. Motion Carried.

Mayor Lloyd asked Council if they saw the June 2022 Mayor’s Court Data?

CITIZENS AND GUESTS

None

DEPARTMENT HEADS

Administrator – Danny Wiseman

On Vacation

Fire – Russell Taylor

Total runs for the month of June 2022, we had a total of 80 calls for service (YTD 523) as follows:

Fire - 14 Calls	EMS – 68 Calls
1 Fire Call	50 Transports
1 Hazardous Situation Call	10 Refusals
7 Service Calls	2 Mutual Aid Transport
1 False Alarm	1 Lift Assists
4 Good Intent Calls	5 Mutual Aid MVA

For the first 6 months of the year we have had a total of 523 calls and 551 incidents as follows:

Fire – 107 Calls	EMS – 444 Calls
26 Fire Calls	297 Transports
1 Gas Leak	56 Refusals
7 Hazardous Situations	47 Lift Assists
28 Service Calls	29 Mutual Aid MVA/No Pt of Contact
38 Good Intent Calls	9 Mutual Aid Transports
6 False Alarms	3 Medic Assists
1 Severe Weather Assessment	6 Dropped Calls

Responded to 523 of 529 dispatches.

The breakdown (location) of where the 523 calls for service are as follows:
Springfield Township – 244 **Village of South Zanesville – 178**
Newton Township – 43 **City of Zanesville – 30**
Harrison Township – 8 **Wayne Township – 8**
Village of Crooksville – 6 **Village of Roseville – 4**
National Trail - 2

We have collected \$87,242.86 so far this year for EMS revenue or about 52.8% of our goal of \$160,000.

We have 3 applications and they are volunteering until they get through the process.

We have 3 people starting Fire Class tomorrow night. They are paying for their own fire class so they can get their cards.

We have a state inspection next week for the teaching portion of our department. They will come down and check out the facilities out for approval. This is for continuous education and records security.

Police – Shane Patterson sitting in for Chief Ross

Shane stated Mark is on vacation but left a note.

The note stated that he had been interviewed by the Times Recorder in reference to the high gasoline prices effecting small villages. They, Times Recorder, had also reached out to Frazeysburg, Dresden, New Concord and other small places in Muskingum County. He also did an interview with Fox News, Fox & Friends.

We are currently working 2 large felony cases. Receiving stolen property, forgery and drug possession & trafficking.

We received an email on the new cruiser on June 25th and looking at delivery of the vehicle in early August.

Mike Hutchinson, owner of the storage units next door, donated \$912 to purchase Axon Body Camera Equipment for cruiser number 3.

Water – Danny Wiseman

On vacation

Street – Danny Wiseman

On vacation

REPORTS OF COUNCIL COMMITTEES

Street Committee – Council Member Gibson – we have a problem on Clay Street between addresses 917 and 1007. The water is washing away the sidewalk in front of these peoples houses and a couple of driveways. One driveway that I seen they are going over a ditch that is a foot and a half to two feet wide and deep. There are broken sidewalks in front of 1007. These addresses are when you go up Clay Street from Maysville Pike, they are on the right (City of Zanesville) side. However, the road is in the Village of South Zanesville and we are responsible up to the sidewalk. Danny is on vacation so he will need to go up and see what the easiest and most inexpensive way to fix the problem is. We also have City Electric that when they built all their new stuff they did not put enough gravel down and there are mudslides that is causing other issues. We need to find out who will be responsible for fixing this issue.

Rules Committee – Council Member Harlan – we had a follow-up meeting to discuss what we can do to clean up the grass, weed, and trash in the trailer parks within the Village. Approach the owners allowing the Village to enforce the Ordinances and Resolutions the Village has to force the clean-up, possibly a letter of approval from the owners. There are also 4 properties that need attention here in the village: 15, 35, 171 East Main Street and 140 East King Street. We would like to talk to Kevin about the legalities we can do to have them taken care of and move forward.

