Council February 25, 2019

Present for this regular meeting of the Village of West Liberty Council was: Mayor G. Hostetler, Mr. M. Hostetler, Mr. Keller, Mrs. McKelvey, Mrs. Griffith, Ms. Yoder, Chief Oelker and Mr. Detrick. Absent: Mr. Hyland and Clerk Boyd (husband Surgery).

The meeting was opened with Pledge of Allegiance and Lord’s Prayer.

 A MOTION was made by Mr. M. Hostetler seconded by Mrs. Griffith to approve the minutes of February 11, 2019 was approved as written/read. Motion Carried.

A MOTION was made by Mr. Keller seconded by Mrs. Griffith to approve the following bills in the amount of $30,181.45. Motion Carried.

Bill Detrick salary 1139.31

Shane Freehauf 80 reg. 8 OT 1094.54

Dennis Lance 48 reg. 32 vac. 3 OT 1066.10

Darren Dunham 7 hrs. 67.00

Hodge Hager 8 hrs. 76.57

Lee Deloye 80 reg 1091.22

Nate Fickle 64 reg. 16 vac. 15 OT 1278.89

Shane Oelker salary 1399.60

Bret Mancini 80 reg. 12 OT 1221.07

Auditor of State local govt. conf. 100.00

Tom Cooksey services 400.00

Doug Legge services 100.00

Shell Oil Co. gasoline 878.54

D P& L electric 175.14

OPERS retirement 4988.53

IRS WH MC EMP MC 1397.65

Quill Corp supplies 155.88

PS & L Loan 57439 2201.26

Bellefontaine Radiology for Mancini 46.00

Corporate health for Mancini 998.50

Berry Digital emails 59.76

WL Fire Dept. reimbursed for training 577.62

Northwest Auto oil dry 99.90

O’Rielly Auto antifreeze 94.23

Fire Safety Services streamlight survivor SED 60.00

Whites Services water pump, belt, fire truck 161.74

A.E. David shirts and ties 156.60

Display Sales snowflakes 2265.00

Hieby Oil fuel 142.95

P & R Communications antenna 46.77

CJ Hostetler blue dump truck caliper 243.00

Hieby Oil fuel 357.23

Miami valley street lights 2129.53

Treasurer State of Ohio assessment F46031 135.00

Civista Bank HSA acct. March 2041.31

PS & L packer payment 1735.00

Ordinance 2019-02 entitled “AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE THE PAY AS YOU THROW RECYCLING ORANGE TRASH BAGS FOR VILLAGE OF WEST LIBERTY, LOGAN COUNTY, OHIO ” was read. A MOTION was made by Mrs. McKelvey seconded by Mr. Keller to approve on 3rd and final reading. Motion Carried. Yeas: 5 Nays: 0.

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Ordinance 2019-04 entitled “Annual Appropriations for 2019” was read. A MOTION was made by Mrs. Griffith seconded by Mrs. McKelvey to approve on 3rd and final reading. Motion Carried. Yeas: 5 Nays:0.

Ordinance 2019-05 entitled “AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE SALARIES AND WAGES FOR THE EMPLOYEES IN THE VILLAGE OF WEST LIBERTY, OHIO AND PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT THEREOF” was read. This was salaries for police and street department. A MOTION was made by Mrs. McKelvey seconded by Ms. Yoder to approve on 1st reading only. Motion Carried. Yeas: 5 Nays: 0.

Ordinance 2019-06 entitled “AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE SALARIES AND WAGES FOR THE FAIR VIEW CEMETERY EMPLOYEES IN THE VILLAGE OF WEST LIBERTY, OHIO AND PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT THEREOF” was read. This is salary for Cemetery Sexton and helper. A MOTION was made by Mrs. Griffith seconded by Mr. Keller to approve on 1st reading. Motion Carried. Yeas: 5 Nays: 0.

Ordinance 2019-07 entitled AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE SALARIES AND WAGES FOR THE EMPLOYEES IN THE VILLAGE OF WEST LIBERTY, OHIO AND PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT THEREOF” was read. This was for Secretary and Zoning Enforcement Officer hourly rates. A MOTION was made by Mr. M. Hostetler seconded by Mr. Keller to approve on 1st reading. Motion Carried. Yeas: 4 Nays: 0 Abstain: Mrs. Griffith.

