

Village of Thurston
Council Meeting Minutes
April 11, 2017

Meeting called to order at 7:00 pm by Mayor Mary Boring. Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Roll call: Robert Ortman – present JoAnn Hite – present Jimmy Barber JR – absent
 Garry Boring – present Lowell Hite – present Heather Baker - present
 Mary Boring, Mayor – present Aaron Reedy, Clerk – present

Mary asked if any visitors wished to speak. Margo Crow of 8179 Long St. was present. She wants the Village to take control of the private drive extension of Long St. There are a lot of potholes and issues with the drive. She said Mr. Whightsel will not do anything about it. Council discussed with her and told her there was nothing we could do because it does not belong to the Village – it is a private drive. Council gave her advice of calling different county agencies or an “on your side” TV show.

Garry made a motion to approve the March, 2017 meeting minutes. Robert seconded the motion. Roll call vote: all YES. Motion carried.

Garry made a motion to approve the March 2017 financial statement. Robert second. Roll call vote: all YES. Motion carried.

Business from Fire Chief - Chief Jim Hite was present and presented his report. Robert made a motion to approve Pickerington Sign as a new vendor. Heather second. Roll call vote: all YES. Motion carried. Garry made a motion to approve the PO’s requested by the Chief. Robert second. Roll call vote: all YES. Motion carried. Jim discussed the Fire Levy and said there’s some misunderstanding in the Village about the funding. He said to refer anyone to the department if they have questions.

Business from the Safety Committee – Robert made a motion to buy 2 “dead end” signs for 4th St. Garry second. Roll call vote: all YES. Motion carried.

Robert made a motion to have 2 “Slow – Children at Play” signs installed on Main St. around the park. Heather second. Roll Call vote: all YES. Motion carried.

Business from the Service Committee –Garry made a motion to stick with Sam’s Pest Control for mosquito spraying for the Village at a cost of \$165 per treatment; to start in May, spray once a month or unless we request more. JoAnn second. Roll Call vote: all YES. Motion carried.

Garry made a motion to replace the fascia on the back of the municipal building at a max cost of \$150. Robert second. Roll Call vote: all YES. Motion carried.

Business from the Finance Committee – Didn’t meet.

Business from the Regional Planning Representative – Robert said there was nothing that concerned the Village.

Old Business – None

New Business – Mary said the ceiling in the furnace room is falling down, and can’t support the ducts. She will get a quote from Ralph @ Walnut Creek Contractors.

Garry made a motion to have Jamie Carroll do the mowing for the Village this year at the same price as last year. Robert second. Roll Call vote: all YES. Motion carried.

Council discussed tree stumps on Moline Dr. Jamie will spray them with brush killer.

As there was no further business to discuss, JoAnn made a motion to adjourn. Heather second. Roll call vote: all YES. Motion carried. Time is 7:34 p.m.

Respectfully prepared by,

Aaron Reedy