

VILLAGE OF ASHVILLE  
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE  
OCTOBER 19, 2020

Mayor Wise called the meeting to order at 6:30 PM. Answering roll call were Roger Clark, Randy Loveless, Nelson Embrey and Darryl Ward. Tracie Sorvillo and David Rainey were excused. Also present were Franklin Christman, Jim Welsh, Adam Kehoe and Greg Sturgill.

**MINUTES:** Randy Loveless moved, seconded by Roger Clark, to approve the September 21, 2020 minutes as presented. All votes were yea.

**VILLAGE ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT:** Franklin Christman reported that the Service Department had found an abandoned septic tank and they are in the process of determining which residents may be hooked up to the tank. Christman also said he is working on putting together a Tree Advisory Committee and has a few people in mind. Nelson Embrey moved, seconded by Darryl Ward, to put the Tree Advisory Committee on the agenda for the next Council meeting for further discussion. All votes were yea. The VA presented Council with various capacity fees from neighboring municipalities to use when trying to determine what the village's new rates should be. Darryl Ward asked why the water & sewer capacity fees aren't the same. Mayor Wise said there is more cost involved with sewer operations. Nelson Embrey moved, seconded by Roger Clark, to put the fee schedule on the agenda for the next Council meeting for further discussion. All votes were yea.

**STREET DEPARTMENT:** Greg Sturgill reported that a new crew has come in for the SR 316 paving project, they are moving quickly, and he is pleased with the progress they are making.

**OLD BUSINESS:** Nelson Embrey said that he isn't in favor of just giving TVSD antenna space since they don't pay property taxes to the village and the only tax revenue the village does receive from the district is payroll tax. After discussion, Nelson Embrey moved, seconded by Roger Clark, to put the ordinance on the agenda for the next Council meeting for the Third Reading. All votes were yea.

**COUNCIL COMMENTS:**

1. Roger Clark asked if the picnic tables and benches had arrived and if the bucket truck had been fixed yet. The VA stated that the tables and benches have not been received but that the truck has been fixed. Clark also asked for the status of the payment drop box and the FO said it should be delivered early November.

Nelson Embrey moved, seconded by Randy Loveless, to adjourn. All votes were yea and the meeting adjourned at 7:31 PM.

ACCEPTED AND ATTESTED



Charles K. Wise – Mayor



April Grube – Council Clerk