

BROOKLYN VILLAGE COUNCIL MINUTES

July 13th, 2015

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Brooklyn Village Council held on Monday July 13th, 2015 at 6:00 p.m. at the Brooklyn Village Office Building, 121 N. Main Street, Brooklyn, MI.

Manager, Trustees and Officers present: **McCutcheon, Bliven, Lutz, Co. Douglas, Kozar, Jenson, Cr. Douglas, DeJeu, Roberts, Guetschow**. Absent: None.

Motion by **Jenson**, supported by **Bliven**, to approve the Agenda. Ayes: All.

Motion by **Roberts**, supported by **Bliven**, to approve the minutes of the June 22nd, 2015, Village Meeting with corrections. Ayes: All

Received Financial reports ending for period of June 30th, 2015.

Police Chief **Elwell** gave a brief report on the Police Department. Calls are down significantly from last June as well as calls for the year.

Discussion was giving concerning murals on buildings and their effects on the community. Further information will be sought to see what pertains to murals and possible restrictions.

Motion by **Co. Douglas**, supported by **Bliven**, for the Village Council to approve the purchase offer for 112 Detroit St. (Old DPW Garage) by **Patrick and Margaret Matteson**, 102 Hawthorn Dr., Brooklyn MI, in the amount of \$34,200.00 with possession on July 31st, 2015 and allow President **DeJeu** and Manager **Guetschow** to approve closure of deal. Ayes: All

Director of Public Works **Keith Kotsch** gave a brief report on Village Public Works.

Manager **Guetschow** gave a brief report on the Village of Brooklyn. The Old Irish Mill is to possibly be rezoned as a commercial property as opposed to an industrial. Discussion was also given to possible changes to grass and weed ordinances.

President **DeJeu** also gave a brief report. SME submitted a report concerning concrete at the new DPW Garage. Investigations are still underway to remedy the current situation.

Motion by **Co. Douglas**, supported by **Jenson**, to authorize payment of Bills. Ayes: All

Meeting adjourned at 6:40pm by President **DeJeu**.

Mike Kozar, Village Clerk