Council August 28, 2017

Present for this regular meeting of the Village of West Liberty Council was: Mr. M. Hostetler, Mr. Mally, Mr. King, Mrs. McKelvey, Mrs. Core Thomas, Mrs. Coy, Chief Oelker, Phil Holycross, Street Superintendent, and Clerk Boyd. Absent: Mayor G. Hostetler and Solicitor Moell. Guest: Nate Dunham WPKO radio.

Meeting was opened with Pledge of Allegiance and Lord’s Prayer.

 A MOTION was made by Mrs. McKelvey seconded by Mrs. Coy to approve the minutes of August 14, 2017 as written/read. Motion Carried.

A MOTION was made by Mrs. Coy seconded by Mrs. McKelvey to approve the following bills in the amount of $30,352.36. Motion Carried.

D P & L electric 80.49

East Lawn and Garden spindle, blade, etc. 99.34

Cherokee run Landfill 33.19 TN 2398.87

Fire Safety female adapter 29.00

Tom Cooksey services rendered 156.00

Austin Hostetler services rendered 78.00

CJ Hostetler services rendered 78.00

Bill Detrick 73 reg. 7 SL 961.49

Phil Holycross salary Sick leave 1232.63

Dennis Lance 77 reg. 3 Sl 961.49

James Neidhardt 8 hrs. 76.69

Paul Salyer 23 hrs. 188.26

Lee Deloye 72 reg. 8 vacation 1084.57

Nate Fickle 80 reg. 818.21

Shane Oelker salary 1319.82

Marc Roberts 80 reg. 926.23

Shell oil Co. gasoline 1048.82

BD of PA Refund Gerber no garbage pick up 16.28

IRS WH MC Emp. MC 1423.47

Companion Life insurance 96.00

Skeakley TPA services 288.52

Morgan White premium saver 752.00

PS & L interest police bdg 386.44

P S& L packer loan 1735.00

Shane Long Concrete brick work 4000.00

 DP& L electric 63.45

D P& L electric 542.55

Quill Corp. toner 208.25

Staples toner 153.98

Ohio Police and IFre penalty last October 2016 50.00

Miami Valley Lighting street lights 2161.49

WL bldg. Supply parts 25.47

Fire Safety Services coats pants cleaned 221.00

Bellefontaine Auto oil, fuse, etc. 42.80

MacDonald Supply parts 11.21

Cincinnati Ins. For Mayor 75.00

Champ. Cty Chamber membership 120.00

Contact Sweepers street sweeping 950.00

Allied waste recycling pick up 1966.25

Cherokee run Landfill 42.88 Tn 3091.70

Hieby oil fuel 433.59

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Street Committee: Shane Long concrete is doing a great job on the brick sidewalk repairs.

Safety Committee: will look at the tree at SR 68 and Linden St. Clerk will send a letter.

Finance: We are getting quotes for liability insurance and will be having a post-audit meeting soon.

Ordinance 2017-08 “AN ORDINANCE BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF WEST LIBERTY, OHIO CREATING A ZONING CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO APPOINT A ZONING CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER” was read. A MOITON was made by Mr. McKelvey seconded by Mr. King to pass on second reading only. Motion Carried.

Mrs. McKelvey said we have received 1,274 votes in 10 days for the beautification award.

Council members want to make sure your kids are at home past dark to houses/property does not get vandalized. Chief Oelker encourage people to call if they see anything no matter how big or small.

Fran’s Mowing gave a quote on spraying weeds at Dodge Park and High School in the amount of $500.00 and will spray sidewalks for free. Council agreed. Ball Association needs to dump trash cans into the dumpster then Street Department will pick up.

Shane Long Concrete gave us a quote on installing a catch basin behind LGP and Staidhams in the amount of $3500-$3900.00. Phil Holycross said the downspouts were repaired and wait to see when it rains again. Council agreed.

Clerk has received several complaints about our Municipal tax Company and will look at other options.

Clerk received several complaints about the bush/trees pulling out onto SR 68 from Linden St. Clerk will send a letter a copy of Ordinance.

Mr. M. Hostetler thinks we made a mistake by not putting sidewalk on the West Side of SR 68/Zanesfield Rd. so residents can walk to Dairy Shack. Think about it for next year.

Mr. Holycross said Neil Adams will be here next week to trim by Dodge Park then Valley Fencing will install fence.

Mr. Holycross said they need a new liner for the leaf machine in the amount of $300.00 and CJ Hostetler will help put it on but not sure of the cost. Council agreed it needed repaired and to do it.

Chief Oelker said the Safety Community Safety Event last Saturday was a success and we need more people from West Liberty to participate next year.

He helped with a Tactical Active Shooter training at JVS last weekend. It was very realistic and informational.

Mr. M. Hostetler informed Council Macochee Joint Ambulance District got their new ambulance with a generous donation. MJAD will be on the ballot this fall and they have received a lot of recognition from Miami Valley and OSU medical center. The larger hospitals are impressed on the knowledge and know how from MJAD from a small town department. Residents ought to be proud.

Two empty seats are on Council if there are no write ins.

A MOTION was made by Mrs. McKelvey seconded by Mrs. Core Thomas to adjourn at 7:51 PM. Motion Carried.

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