

Mill Village Borough Minutes: Wednesday May4, 2022

President Linda Falconer called the Mill Village Borough Council meeting for May 4, 2022 to order at 6:30 p.m.

Those also present were Council Members: Edward Falconer, Shawn McLaughlin, Ali Peters and Steve Yovich. Also, in attendance was Mayor Joe Sam and Secretary/Treasurer Catherine Wise. Guests: Bert McLaughlin.

Edward Falconer motioned to accept the agenda, Shawn McLaughlin seconded, all in favor, motion carried.

Shawn McLaughlin motioned to pass the Consent Agenda including the Minutes from the Regular meeting – April 6, 2022 and the Treasurer's Report for April 30, 2022. Edward Falconer seconded motion. All in favor, motion carried.

N.W. Saving Bank –April 30, 2022

General Fund: \$ 1

State Fund: \$20,464.

Capital Reserve: \$72,420.

Tornado Siren Fund: \$290.00

Petty Cash: \$ 28.50

ARPA Funds: \$6,844.50

Secretary Report: Council discussed letting people set up tables in the yard of the Municipal building on Friday and Saturday from 8 a.m. to Noon. Secretary Catherine Wise is willing to be at the building during these times.

Clean up day is Saturday, May 14, 2022. Ed may need some help that day.

Borough Maintenance: Edward Falconer reported that he has been mowing the properties. He was granted permission to receive a quote from TC paving to fix the potholes and reconstruct the intersection at Old Meadville Road and South Main Street.

Public Comment: Bert McLaughlin asked about the Fire Department Billing Ordinance. Discussion was held on what the Ordinance would accomplish and why the Fire Department is requesting it. Council members would like the ordinance to cover Mill Village Borough residents, and state that Mill Village Borough Council cannot be held liable, and the Mill Village Volunteer Fire Company cannot bill for manpower. The question was asked – Which insurance companies are turning them down for payment? Council agreed that they do not want the proposed ordinance from Know Law. They would like a condensed version of the ordinance.

New Business:

Edward Falconer motioned to appoint Steve Yovich as a voting delegate at the PSAB State Convention. Ali Peters seconded the motion. All voted yes.

Councilman Steve Yovich is working on getting ditch dirt to build up the land in front of the municipal building, so sidewalks can be installed in the future. Steve Yovich motioned to appoint President Linda Falconer to sign the PennDot request for ditch dirt form. Ali Peters seconded. All Voted Yes.

Unfinished Business:

Edward Falconer made a motion to pay payroll and monthly bills for April 30, 2022 seconded by Shawn McLaughlin. All voted yes.

Steve Yovich motioned to hire L&D Tree service to remove the trees on the Mill Village Borough Community Park property for the cost of \$925.00. Edward Falconer seconded. All voted yes.

Steve Yovich, Shawn McLaughlin and Edward Falconer walked the drainage pipe from North Main Street to Depot Street. Record of the pipe installation is still being researched. In the event, that Mill Village Borough Council decides to fix or change the pipe, the landowners would all be required to give

authorization. Bert McLaughlin stated that she thinks Chip Seymore put the pipe in in the late 1950's or early 1960's.

General Comments from Council President: No comment

General Comments from Solicitor: Absent

General Comments from Council:

Mayor Sam – The tax bill box on the front of the building needs moved. Water is getting into the box.

Councilwoman Nye – Absent

Councilman Falconer – The Electrician has been contacted. The lights in the building will be replaced.

Councilman Yovich– No Comment

Councilman McLaughlin– asked if 2 separate checks can be given to the MVVFC from the Tax Collector – 1 for the Fire Dept. account and 1 for the EMT account.

Councilman Letzo Jr. – Absent

Councilwoman Peters – No Comment

Edward Falconer motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:37 p.m. Ali Peters seconded. All voted yes.

The next regular meeting is scheduled to be held on **June 1, 2022** at **6:30 p.m.**