

Village of Waldron  
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The Waldron Village Council held its regular monthly meeting on Sept. 13, 2022 in the Wright-Waldron Municipal Building. President Russell Platt called the meeting to order @ 7:00 p.m. All stood to recite the Pledge of Allegiance. Roll call was taken with Darcie Salmon absent and all others present.

Additions and Approval of the Agenda: Bill Hall wanted water, sewer & garbage added to old business, Karen McNett wanted trick or treat added to old business & Shawn Barnhart wanted to add Michigan Underground to old business. Bill Hall made a motion to approve the agenda as amended. Shawn Barnhart supported and it carried by a voice vote.

Approval of the August 9, 2022 Meeting Minutes: Shawn Barnhart made a motion to approve the August 9, 2022 minutes. Karen McNett supported and it carried by a voice vote.

Approval of the August 16, 20 Special Council Meeting: Shawn Barnhart made a motion to approve the August 16, 2022 minutes. Karen McNett supported and it carried by a voice vote.

A motion was made by Shawn Barnhart to rescind the approval of the agenda and add August 31, 2022 Special Meeting Minutes. Karen McNett supported and it carried by a voice vote.

Approval of the August 31, 2022 Special Meeting Minutes as presented by Kathleen Worsley: Karen McNett made a motion to approve the August 31, 2022 minutes. Shawn Barnhart supported and it carried by a voice vote.

Public Comment: April Platt thanked the village for the part they played in the Labor Day festivities. The Community Days will have Halloween on Oct. 29, 2022 and Thanksgiving and Christmas activities are being planned.

#### Reports to Council

Fire Board: Karen McNett said that Emil Gravelle had joined the fire board.

Maintenance: None

Street Administrator: None

Code Enforcement: None

Monthly Report for Planning & Zoning: Phyllis Worsley said that Mark Bernath & Joel Rufenacht were about done with their portion.

#### Committee Reports

Treasurers Report: Keri Burress said she had collected \$40960.14 in taxes since the last council meeting. Keri asked why she wasn't allowed to make deposits since it has always been the

treasurers job. After some discussion on why the change it was decided to continue with the treasurer making deposits.

Clerks Report: Margy Burress said on Sept. 30, 2022 she wants her last check, she is taking the sweeper as it belongs to her & she is having Bettie Salmon come to the office so she can shred the village credit card with her name on it.

Presidents Report: None

Pay Bills: Bill Hall made a motion to pay bills. Bettie Salmon supported and it carried by a voice vote.

Old Business:

Audit: Margy Burres said she had submitted everything to the auditor that they had requested.

Michigan Underground: Shawn Barnhart submitted a bill to be paid

New Business: Appoint a new street administrator. Russ Platt and Phyllis Worsley wants letters of interest to be taken for this position. Bill Hall asked why appointing a street administrator is any different than appointing a clerk. Letters of interest weren't taken for the clerks position. These are both appointed positions.

Water & sewer tap fees: Russ said with the increase of cost for materials he thought the tap fee should be raised to \$2000.00 for each. Bettie Salmon made a motion to raise the fees to \$2000.00 each. Shawn Barnhart supported and it carried by a voice vote.

Trick or Treat: Council designated Oct. 29, 2022 from 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. for trick or treating. Karen McNett made a motion to set Oct. 29, 2022 for Halloween. Bill Hall supported and it carried by a voice vote.

Water, sewer & trash: Bill Hall wanted to know if garbage pick-up is on every bill as money taken in is less than the village has paid. Dawana Popejoy said she would double check to make sure they are.

Public Comment: None

Bill Hall made a motion to adjourn until October 11, 2022. Shawn Barnhart supported and it carried by a voice vote. Meeting adjourned @ 8:05 p.m.

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