

Unapproved  
Village Council Minutes  
July 10<sup>th</sup>, 2017

All those present stood and said Pledge of Allegiance.

The regular scheduled session of Freeport Village Council was called to order of Monday July 10<sup>th</sup>, 2017 at 7:44 pm by Village President Bill Andrews in the Community Center.

Present roll calls were Council Trustees: Broc Reaser, John Raymond, and Karl Wilkins

Absent: Josh Endsley, Mollie Wilkins, and Mike Dougherty

Present roll call President Bill Andrews, Treasurer Kathy Kunde and Clerk Shawna Hill.

Public Present: Gene Townsend, Mary Castle, Connie and Brian Allbright, and Jeremiah Andrus

Prayer- none

Motion by John Raymond and supported by Karl Wilkins to approve the agenda for June 13<sup>th</sup>, 2017 with addition for Stoltz tree bid from Doug Callahan.

Motion by John Raymond and supported by Karl Wilkins to approve unapproved minutes from May 8<sup>th</sup>, 2017 with amendment to fee for mowing lots at \$100 for single and \$250 double lot  
Motion Carried

**Police Report:** Tom Steensma

**Committee Report:**

**Administration, Budget, Grants, and Personal Reports:** Report by Bill Andrews

**Park and Recreation:** Report by Bill Andrews

**Streets, Building & Grounds Report:** Report by Karl Wilkins

**Water Report:** Report by John Raymond

**Planning Commission:** Bill Andrews

**Committee of Whole:** Report by Karl Wilkins

**Treasurer's Report:** Kathy Kunde

**Pay Bills:**

Motion by Karl Wilkins and supported by Broc Reaser to approve the "To Be Approved" bills  
Roll call vote: Broc Reaser, Karl Wilkins, John Raymond, and Bill Andrews. All Yes  
Motion Carried

**Public Input:**

John Raymond had a question about post, from Consumers Energy, in the middle of the alleyway? He explained it is outside the stacked area.

**Old Business:**

ORV Ordinances- **Meeting was held July 10<sup>th</sup>, 2017 ORV Ordinances are adopted on July 10<sup>th</sup>, 2017 and will become effected 15 days, after on July 25<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

**New Business:**

Motion by Broc Reaser and supported by Karl Wilkins not to exceed \$300 on a new printer.  
Roll Call Vote: Broc Reaser, Karl Wilkins, John Raymond, and Bill Andrews. All Yes  
Motion Passed

Motion made by Karl Wilkins and supported by John Raymond not to exceed \$2850 to have two trees removed by Dough Callahan.

**Correspondence:**

Sarah Roth, from child evangelism fellowship, stop in and was interested in holding a 5 day club program in their 30ft trailer but use our community center for parking on July 17-21 from 1-2:30. This program is similar to a VBS program children ages 5-12 are invited.

**Motion by Karl Wilkins and supported by Broc Reaser to allow**

**All in favor**

**Motion Passed**

Rachael and Dalton came into the office to ask if their food truck business would be able to use our sinks in the community center to wash their dishes. They would like to use the sinks 3 or 4 times a week for no more then a hour. They would like to have a set rate so that even if they don't need the sink that week they still pay to reserve the right to use the sinks when need. They have requested it to be \$25 per week.

**Motion by Karl and supported by Broc Reaser to allow for a 1 month trail**

**All in favor**

**Motion Passed**

Rose Rine came into the office after her pavilion rental June 24 and had asked if the council had talked about her family not having to pay to rent the pavilion, due to her grandfather donating the property to the Village. I explained to her that they did talk about it and due to there not being any documents showing that her family did donate the property there was nothing the Village could do and the council voted that she continues to pay. Well I received a letter in the mail giving the lineage of her family, all hand written, hoping that this might be enough proof for the council to waive the fee. (Attached copy for council)

**Denied still have to pay for rental**

**All in favor**

**Motion Passed**

**Announcements:**

Next Council meeting is August 14<sup>th</sup>, 2017

Meeting adjourned at 8:38pm

Shawna Hill

Village Clerk

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