

**MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF EAST SPARTA, COUNTY OF STARK AND STATE OF OHIO HELD IN THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING ON JANUARY 21<sup>ST</sup> 2020.**

The meeting was called to order at 7:00pm. Mayor Stropki led Council and visitors in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll call was taken with the following members present; Don Stropki, Joel Russell, Nancy Black, Charlene Stelluto, Scott Muir, Dan Fetters, Jenna Hessedence and Clerk Doug Neading. Visitors: Robert Cyperski, Jeff Vuchovich, Mike Mangeris, Linda Muir, Officer Mike Balash, Mike Farber, Alicia Hurst and Cricket Ayala, Alex Blah and Boier Hughes.

Police reports reviewed, Officer Balash reviewed reports.

Reviewed Fire & EMS reports, reviewed. Dan reported they will be selling unit #9 as it is no longer utilized.

Pool board: Reviewed minutes. Jeff reported there is still an issue with exterior pool wall that needs monitored. Pool will need painted this spring estimated cost of \$3300.00.

Motion to appoint Alicia Hurst and Cricket Ayala to park board by Hessedence. Seconded by Black. Roll call 6 yes, 0 no. Motion carried.

BPA report: Reviewed minutes

Mike Farber asked for update on Main St. road closure. Mike was informed project was in the hands of Army Corps awaiting funding for project. Discussed lack of progress with Dollar General property cleanup.

Motion to approve December 16<sup>th</sup> 2019 public records minutes by Russell. Seconded by Hessedence. Roll call 6 yes, 0 no. Motion Carried.

Motion to approve December 16<sup>th</sup> 2019 minutes by Fetters. Seconded by Muir. Roll call 6 yes, 0 no. Motion Carried.

Motion to approve January 2<sup>nd</sup> 2020 reorganizational minutes by Stelluto. Seconded by Muir. Roll call 6 yes, 0 no. Motion Carried.

Motion to approve financial reports as presented by Hessedence. Seconded by Stelluto. Roll call 6 yes, 0 no. Motion Carried.

1st reading of O-1-20-01 Rules of Council  
1<sup>st</sup> reading of R-1-20-01 Cemetery mowing contract.

Motion to suspend/ pass/emergency R-2-20-01 paving bid advertisement by Stelluto. Seconded by Black. Roll Call 6 yes, 0 no. Motion carried.

Motion to suspend/ pass/emergency R-3-20-01 Fire levy renewal certification by Muir. Seconded by Black. Roll Call 6 yes, 0 no. Motion carried.

Motion to approve pay fee for Stropki, Neading, Mangeris, Russell, Muir, Black, Stelluto, and Hessedence to attend Stark County Law seminar 2/29/20. Cost of \$25.00 each by Hessedence. Seconded by Russell. Roll call 6 yes, 0 no. Motion carried.

Motion to have tree removed on south Chestnut by Stewart's Tree Service at cost of \$900.00 by Fetters. Seconded by Hessedence. Roll call 6 yes, 0 no. Motion carried.

Open house for retired Magnolia Mayor Leach will be held 2/9/20.

Discussed police protection contract with Magnolia, Stropki will set up quarterly meetings with Magnolia and East Sparta safety committees.

Jeff informed council x-mark mower has been repaired and will not need to be replaced this year. Oil dip stick had melted causing him to overfill oil levels.

Doug will contact AEP to provide options for electricity install at Roundabout.

Legal update: Cyperski has still had no response from soil and water department about Dollar General property. Bob will send letter to owner about current violations.

Village update: Gas meter at concession stand needs turned off for season. Discussed repairs needed to catch basins installed by Milhone last year, Jeff to put a list of repairs needed together so that Steve Milhone can be informed to make repairs.

Zoning update: Health Department is working on Maple property in regards to animal complaints, he will inspect Watkins property again this month. Discussed clean up needed on Ash property at alley.

Motion to adjourn by Hessedence. Seconded by Muir. Roll call 6 yes, 0 no.

Meeting adjourned 8:12pm.

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Mayor, Donald Stropki

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Clerk Treasurer, Doug Neading