

Unapproved
Village Council Minutes
October 9th, 2017

All those present stood and said Pledge of Allegiance.

The regular scheduled session of Freeport Village Council was called to order of Monday October 9th, 2017 at 7:32 pm by Village President Bill Andrews in the Community Center.

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

Absent: Mike Dougherty, Josh Endsley

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

Public Present: Gene Townsend, John Smelker, Karl Rewa, Connie Albright, Tammy Borden, and Jay Beiger

Prayer- none

Motion by Karl Wilkins and supported by John Raymond to approve the agenda for October 9th, 2017 with one addition for Village snow plow from Arista Truck System not to exceed \$ 1200.

Motion by John Raymond and supported by Mollie Wilkins to approve unapproved minutes from September 11th, 2017

Motion Carried

Police Report: Dave Newman

Committee Report:

Administration, Budget, Grants, and Personal Reports: Report by Mollie Wilkins

Park and Recreation: Report by Mollie Wilkins

Water Report: Report by John Raymond

Streets, Building & Grounds Report: Report by Karl Wilkins

Committee of Whole: Report by Karl Wilkins

Planning Commission: Bill Andrews

Treasurer's Report: Kathy Kunde

Pay Bills:

Motion by Mollie Wilkins and supported by Broc Reaser to approve the "To Be Approved" bills

Roll call vote: Broc Reaser, Karl Wilkins, John Raymond, Mollie Wilkins, and Bill Andrews. All Yes

Motion Carried

Public Input:

Kathy Kunde asked administration board about their proposal for the debt card, and recommends they go more towards a credit card.

Lane Cooper and Tim McKay express more view points on the Community Center roof and the presentation that was given at the Committee of a whole meeting.

Al Scholma had question and concerns about the stop signs in the Village and how they would be enforced.

Jay Beiger wanted to know if there was anyone on the council that was looking into getting a sewer in town, and what the cost would be.

Shawna Hill wanted to let the council and the public know about Chris Shepard (Village DPW) was in the hospital due to health issues.

John Smelker wanted to let the residents know about the Barry county health department and their survey, about the new mini excavator that will help with cleanup of drains, new animal director, and COA Millage.

Old Business:

Mileage proposal, Community Center Roof, Guard rail

New Business:

Motion by Karl Wilkins and supported by Broc Reaser not to exceed \$357.32 from Jerry's tires for DPW truck.

Roll call vote: Broc Reaser, John Raymond, Mollie Wilkins, Karl Wilkins, and Bill Andrews.

All Yes

Motion Passed

Stop signs

Yield to Stop on Est/Division facing south

All in favor 0 All opposed 5- not passed

Yield to Stop on Warren/Cherry East and West (2 way stop)

All in favor 0 All opposed 5- not passed

New Stop sign on Cherry/State north and south (4 way stop)

All in favor 5 All opposed 0- passed

New Stop sign on Beech/State north and south (4 way stop)

All in favor 5 All opposed 0- passed

New Stop sign on warren/Beech (4 way stop)

All in Favor 4 All opposed 1- passed

Motion by Karl Wilkins and supported by Broc Reaser not to exceed \$1200 from Arista Truck System for a new snow plow mount for Village DPW truck.

Roll call vote: Karl Wilkins, Broc Reaser, John Raymond, Mollie Wilkins, and Bill Andrews.

All Yes

Motion Passed

Motion by Karl Wilkins and supported by Broc Reaser to accept the bid for the white DPW truck at \$2759 from Jim Yarger.

Motion Passed

Motion made by Karl Wilkins and supported by Broc Reaser to accept the bid for the red DPW truck at \$1075.20 from LaRue's Auto Sale.

Motion Passed

Correspondence:

Karl Rewa wants to know if he can change the time of his church rental could move their time up on Sunday night to 5pm instead of 6pm. **Not needed anymore, Karl Rewa took off table.**

Karl Rewa also wants to know if he can rent the community hall on November 11th, 2017 for Veteran's Day. He would like to have a pot luck dinner set up for all community to attend, he didn't know if he would still need to pay the whole amount to rent the hall. **Motion by Bill Andrews and supported by John Raymond for free rental for Community Center**

Rosa Macomber wanted to know if the Village Council could talk about possibly having dust control down on Snowy River Drive next year. **Has been moved to building Streets and ground.**

Announcements:

Next Council meeting is November 13th, 2017

Meeting adjourned at 8:22pm

Shawna Hill

Village Clerk

Posted 10/13/17