

VILLAGE OF MOSCOW REGULAR SESSION OF COUNCIL

December 7, 2020

Regular Council meeting called to order, pledge of allegiance at 6:02pm by Mayor Suter, with roll call by Bill Gilpin

English - Absent Forbes - Present Roark - Present  
Turner - Present Gorth - Present Caudill - Present  
Mayor Suter – Present Andrew Gephardt, Administrator - Present  
Bill Gilpin, Fiscal Officer –Present Emily Supinger, Solicitor –Present

Also present – Joe DaGiau, Deputy Brown

Council member Todd English arrived at 6:16pm

\*Motion to accept the minutes of the November 2, 2020 regular meeting by Forbes, seconded by Caudill

English – absent Forbes – yea Roark - yea  
Turner - yea Gorth - yea Caudill - yea MC

\*Motion to pay bills by Caudill, seconded by Forbes

English – absent Forbes – yea Roark - yea  
Turner - yea Gorth - yea Caudill - yea MC

**GUEST SPEAKER:** None

**ADMINISTRATOR REPORT:** Andrew Gephardt reports:

- **Sewer Repairs:** US 52
- **An Unintentional Christmas Movie:** Movie production team is interested in using our gym for two days of filming
- **CARES Act Money:** Supplies have mostly arrived; Plumbing work starts next week
- **2021 Clermont County Parks Grant:** New playground equipment? Application is due end of January
- **Zoning Report:** Report on file, will be emailed out
- **Vandalism:** Park trash can and park water fountain

The sewer line under US 52 was repaired by Howerton Construction, Tate Monroe Water Association and village employees together.

There was discussion on applying for a \$20,000 for playground equipment to be installed next to the skate park.

There was discussion on amending the zoning code to regulate fencing construction materials.

There was discussion on appointing Andrew Gephardt as the designee for taking the sunshine law training class on behalf of mayor and council.

\*Motion to make Andrew Gephardt the designee for taking the sunshine laws class on behalf of mayor and council by English, seconded by Turner

English – yea Forbes – yea Roark - yea  
Turner - yea Gorth – yea Caudill – yea MC

**FISCAL OFFICER’S REPORT:** Bill Gilpin reports:

Reported attending an 8 hour seminar for year end procedures; reviewed the amended appropriations ordinance and 2021 temporary appropriations ordinance; historic revenue report was supplied to council as well as a budgetary report. The December finance committee was rescheduled for January 4, 2021 following the council meeting.

**SOLICITOR’S REPORT:** Emily Supinger reports:

Nothing to report.



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ORDINANCE 2020-22 – AN ORDINANCE TO MAKE APPROPRIATIONS FOR CURRENT EXPENSES AND OTHER EXPENDITURES FOR THE VILLAGE OF MOSCOW, CLERMONT COUNTY, OHIO DURING THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2020

\*Motion to waive the readings of Ordinance 2020-22 by English, seconded by Gorth  
English – yea Forbes – yea Roark - yea  
Turner - yea Gorth – yea Caudill – yea MC

\*Motion to adopt Ordinance 2020-22 by Gorth, seconded by Roark  
English – yea Forbes – yea Roark - yea  
Turner - yea Gorth – yea Caudill - yea MC

ORDINANCE 2020-23 – AN ORDINANCE TO MAKE APPROPRIATIONS FOR CURRENT EXPENSES AND OTHER EXPENDITURES FOR THE VILLAGE OF MOSCOW, CLERMONT COUNTY, OHIO DURING THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2021

\*Motion to waive the readings of Ordinance 2020-23 by Forbes, seconded by English  
English – yea Forbes – yea Roark - yea  
Turner - yea Gorth – yea Caudill – yea MC

\*Motion to adopt Ordinance 2020-23 by Gorth, seconded by Caudill  
English – yea Forbes – yea Roark - yea  
Turner - yea Gorth – yea Caudill - yea MC

RESOLUTION 2020-24 – A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE ADMINISTRATOR TO EXECUTE A CONTRACT WITH THE CLERMONT COUNTY SHERIFF FOR THE PROVISION OF A DEPUTY SHERIFF TO PERFORM POLICE FUNCTIONS PURSUANT TO OHIO REVISED CODE SECTION 311.29

\*Motion to waive the readings of Resolution 2020-24 by Gorth, seconded by English  
English – yea Forbes – yea Roark - yea  
Turner - yea Gorth – yea Caudill – yea MC

\*Motion to adopt Resolution 2020-24 by English, seconded by Forbes  
English – yea Forbes – yea Roark - yea  
Turner - yea Gorth – yea Caudill - yea MC

**OLD BUSINESS:**

Cindy Gorth reported the need to have cleaning supplies available to those who rent the meeting room; also noted that the maintenance guys did an awesome job with the Christmas lights this year.

**NEW BUSINESS:** None

**PUBLIC INPUT:**

Joe DaGiau reported that the bench in the tank park was removed due to deterioration and offered to raise money to replace it. The consensus of council was to have the bench replaced.

Joe DaGiau reported continued issues with a dog in the village. Deputy Brown noted that he has been told that someone is shooting the dog with a BB gun, resulting in the dog becoming more difficult to train. Mayor Suter reported that the county dog warden has issued five citations and one dog has been confiscated.

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\*Motion to adjourn at 7:10 pm made by Gorth, seconded by English

English – yea

Forbes -yea

Roark - yea

Turner - yea

Gorth – yea

Caudill - yea

MC

APPROVED BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
TIM SUTER, MAYOR

ATTESTED BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
BILL GILPIN, FISCAL OFFICER