

Bloomdale Village Council
Meeting Minutes
April 11, 2023

Opening

The regular meeting of The Bloomdale Village Council was called to order at 7:00PM by Mayor Stephen Schafer.

Members Present

Julie Dean, Bethany Vincent, Robert Clark, Kathy Simon and Tom Miller all answered roll call. Jamie Robinson was absent.

Bob Clark approved the minutes from the March 28th, 2023 meeting and Kathy Simon 2nd, all approved.

Hancock Wood (Bill, Kurt and Robyn) attended to discuss electric service if they provided service to the Village. HW wants their attorney to talk with our Solicitor. Julie sent the paperwork to Jeff Dennis.

Radio Hospital checked out the siren and waiting to hear back. The Fire Department did do a test and it could be an antenna issue.

Billy Mareches needs \$500 for the monitor for the grass rig. It'd be reimbursed to the department. Bethany Vincent made a motion for \$500/grass rig accessories and Kathy Simon 2nd, all approved.

Barb Mareches provided Ben Otley at Columbia Gas the 501@3 number.

ODOT plans to begin SR18 on May 1st.

The hot water heater went out at the Community Center before the Reidling rental. For the inconvenience, Bethany Vincent made a motion to refund their refund and \$100 of their fee and Kathy Simon 2nd, all approved.

Jeff Dennis updates: Waiting on email on the opioid settlement, nothing on LaWare, still working on the Fire Department bylaws. The CSX purchase agreement, he sent to Steve with some questions. He's still working on the cluster box/Post Office issue as well.

The bucket truck is repaired.

Tom, Bethany, Billy and some fireman went to the EMA meeting last month. There's grant money for generators. Billy contacted Findlay Generac to get a quote on a 22kw.

Contacted a few sidewalk concrete workers, nobody called back.

The Fire Department will have the Mother's Day Chicken BBQ this year.

AMP will be at the next meeting to discuss how the year is going, etc.

No updates on when storm sewer work will start. Paulette Mills said were waiting on the EPA to grant a permit.

The walking path is up for bid. The \$400 removal of post will be taken off.

Ryan Bennett could be interested in the community center job but would like to discuss. We have coverage through June so will reach out to him.

Dennis Gee wants to know if we can spread leftover stone from the gas project on his property. He can contact Columbia Gas.

Summer help, Dave Oler said he could work weekends and maybe Thursday's. Waiting to hear back from Rory Fitch on availability.

Bob Stewart needs signposts from the county. He needs 12 for \$312. He also needs to get a list of street signs and stop signs. We also need a nuts & bolts vendor. Bob Clark made the motion for \$312 for posts and Bethany Vincent 2nd, all approved.

Julie Dean made a motion to pay the bills and Bob Clark 2nd, all approved.

Bob Clark moved to end the meeting at 8:57PM

/s/ Stephen A. Schafer, Mayor

/s/Julie Dean, Clerk of Council

DATE: April 28, 2023