

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS**ASHVILLE COUNCIL
REGULAR SESSION**

Held: MARCH 16, 2020

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The Council of Ashville convened in Regular Session from 6:30 PM to 7:19 PM in the Council Meeting Room at 200 East Station Street, Ashville, Ohio 43103. Mayor Wise called the meeting to order with the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silence.

The following members and visitors were present:

Mr. RANDY LOVELESS	Present	Mr. NELSON EMBREY	Present
Ms. TRACIE SORVILLO	Present	Mr. BRAD LUTZ	Excused
Mr. ROGER CLARK	Present	Mr. DAVID RAINEY	Present

EMPLOYEE(S): Chief Jeff George and Franklin Christman

GUEST: Fire Chief Chad Noggle

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING: Roger Clark moved, seconded by Randy Loveless, to approve the minutes of the March 2, 2020 Regular Session as presented. All votes were yea.

PRESENTATION: Chief Chad Noggle updated Council on what the fire department has been dealing with during the Covid-19 pandemic. Noggle advised Council that he is wants to be prepared for the worst and is working on a contingency plan in case the fire department gets contaminated. Noggle asked if the closed shelter house could be used if need and Council said yea.

DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS

VILLAGE ADMINISTRATOR: Franklin Christman delivered his written report which updated Council on the current office modifications in lieu of Covid-19.

POLICE DEPARTMENT: Chief George read his monthly report, advised Council that Auxiliary Officer Higgenbotham who has been helping out since Officer Bynorth has been on military leave got hired on full-time with Obetz and will not be able to help out anymore, and reported that a stop sign has been installed at the apartments at 161 Scioto Street/Scioto Street intersection.

TAX ADMINISTRATOR: Nelson Embrey moved, seconded by Randy Loveless, to approve the Tax Administrator's monthly report. All votes were yea.

LEGISLATION:**ORDINANCE(S) FOR SECOND READING****2020-03 AN ORDINANCE TO MAKE PERMANENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE CURRENT YEAR'S EXPENSES AND OTHER EXPENDITURES OF THE VILLAGE OF ASHVILLE, STATE OF OHIO, BASED UPON THE AMENDED CERTIFICATE OF RESOURCES ISSUED BY THE PICKAWAY COUNTY BUDGET COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2020, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

Nelson Embrey moved, seconded by Randy Loveless, to have the Second Reading. All votes were yea. After the reading, Nelson Embrey moved, seconded by Roger Clark, to accept the Second Reading, suspend the Rules of Council, waive the Third Reading and adopt as an emergency measure. All votes were yea.

RESOLUTION(S) FOR FIRST READING**04-2020 RESOLUTION 04-2020 A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR VILLAGE ADMINISTRATOR TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION (S) FOR OHIO DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENT SMALL CITIES COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) FOR FY2020.**

Nelson Embrey moved, seconded by David Rainey, to have the First Reading. All votes were yea. After the reading, Nelson Embrey moved, seconded by Roger Clark, to accept the First Reading, suspend the Rules of Council, waive the Second and Third Readings and adopt. All votes were yea.

MAYOR'S REPORT: Mayor Wise reported that he struggled with the decision to close the office to the public, but felt it was the right decision for the staff and residents.

COUNCIL COMMENTS:

1. Roger Clark asked if the end of Scioto Street that leads to the old sewer plant is too narrow and asked if it could be evaluated. Mayor Wise stated that the street is the same width as Glenn Road.



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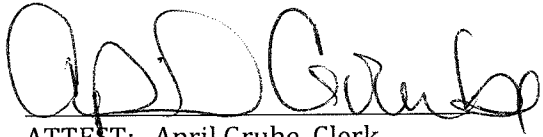
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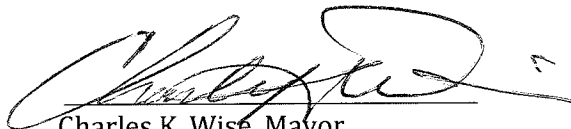
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2. Tracie Sorvillo wished everyone well and to stay safe.
 3. Nelson Embrey said that the village needs to tighten its spending as income tax revenue will likely decline in the wake of people being out of work.
 4. David Rainey advised people to be patient and respectful to those who are still serving the public as everyone is doing their best to meet the needs of customers.

At 7:19 PM, Nelson Embrey moved, seconded by David Rainey, to adjourn the meeting. All votes were yea and the meeting adjourned.

APPROVED: April 20, 2020



ATTEST: April Grube, Clerk



Charles K. Wise, Mayor

All formal actions of the COUNCIL of the VILLAGE OF ASHVILLE concerning and relating to the adoption of resolutions, ordinances, and/or motions passed at this meeting were adopted in a meeting open to the public, in compliance with the law, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.