

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

October 26, 2020

The Council of the Village of Coldwater held its regular meeting in the election room of the Municipal Building on October 26, 2020, with Mayor Doug Bertke presiding. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM.

Roll call was responded to by: Schwieterman, Bettinger, Buschur, Siefiring and Rutschilling. Brunswick was absent.

Invocation by Bettinger.

Guests included Jason Miller and Georgia Rindler.

A motion was made by Buschur, second by Bettinger to approve the minutes from the October 12, 2020 regular meeting. Roll call resulted in the following ayes: Schwieterman, Bettinger, Buschur, Siefiring and Rutschilling. Motion Carried.

Item 12 A for an executive session was removed from the agenda. A motion was made by Siefiring, second by Rutschilling to approve the revised agenda. Roll call resulted in the following ayes: Schwieterman, Bettinger, Buschur, Siefiring and Rutschilling. Motion Carried.

Comments from the Public: None

Reports:

Police: Chief Miller announced they have two 5K races in town in November on the 14th and 22nd. He also said one of his officers is currently out due to being quarantined.

Finance Director: Eyink discussed a new Utility program which will allow residents to view and pay their bill online. He would like to move ahead with this software as long as there are no objections. The cost to the Village would be around \$3,000 a year.

Village Manager: Thomas gave some updates on the current projects. He said the traffic signals and crosswalks are completed. He is hoping the paving of Second Street is completed by our next meeting.

Mayor: Bertke said he attended a CIC meeting last week with Thomas.

Public Relations: A Public Relations Committee meeting was held on October 26, 2020 at 6:30 PM. Present were Mayor Bertke, Thomas, Bettinger, Rutschilling and Eyink. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss updating the Village's website. Bettinger showed some examples of some other local websites. Our current website is hosted by Tomorrow's Technology Today. A meeting will be scheduled with them to discuss some changes. Meeting adjourned at 6:50 PM.

Old Business:

A motion was made by Schwieterman, second by Buschur to approve a list of payments from the Covid 19 Small Business Grant Program. Roll call resulted in the following ayes: Schwieterman, Bettinger, Buschur, Siefiring and Rutschilling. Motion Carried.

New Business: None

Council Call-Final Comments:

Thomas said the crews are very busy right now. They just completed the last limb and brush pickup and repaired a storm sewer. Daily leaf pickup has started and they are also working on Phase 3 of the new park toys.

Bertke asked everyone to keep the family of Gabe Andrews in their thoughts and prayers.

A motion to adjourn was made by Bettinger, second by Schwieterman. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:17 PM.



Douglas Bertke, Mayor

Attest: _____



Jason Eyink, Clerk of Council