

APPROVED MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL VILLAGE OF UNIONVILLE COUNCIL MEETING  
HELD ON JUNE 3, 2024

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President John Katnik called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

**Council Present:** John Katnik, Vickie Balzer, Jon Townsend, Chad Gaeth, Brandt Gaeth and Tod Sting.

**Council Absent:** Greg Miracle.

**Others Present:** Clerk Alexis Ortner.

**Guests Present:** Lucille Keipinger and Robin Linde.

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** President Katnik requested public comment. Lucille came to introduce herself to the council and observe the meeting. Robin Linde came to observe the special meeting after seeing it posted.

**CLERK REPORT:** The Clerk, Alexis, told the council that she will still be in the area until July, and will still be able to answer questions by phone after her move.

**Motion** by Balzer, seconded by Townsend to approve the May 20, 2024, Regular Council minutes as presented. 6 Yeas. 0 Nays. 1 Absent. Motion carried.

**WAGES:** The hiring committee that was formed at the last regular meeting consisted of Jon Townsend, Chad Gaeth, and Greg Miracle. Townsend gave the council a quick summary of the candidates interviewed and the committee's recommendations for hiring Lucille Keipinger for the clerk's position.

**Motion** by Townsend, seconded by Sting to increase the paid number of hours a week to thirty at a rate of \$15.76 per hour for the clerk's position. 6 Yeas. 0 Nays. 1 Absent. Motion carried.

**Motion** by Townsend, seconded by C. Gaeth to hire Lucille Keipinger for the clerk's position starting June 5<sup>th</sup>, 2024. Roll Call Vote: Brandt Gaeth: Yea, Vickie Balzer: Yea, Jon Townsend: Yea, John Katnik: Yea, Tod Sting: Yea, and Chad Gaeth: Yea. Nay: None. Absent: Greg Miracle. Motion carried.

**ADJOURN:** Motion by Balzer, second by B. Gaeth to adjourn the April 8, 2024, meeting at 7:34 pm. 6 Yeas. 0 Nays. 1 Absent. Motion carried.

Next Regular Meeting: June 17, 2024, at 7:00 pm at the Village Hall.

Alexis J. Ortner  
Village Clerk