

Sugarcreek Village Council had a Meeting on Monday May 4, 2020 with Mayor Jeff Stutzman presiding.

Visitors: Chief Kevin Kaser, Doug Frautschy, and Matt Specht.

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

Minutes: Mayor Stutzman said that Ordinance #20-2275 was read for the first time, and Hamsher said that the track was closed by the school. Weller made a motion to accept the minutes with the two changes, second by Miller. Vote recorded: Yea, 6. Motion carried.

Expenditures: Atkinson asked why do we use the credit card? The Fiscal/Officer said that she feels it is best to type what we purchased not where it was bought. Miller made a motion to except the expenditures , second by Fanning. Vote recorded: Yea 6, Motion carried.

Mayor: Mayor Stutzman stated that the employees are doing a great job, during this Corona Virus situation. The office will stay closed at least until after May 29th.

Mayor Stutzman would like for Sam Beachy's committee of Lands, Buildings, and Sidewalks to look over the ordinance we now have in place for mowing and cleaning up in the village. He would like to ger more teeth put into the ordinance we have now.

Village Administrator: Matt Specht said that Becky Crilow, the Fiscal/officer has looked into the health insurance for the employee. She said that she has been working with our agent, and if we stay with the same plan, our plan should increase by 7.81%. Weller made a motion to stay with the same plan, second by Beachy. Vote recorded a motion to informed the Council that Diversified is running into a problem with the OWPC Loan that the Village has been awarded. He said that with the situation, the Grant is not for sure yet, and we may not know until June 12th. Specht wants to recommend to the Council that we still put in the water line that was included in the project, and just wait on the Booster Station to see them about the Grant. Council felt that this was a great idea. Weller made a motion to proceed with just the line for now, second by Hamsher. Vote recorded: Yea 6, Motion carried.

Fire: Assistant Fire Chief John Meek said that his department would like to thank Lahm Motor Company for the prompt response to repair to the ambulance, and along with the Chief Kaser expressed the same thank you.

Police: Chief Kevin Kaser said that he is recommending that he would like to enter a contract with Affordable Language at \$80.00 a year. This is for an interpreter 24-hour service. After the initial yearly fee, the cost would be just when we use their service.

Jason Hamsher asked why the track was closed, and he was told it was due to the State situation we are in.

Clayton Weller informed everyone that the 50's Fling was canceled this year.

Legislative Agenda: Ordinance #20-2274 Titled: CHANGES TO PAY ORDINANCE was read for the first time. Beachy made a motion to suspend the rules that requires an ordinance to be read three different times, second by Miller. Weller made a motion to adopt Ordinance #20-2274 as an emergency, second by Beachy. Vote recorded: Yea 6, Motion carried.

Council was adjourned.