

Regular Council

November 7, 2022

Sugarcreek Village Council had a regular council meeting at Village Hall November 7, 2022, with Mayor Jeff Stutzman presiding.

The meeting began with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Visitors: Matt Specht, Kevin Kaser, Bev Keller, Jeff Levengood, Freeman Mullet, Jeremiah Johnson

Roll Call: Sam Beachy, Mick Fanning, Jason Hamsher, Josh Jarvis, Jim Parson, Matt Miller.

Josh Jarvis made a motion to accept the minutes as typed and it was seconded by Sam Beachy. At roll call all members voted approval.

Matt Miller made a motion to accept the expenditures and the motion was seconded by Jim Parson. At roll call all members voted approval.

Mayor Stutzman:

The mayor reminded everyone to exercise their right to vote on Tuesday, November 8.

Village Solicitor Doug Frautschy:

Doug reported the annexation paperwork has been signed and brought a resolution to council for the first reading.

Police Chief Kaser:

The 2022 Dodge Durango was delivered and is in the police garage waiting for the build out. That equipment is on order and expected within the next 7-9 weeks.

Freeman Mullet presented a quote for repair to the elevator at the Alpine Hills Museum. The subject was sent to committee for further review.

At 7:15 p.m. Jason Hamsher made a motion to go into executive session to discuss hiring of personnel and a pending legal issue and it was seconded by Parson. At roll call all members voted approval. Hamsher invited Mayor Stutzman, Matt Specht, and Solicitor Frautschy to join the session.

At 7:55 p.m. council returned to regular session with no action being taken.

Jason Hamsher reported there was a committee meeting for Finance, Personnel and Audit to review Ordinance 18-2246 at 6:45, prior to council. He made a motion to accept the proposed changes and it was seconded by Beachy. At roll call, all members voted approval.

Sam Beachy called a safety committee meeting on November 21, 2022 at 6:00 p.m.

Jim Parson called a Lands and Buildings committee meeting on November 21, 2022 at 5:45 p.m.

Councilman Miller echoed the mayor's statement to please get out and vote tomorrow.

**ORDINANCE 22-2341 3rd Reading**

SETTING THE SALARIES FOR ELECTED OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE VILLAGE OF SUGARCREEK, OHIO, FOR THE PERIOD OF DECEMBER 26, 2022, TO DECEMBER 24, 2023.

**ORDINANCE 22-2342 3rd Reading**

AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 11-2002, PASSED APRIL 4, 2011, "AMENDING THE TAX CODE OF THE VILLAGE OF SUGARCREEK TO ENACT A LODGING TAX FOR HOTELS, MOTELS AND OTHER ESTABLISHMENTS FOR TRANSIENT GUESTS. Beachy made a motion to accept the amendment and it was seconded by Miller. At roll call, all members voted approval.

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**RESOLUTION 22-2343 2nd READING**

STARK-TUSCARAWAS-WAYNE JOINT SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT’S 2023 SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN UPDATE

**ORDINANCE 22-2344 2nd READING**

AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE OF SUGARCREEK, OHIO TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE TUSCARAWAS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR HOUSING PRISONERS

**ORDINANCE 22-2345 2nd READING**

AUTHORIZING AN EXTENSION OF A CONTRACT WITH W.E. QUICKSALL AND ASSOCIATES, INC. FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR THE VILLAGE OF SUGARCREEK, OHIO WITHIN THE VILLAGE OF SUGARCREEK, OHIO.”

**ORDINANCE 22-2346 2nd READING**

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 CLARK TOWNSHIP, SUGARCREEK TOWNSHIP, AUBURN TOWNSHIP, AND WALNUT CREEK TOWNSHIP (EAST HOLMES FIRE DISTRICT) FOR THE YEAR 2023.

**ORDINANCE 22-2348 2nd READING**

APPOINTING A SOLICITOR FOR THE VILLAGE OF SUGARCREEK, OHIO, FOR THE YEARS 2023 AND 2024, AND FIXING THE COMPENSATION TO BE PAID.

**RESOLUTION 22-2349 1<sup>st</sup> READING**

RESOLUTION ADOPTING A STATEMENT OF SERVICES TO BE PROVIDED TO THE TERRITORY PROPOSED FOR ANNEXATION TO THE VILLAGE OF SUGARCREEK IN THE PETITION OF DUTCHMAN HOSPITALITY GROUP, INC; PERRY W. CHUPP & MARY J. CHUPP; WILLIAM W. DEETZ FAMILY FARM, LTD; BVI REALTY, LTD; & SUGARCREEK DEWATERING, LLC; FILED WITH THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF TUSCARAWAS COUNTY, OHIO.

The next meeting of council will be November 21, 2022, at 7:00 p.m.

Meeting adjourned at 8:03 p.m.

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Mayor

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Fiscal Officer