

THE VILLAGE OF LAKEMORE
MINUTES FOR COUNCIL MEETING
OCTOBER 19, 2020

Meeting Was Called to Order by Mayor Cole at 7:00 p.m.

Opening Roll Call: Mrs. Coontz, Mrs. Cochran, Ms. Snyder, Mr. Strittmatter, Ms. Anderson, and Mr. Douglas were present.

Pledge of Allegiance Was Led by Mayor Cole.

Motion to Accept minutes from October 5, 2020 council meeting as presented and not read was made by Mr. Douglas and seconded by Mr. Strittmatter. Roll call: Mrs. Cochran, Ms. Snyder, Mr. Strittmatter, Ms. Anderson, Mr. Douglas, and Mrs. Coontz voted "yes". Motion carried.

Motion to Accept Purchase Orders from October 6, 2020 to October 16, 2020 totaling \$25,006.07 as presented and not read was made by Ms. Anderson and seconded by Mr. Strittmatter. Roll call: Ms. Snyder, Mr. Strittmatter, Ms. Anderson, Mr. Douglas, Mrs. Coontz, and Mrs. Cochran voted "yes". Motion carried.

Motion to Accept Bills from October 6, 2020 to October 16, 2020, totaling \$93,651.00 as presented and not read was made by Mr. Strittmatter and seconded by Mrs. Cochran. Roll call: Mr. Strittmatter, Ms. Anderson, Mr. Douglas, Mrs. Coontz, Mrs. Cochran, and Ms. Snyder voted "yes". Motion carried.

Reading of Ordinances and Resolutions

Resolution 7002-2020 "accept health insurance proposal from SummaCare" emergency read: Coontz

Resolution 7003-2020 "renew TASC" emergency read: Snyder

Resolution 7004-2020 "apply for OPWC funding to replace 6" force sewer main" emergency read: Strittmatter

Resolution 7005-2020 "approve kennel agreement with Spr Twp" 2nd read: Anderson

Ordinance 1688-2020 "amend illicit discharge ordinance" 3rd read: Strittmatter
Ordinance 1692-2020 "amend budget" emergency read: Anderson

Mayor's Report

Mayor Cole reminded everyone that the Lakemore Food Pantry run every last Wednesday of the month at Lakemore United Methodist Church from 5 to 7.

Council Report

Mrs. Coontz reminded everyone that Springfield is providing free breakfasts and lunches to families with kids at the high school every day.

Ms. Snyder announced that the next council meetings will be Monday, November 2, 2020 and November 16, 2020, both at 7:00 p.m. in the Lakemore Municipal Building.

Ms. Snyder announced that the next council workshops will be November 11th (unless changed for Veterans' Day) and November 24th at 6:00 p.m. in the Lakemore Municipal Building.

Mr. Strittmatter announced that Trick or Treat in the village is going to be held this Saturday, October 31 from 5 till 7.

Mr. Strittmatter announced that Election day is this coming Tuesday, November 3rd and Veteran's day is November 11th at 11:11.

Ms. Anderson reminded everyone to mention Lakemore when renewing tags to ensure the Village receives permissive tax money to repair roads.

Mr. Douglas announced that per last Thursday's meeting polls were going to be open for in-person voting with social distancing measures being practiced.

Appearing Before Council

Chuck Sincere and Dave Hofer to speak about the School levy.
Chuck mentions that the school meal program will continue and that the school district has 5 renewal levies and will offset 4 for operating and 1 for permanent

improvements. He mentioned that last time new money was generated was almost 20 years ago.

Sincere mentioned that in August the school tried for a new 7.7-million-dollar levy which would equate to around 24 dollars a month extra for a house valued at \$100,000.

Mrs. Coontz suggested that voters go to the “Moving Springfield Forward” levy page on Facebook for more details.

Mr. Hofer also joined the podium for comment.

Mr. Douglas asked what happened to all the older sports memorabilia from the previous high school.

