

BROOKLYN VILLAGE COUNCIL MINUTES

August 10th, 2015

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Brooklyn Village Council held on Monday August 10th, 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, Guetschaw**. Absent: None.

Motion by **Roberts**, supported by **Jenson**, to approve the Agenda with corrections. Ayes: All.

Motion by **Jenson**, supported by **Bliven**, to approve the minutes of the July 27th, 2015, Village Meeting with corrections. Ayes: All

Village Code Enforcement Officer **Tom Miller** gave a brief report of Ordinance upkeep within the Village. Very few issues to report with only a handful of citations and or warnings issued.

Deputy Fire Chief **Scott Cota** gave a brief report on Fire Department. 119 calls for the month of July which were up from the previous year. 101 burn permits issued for the month as well.

Financial Reports were received for period ending July 31st, 2015.

Jackson County Rep. **Phil Duckham** gave a brief report on the County of Jackson.

Discussion was given concerning New DPW Garage Floor. Village Attorney **Fred Lucas** gave a brief report on what steps will be taken to resolve the issue. Attorney to meet with parties involved within in the weeks end.

Discussion was given concerning sale of Old DPW Garage as well. Village Attorney **Fred Lucas** reported a few complications had arisen but have since been remedied by an agreement with the parties involved. Sale of Old DPW Garage (112 Detroit St.) to be closing at end of the week.

Motion by **Roberts**, supported by **Lutz**, to accept the Robert Sieghart Proclamation and present it to his Family at the August 24th Village Council Meeting formally. Ayes: All.

Motion by **Co. Douglas**, supported by **Cr. Douglas**, to approve Ordinance 2015.08.03 - Mural Regulations, with corrections to Ordinance Language and an Application for Permit Fee of \$10. Council Vote: **Ayes: Bliven, Co. Douglas, Lutz, Cr. Douglas. Nays: Roberts, Jenson**. Motion Passed.

Director of Public Works **Keith Kotsch** gave a brief report on Village Public Works. The move into the new DPW Garage is pretty much finished minus a few items still to be moved. Thanks were given on behalf of the DPW by **Keith Kotsch** to **Connie and Craig Douglas** for the help they provided with moving and getting comfortable in the new DPW Garage.

Manager **Guetschow** gave a brief report on the Village of Brooklyn and things going on around town.

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