Resolution 2019-R4 entitled “ A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PARTICIPATION IN ODOT COOPERATIVE PURCHASING PROGRAM FOR THE VILLAGE OF WEST LIBERTY, LOGAN COUNTY, OHIO.” was read. This was to get an estimate for slurry from American Pavement. A MOTION was made by Mr. M. Hostetler seconded by Ms. Yoder to approve on 1st and final reading. Motion Carried. Yeas: 5 Nays: 0.

Resolution 2019-R5 entitled “A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE MAYORAND CLERK OF THE VILLAGE OF WEST LIBERTY, OHIO,TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT FOR THE PURCHASE OFONE (1) 2019 FORD F350 DUMP TRUCK DECLARING AN EMERGENCY IN THE VILLAGE OF WEST LIBERTY, OHIO”

was read. This resolution was to purchase a new dump truck from White Service Center in Urbana. A MOTION was made by Mrs. Griffith seconded by Mr. M. Hostetler to approve on 1st and final reading. Motion Carried.

Resolution 2019-R6 entitled “A RESOLUTION AUTHROZING THE CLERK OF VILLAGE OF WEST LIBERTY TO OPEN A CERTIFICATE OF DEPOSIT WITH PEOPLES SAVINGS AND LOAN WEST LIBERTY, OHIO, LOGAN COUNTY” was read. This resolution was to close a CD and open at a new 2.25% rate for 12 month. A MOTION was made by Mrs. Griffith seconded by Ms. Yoder to approve on 1st and final reading. Motion Carried. Yeas: 5 Nays: 0.

Chief Oelker gave Council data and schedules for police dept. He talked about stop using paper timesheets and going electronic.

Spectrum will be canceled today if he can not get it lowered.

Speed signs will be ordered after checking with ODOT.

He is waiting on JS Engineering to get building moving for the next phase.

Clerk was enrolling for ziprecruiter for police dept. Chief Oelker said his application was 25 pages.

Fraternal Order of Police is asking for donations. We are one of the few communities that lost officers in line of duty.

The flag light was returned due to not bright enough.

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Mr. Detrick said the library sign fell and ripped the canopy. Liberty Township trustee, police officer and Mr. Detrick helped take it down. Library will be repairing the awning and sign soon. He also reported a tree came down on a power line on 245 and Taylor St. and also a tree by the sewer plant was moved off street.

Mr. Detrick said the blue dump truck was at Joe Rees welding because the dump bed was following off.

The dump truck was ordered and will take 20 weeks.

They have a parking issue on E. Newell/Washington st. Commercial trucks were blocking the storm drain and hard to remove the snow. Safety committee will check on this issue.

Bradley st. had a sink hole and was repaired today. A clay tile was patched and replaced section by LeVan’s Excavating.

Mr. Detrick would like to commit funds to Columbus St. Project for 2020 and try for a grant again.

He also thinks recycling bins should have a deposit or purchased.

Safety Committee would like to bricks at the town hall repaired soon. Also a storm drain needs to be created on Runkle St.

Ms. Griffith gave an update on Splash pad and fundraiser ideas/ underway. Questions were asked about an average maintenance of the splash pad. March 16tht will be kick off to selling bricks to outline the splash pad $60.00 – 1 or $50.0 0 – 2 or more.

March 30h there will be an Ice Cream Sundae fundraiser at West Liberty Fire House.

Mrs. Griffith reported about the bridge on Detroit St./ Columbus St. Solicitor Moell recommends to create a conversation with Heritage.

It was discussed to meet with Ryan Berry and ask if a job application can be put on website.

Clerk will get quotes to have the police dept. and town hall professionally cleaned twice a year.

The business association will pay for half of the snowflakes and will Rabenstein put them up??

A letter needs to be sent with utility bills for all residents to update phone numbers/email for the alert system.

It was discussed that Clerk and Secretary needs to stager lunch hours so the office is opened 12-1 for people to pay their water bill on their lunch hour.

It was discussed to get a substitute for clerk or secretary so the office is not closed all day.

A MOTION was made by Mrs. McKelvey seconded by Ms. Yoder to adjourn at 9:40 PM. Motion Carried.

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