COMMUNICATIONS AND LETTERS

- A. Alternative Tax Budget for 2023 (Needs Approval). Paul motioned to approve the Alternative Tax Budget. Seconded by Ed. Lowe – yea, St. Clair – yea, Harlon – yea, Nunley – yea, Coconis – yea, and Gibson – yea. Motion Carried.**
- B. Water Meter Loan Data, need to approval which bank we want to get loan with for Water Meters. Kim motioned to accept the bid from Community Bank. Seconded Bo. Gibson – Abstained, Coconis – yea, Nunley – yea, Harlon – yea, St. Clair – yea, and Lowe - yea. Motion Carried.**

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS

Ordinance 2022-7 AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR AMENDING AND REVISINGSPECIFIC LINE-ITEMS IN THE APPROPRIATIONS OF EXPENDITURES FOR THE VILLAGE OF SOUTH ZANESVILLE FOR THE FISCAL CALENDAR YEAR 2022 AND DECLARING IT AN EMERGENCY

Ed moved to suspense with the three separate readings rules of Ordinance 2022-7 pursuant to statue 731.17 of the Ohio revised Codes and declare it an emergency. Seconded by Mike. Lowe – yea, St. Clair – yea, Harlon – yea, Nunley – yea, Coconis – yea, and Gibson – yea. Motion Carried.

Ed motioned to pass Ordinance 2022-7. Seconded by Kim. Lowe – yea, St. Clair – yea, Harlon – yea, Nunley – yea, Coconis – yea, and Gibson – yea. Motion Carried.

Resolution 1094

A RESOLUTION TO ESTABLISH A VILLAGE FIRE DEPARTMENT EMS TRAINING COORDINATOR, ESTABLISH THE PAY RATE AND DECLARE IT AN EMERGENCY

Ed moved to suspense with the three separate readings rules of Resolution 1094 pursuant to statute 731.17 of the Ohio revised Codes and declare it an emergency. Seconded by Bo. Gibson – yea, Coconis – yea, Nunley – yea, Harlon – yea, St. Clair – yea, and Lowe - yea. Motion Carried.

Greg motioned to pass Resolution 1094. Seconded by Ed. Gibson – yea, Coconis – yea, Nunley – yea, Harlon – yea, St. Clair – yea, and Lowe - yea. Motion Carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Russell let everyone know that the FEMA Grants that we applied for are on hold for approval or disapproval until September.

Russell also mentioned that when it rains the problem on Clay Street get worse because when it gets to City Electric the water is diverted across the street.

Council Member Coconis stated he received a call about the culvert on El Camino and wanted to know who was in charge of that. Mayor stated Danny was looking into that.

NEW BUSINESS

Mayor Lloyd stated that we have some estimates on the NatureWorks Projects. Chris Kerby stated we went out for bids and received 1 bid for each project. The Walking Trail bid came in from Birkhimer Asphalt for \$49,152.00 and it was projected to be \$49,150.00 and the Dog Park Fencing Project bid came from Strauss Fencing for \$13,940.00 and was originally projected to be \$9,780.00. The cost difference on the fencing is do to the cost of the fencing going so high. Mayor Lloyd asked for a motion. Mike motioned to accept both bids. Seconded by Paul. Lowe – yea, St. Clair – yea, Harlon – yea, Nunley – yea, Coconis – yea, and Gibson – yea. Motion Carried.

Council Member Lowe stated he thought the liter clean-up day was successful. The police and Fire Departments and everyone else that showed up did a good job. We did some bush hogging. I think we should have another one in September and do the same thing. Get the word out a little better. There is one thing I discovered and on the right side of St. Rt. 719 there is a wetlands area (going toward ST. Rt. 60) and maybe we could get a grant request for other plant or wildflowers rolls that would foster wildlife like butterflies. We also need to post Liter Enforcement Strictly Enforced signs. Maybe even state cameras in use even if they are not. Shane said he would check to see where the City of Newark got their info.

MISCELLANEOUS

Mayor Lloyd stated she is going to have surgery on her ankle but will still be able to perform her duties.

ADJOURN

Paul moved to adjourn, seconded by Mike. Mayor Lloyd asked all to vote by stating I. All did. Motion Carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:23 PM.

Barbara Lloyd - Mayor

Chris Kerby - Clerk/Fiscal Officer