

SPECIAL MEETING

April 4th, 2024

Meeting called to order at 6:00 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

Mayor Lloyd stated she was not in the interviews what was discussed. Does the Committee have an opinion on them? Council Member Coconis stated the first person, Aaron May, could not have done much better. He answered all of the questions as the Chief asked 10 questions that Officer May answered everything up front. The other Guy is an auxiliary on the Department (Kurt) was very novias but he took the test but has been out of it for a length of 14 years. He did feel and expressed he wants to get back to being a Police Officer as he has been working for the Post Office. I think based on the conversations we had that we felt along with the timing that the availability agreed that Mr. May would be the best of the two. Council Member Harlan added that he saw and knowing he will be on a probationary period, was that some of the issue with authority he had before that he was over that now and he needed to change his ways. Council Member Coconis added both live in Zanesville area and we would like to have both of them. Greg motioned to hire Aaron May as a part time police officer for the Village. Seconded by Paul. Lowe – yea, St. Clair - yea, Harlan – yea, Nunley – yea, Coconis – yea, and Gibson – yea. Motion Carried.

Council Member Harlan motioned to go into executive session to discuss the appointment, employment, dismissal, discipline, promotion, demotion, or compensation of a public employee or official, or the investigation of charges or complaints against a public employee, licensee or regulated individual at 6:15 PM. Seconded by Greg. Gibson – yea, Coconis - yea, Nunley – yea, Harlan – yea, St. Clair – yea, and Lowe – yea. Motion Carried.

Paul motioned to come back into session from executive session and adjourn at 6:40 PM. Seconded by Bo. Lowe – yea, St. Clair - yea, Harlan – yea, Nunley – yea, Coconis – yea, and Gibson – yea. Motion Carried.

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS

Council Member Lowe stated that we, Council, should around the first quarter of every year (January, February, or March) after receiving the documentation from the Fiscal Officer in regards to Financial Status of the previous year and we see what position we are in as a Village at that time or as quick as possible to get a feel for the funds in each category and the General Fund. The General Fund will help give us a pulse on the direction we are going on, up or down or even, and then any further raises or compensation will have to be based upon those numbers yearly or not.

Resolution 1116

**A RESOLUTION TO GIVE THE VILLAGE
EMPLOYEES A PAY INCREASE AND DECLARING
AN EMERGENCY**

Ed moved to suspense with the three separate readings rules of Resolution 1116 pursuant to statue 731.17 of the Ohio revised Codes and declare it an emergency. Seconded by Paul. Gibson – yea, Coconis - yea, Nunley – yea, Harlan – yea, St. Clair – yea, and Lowe – yea. Motion Carried.

Greg motioned to pass Resolution 1116. Seconded by Bo. Gibson – yea, Coconis - yea, Nunley – yea, Harlan – yea, St. Clair – yea, and Lowe – yea. Motion Carried.

ADJOURN

Ed moved to adjourn, seconded by Bo. Mayor Lloyd asked all to vote by stating I. All did. Motion Carried. Meeting adjourned at 6:59 PM.

Barbara Lloyd - Mayor

Chris Kerby - Clerk/Fiscal Officer