

Hiram Township

Regular Meeting June 9, 2011

Present: Mr. Pancost, Mr. Bosma, Ms. Schulda.

Chairman Pancost opened the meeting with the reading of the minutes of the May 17, 2011 meeting which were approved with one correction.

Chairman Pancost recognized Ms. Kathleen Chandler who spoke about the Center for Community Solutions. This was an information clearing house for government information available through a subscription.

Fire Chief Byers was recognized. Chief Byers conducted an ATV drill for the fire staff to simulate an emergency rescue in a remote location for fire department personnel. Storm damage was attended to by the department since the last meeting.

Chief Byers asked the Board to get training in NIMS so that grant allocations can be processed in a positive manner. Ms. Schulda asked about the 911 phone system problems. Chief Byers said a variety of solutions are being looked at by the County but no quick fix has been achieved yet.

Old Business – Ms. Schulda said the County Engineer has not finalized the bonding of oil and gas well drillers yet. Ms. Schulda has not been contacted by the Hiram Village to look at the 2% income tax. Ms. Schulda will attend a storm water management meeting on June 13th at 10:30. Ms. Schulda said a meeting will be held on August 3, 2011 for all parties to discuss annexation solutions.

Mr. Pancost said the Planning Commission looked at the ditch adjustment permit application developed by Mr. Matota and found it to be acceptable.

New Business – Mr. Bosma said the vendor who has supplied flags in the past has gone out of business. Ms. Schulda said the Garrettsville Village Council passed an resolution to ask for a moratorium on gas well fracking. Ms. Schulda made a motion to support the moratorium on gas well fracking. Mr. Pancost seconded the motion. Roll call vote: Mr. Bosma NAY, Mr. Pancost AYE, Ms. Schulda AYE.

Resolution # 2011-18 to support a moratorium on gas well fracking has passed.

Mr. Pancost said a second grant from NOPEC has been approved allowing us to improve lighting in the garage and purchase an air compressor. Mr. Pancost said an ODOT government day will be held on June 20, 2011 in Ravenna.

Zoning Report – Mr. Garey said a property on Limeridge Road has been issued a junk warning.

Roads Report – Mr. Matota said the Township stop signs meet regulations. Mr. Matota said there may be beaver activity near Asbury Road or there may be sediment slowing the flow of water from the roadway.

Ms. Schulda made a motion to pay the bills and adjourn the meeting. Mr. Bosma seconded the motion. Roll call: Mr. Bosma AYE, Ms. Schulda AYE, Mr. Pancost AYE. The following bills were paid and the meeting adjourned.

7251	wages	Matota	1707.41
7252	wages	Firtik	1144.54
7253	wages	Roosa	1044.32
7254	wages	Bello	1084.32
7255	state tax	Treasurer Ohio	898.00
7256	health ins.	Ohio Plan	4317.84
7257	salary	Bosma	848.85
7258	salary	Pancost	848.85
7259	salary	Schulda	848.85
7260	salary	Brewer	800.00
7261	salary	Garey	610.00
7262	postage	Hiram P.O.	88.00
7263	life ins.	Anthem	300.60
7264	phones	Winstream	221.95
7265	insulation	WRH Insulation	2225.00
7266	parts	Ohio CAT	49.38
7267	parts	MOMAR co.	282.43
7268	parts	Industrial Conn.	23.55
7269	parts	DAVCO	90.83
7270	ad	Weekly Villager	14.00
7271	stone	Shalersville Asphalt	139.83
7272	stone	Brugmann	53.10

7273	street lights	Ohio Edison	292.84
7274	repairs	Chagrin Mower	339.49
7275	parts	Eastwood Shop	59.15
7276	parts	Primer Parts	695.00
7277	electric use	Ohio Edison	143.34
7278	sirens	Ohio Edison	42.95
7279	supplies	Garrettsville Hardware	194.88
7280	fuels	Western Reserve	1381.46
7281	gravel	Ontario Stone	442.99
7282	parts	GeeVille Auto	252.04
7283	parts	Wise Chevy	409.28
7284	supplies	API Co.	125.83
7285	supplies	(ndustrial Conn.	56.74
7286	long dist	Sprint	38.36
7287	cell phone	Matota	106.75

Total \$ 22,222.75