

Sugarcreek Village Council had a Regular Council Meeting on Monday December 4, 2017, at 7:00 p.m. in council chambers with Mayor Clayton Weller presiding.

Visitors: Doug Frautschy, Chief Kaser, Lloyd Crilow, Bill Theiss, Michael Hammond, Carol Atkinson, Ron Atkinson, Dee Grossman, (guest), and Bev Keller.

Roll Call: Mick Fanning, Arlen Hostetler, Jeff Schrock, Linda Wilson, Paul Alderfer, and Sam Beachy.

Minutes: The Mayor asked if there were any additions or corrections to the minutes. There were none so the minutes stood as typed.

Expenditures: Hostetler made a motion to pay list of bills submitted by the Fiscal/Officer, second by Beachy. Vote recorded: Yea 6, Motion carried.

Sandwich Boards: Ron Atkinson spoke about his concerns with new businesses coming into the village and how they are treated, along with Dee Grossman, and both wanted to know where the signage stands. All Council Members are in favor of helping the new and old businesses to grow, and help where they can.

Mayor: Mayor Clayton Weller informed the Council that there will be a meeting on December 13th 7:00 at the Fire Station with Sugarcreek Township Trustees and Auburn Trustees. Chief Kevin Miller would like the Council to approve 2 employees to attend classes at a cost of \$650.00 a person. Hostetler made a motion to permit 2 Fire/EMS employees to attend, second by Alderfer. Vote recorded: Yea 6, Motion carried. Mayor Weller reported from the last meeting he had asked Council for approval of \$10,000.00, to add a cement pad at the new Miller Avenue Booster Station, to keep it from shifting. Things have changed and it only cost the Village \$1,120.00, and Diversified Engineering will pick up the rest of the cost.

Lands, Buildings, and Sidewalks: Beachy reported from his meeting that he had looked over the Resolution for portable signs, and would like to see only one person responsible for questions and problems, with that being the Police Department. Beachy also wants to make sure all those with signs have the insurance coverage, and everyone treated the same.

Ordinance #17-2211 Titled: SETTING THE SALARIES FOR ELECTED OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE VILLAGE OF SUGARCREEK, OHIO, FOR THE PERIOD OF JANUARY 1, 2018 TO DECEMBER 30, 2018 was read for the fourth time.

Ordinance #17-2212 Titled: AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE OF SUGARCREEK, TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE TUSCARAWAS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR HOUSING PRISONERS was read for the fourth time.

Ordinance #17-2218 Titled: AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND THE FISCAL OFFICER OF THE VILLAGE OF SUGARCREEK, OHIO, TO ENTER INTO CONTRACTS FOR PROVIDING FIRE PROTECTION AND AMBULANCE SERVICES FOR SUGARCREEK TOWNSHIP, AUBURN TOWNSHIP, CLARK TOWNSHIP, AND WALNUT CREEK TOWNSHIP FOR THE YEAR 2018, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY was read for the second time.

Resolution #17-2219 Titled: A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING LIMITED USE OF PORTABLE TEMPORARY SIGNS ON SIDEWALKS IN CERTAIN AREAS OF VILLAGE OWNED LAND was read for the first time. Beachy made a motion to suspend the rules that requires a Resolution to be read on three different days, second by Wilson. Vote recorded: Yea 6, Motion carried. Beachy made a motion to adopt Resolution #17-2219 with the changes as an emergency. Vote recorded: Yea 4, No 2 Hostetler, and Schrock. Motion carried.

Personnel, Economic Development: Schrock made a motion from his prior committee meeting to change the pay ordinance to read in the Police Department that the probation period would be changed from 6 months to 1 year, and add a position to the pay ordinance for a Fire Administrative Assistant at \$11.00 per hour, second by Beachy. Vote recorded: Yea 6, Motion carried.

Linda Wilson asked when the time clocks were to be here, and they Mayor said that he would order them this week.

Sam Beachy said that it was a pleasure working together with the other Council Members, and it was an honor to serve. Beachy also said that he wishes that the residents would contact any Council Member if they have any issues with things, and wishes more residents would attend the Council Meetings.

Ordinance #17-2217 Titled: APPROPRIATING AND ALLOCATION VARIOUS FUNDS RECEIVED BY THE VILLAGE OF SUGARCREEK, OHIO AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY was read for the first time. Schrock made a motion to suspend the rules that requires an Ordinance to be read on three different days, second by Beachy. Vote recorded: Yea 6, Motion carried. Wilson made a motion to adopt Ordinance #17-2217 as an emergency, second by Beachy. Vote recorded: Yea 6, Motion carried.

Having no further business Hostetler made a motion to adjourn.

Fiscal Officer

Mayor