

Sugarcreek Village Council had a Meeting on Wednesday March 16, 2020, with Mayor Jeff Stutzman presiding.

Visitors: Chief Kevin Kaser, Doug Frautschy, Matt Specht, Barb Limbacher, John Meek, Fach Taylor, and Michael Yoder

Roll Call: Matt Miller, Clayton Weller (absent), Ron Atkinson, Sam Beachy, Mick Fanning, and Jason Hamsher.

Minutes: Mayor Stutzman asked if there were any corrections to the minutes from the Regular Council Meeting. Atkinson made a motion to except the minutes as typed by the Fiscal/Officer, second by Miller. Vote recorded: Yea 5, Motion carried.

Expenditures:

Mayor: Mayor Stutzman appointed Fiscal/Officer Becky Crilow to the Tax Incentive Review Committee. When the meetings a posted, the Mayor also will attend when he can.

Village Administrator: Matt Specht informed the Council that the Water, Sewer, and Street Departments will have minimum exposure to the virus by splitting shifts.

Fire: Assistant Fire Chief John Meek said that the Fire/EMS Departments spaghetti dinner was a success. Meek also said that they have put a sign on the Fire Station, that no one is permitted in except for the Fire/EMS employees. They have been in contact with Baltic and Dundee fire departments on what they can all do together if the virus gets any worse.

Police: Chief Kevin Kaser said that he is recommending that he would like to see Brian Dalton become the Assistant Police Chief, effective when the ordinance gets changed. Atkinson made a motion to give Brian Dalton a merit increase of \$1.60 immediately, second by Beachy. Vote recorded: Yea 5, Motion carried.

Questions, Comments, & Concerns: Taylor Fach questioned the Council and Mayor, saying what is going to happen to someone in the Fire/EMS Department, if they come down with this virus and can't work for days. The Mayor said that he would like to send this into the Finance, Personnel, & Audit Committee for further review.

Finance, Personnel, & Audit: Jason Hamsher called for a committee meeting for April 6th at 6:30 p.m.

Jason Hamsher made a motion to go into executive session to discuss personnel issues, and invited Matt Specht, Solicitor Frautschy, and Mayor Stutzman to join council. Time was 7:15, and Council resumed at 7:25 with no action.

Ron Atkinson said that he would like to thank the Police, Fire/EMS, and Administrator Matt Specht, for all there plans on this virus case.

Legislative Agenda: Ordinance #20-2273 Titled: CHANGING THE ZONING OF THE MATTHEW L & ELIZABETH BEACHY PROPERTIES IN THE VILLAGE OF SUGARCREEK, OHIO FROM R-1 TO B-2; AND THE LAVERN J & ROSE ANN YODER PROPERTY IN THE VILLAGE OF SUGARCREEK, OHIO FROM M-1 TO B-2 second reading.

Having no further business Atkinson made a motion to adjourn, second by Miller. Vote recorded: Yea 5, Motion carried.