Mr. Sincere commented that as times move on they need to move older memorabilia to storage to make room for accomplishments made from newer athletes.

Mr. Douglas mentioned that Springfield’s academic ratings are below the average score and asked what they are doing to fix that.

Mr. Sincere commented that state tests dictate by zip code and income level but they are working to get them better no matter what the cause is.

Mr. Hofer mentioned that standard testing always changes so its hard to maintain good scores, but Springfield Local was a leader in sending students to PLCC.

Ms. Anderson mentioned that much of the push back is from residents who are focused on mistakes the school has made in the past. What should be said to them about these?

Mr. Hofer commented that we are all human and make mistakes. People elected to stay on top of everything and work through issues. He also mentioned to visit the “moving forward” Facebook page to assist families to educate their kids and that they are working on all programs.

Mr. Cole reminded everyone that the municipality receives income tax from Springfield Local School District so any cut for the schools will impact Lakemore's finances.

Appearing before council – Emory Pittman for the Lions Club

Mr. Pittman mentions that SHS athletes and spectators are always great at events.

Mr. Pittman also wanted to thank all the volunteers for who helped with the latest spaghetti dinner which passed out 156 meals via their drive thru. Special thanks to Bill Langlow for parking and also the Lakemore United Methodist Church as well as Pressler Meats.

Mr. Hofer mentions that the girls were honored for sportsmanship via letter from a referee and also from the parents at Streetsboro so Springfield is doing a lot right with kids.

Mr. Sincere also wanted thank all who participated in the meal program and will deliver the proclamation to the board office.

Special

Mr. Strittmatter makes the motion to move out of the regular order of business to present Mayoral Proclamations to Springfield Local School district workers and the volunteers for the summer meal program. The motion is seconded by Ms. Anderson. Roll call: Mr. Douglas, Mrs. Coontz, Mrs. Cochran, Ms. Snyder, Mr. Strittmatter and Ms. Anderson voted "yes". Motion carried.

Mr. Strittmatter makes the motion to move back into the regular order of business, Mr. Douglas seconded the motion. Roll call: Mrs. Coontz, Mrs. Cochran, Ms. Snyder, Mr. Strittmatter, Ms. Anderson and Mr. Douglas voted "yes". Motion carried.

Old Business

Mr. Strittmatter makes a motion to adopt Ordinance 1688-2020. Mrs. Cochran seconded the motion. Roll call: Mrs. Anderson, Mr. Douglas, Mrs. Coontz, Mrs. Cochran, Ms. Snyder and Mr. Strittmatter voted "yes". Ordinance adopted.

New Business

Mrs. Coontz makes a motion to dispense with three readings of Resolution 7002-2020. Ms. Anderson seconded the motion. Roll Call: Ms. Snyder, Mr. Strittmatter, Ms. Anderson, Mr. Douglas and Mrs. Coontz voted "yes". Motion carried.

Mrs. Coontz makes a motion to adopt Resolution 7002-2020. Mr. Strittmatter seconded the motion.

Mr. Douglass mentions he is 100 percent happy with this plan.

Mrs. Cochran mentions she is glad and is also saving money.

Roll Call: Mr. Strittmatter, Ms. Anderson, Mr. Douglas, Mrs. Coontz, Mrs. Cochran and Ms. Snyder voted "yes". Resolution Adopted.

Ms. Snyder makes a motion to dispense with the three readings of Resolution 7003-2020. Mr. Douglas seconded the motion. Roll call: Ms. Anderson, Mr. Douglas, Mrs. Coontz, Mrs. Cochran, Ms. Snyder and Mr. Strittmatter voted "yes". Motion carried.

Ms. Snyder makes a motion to adopt Resolution 7003-2020. Mr. Douglas seconded the motion. Roll call: Mr. Douglas, Mrs. Coontz, Mrs. Cochran, Ms. Snyder, Mr. Strittmatter, and Ms. Anderson voted "yes". Resolution adopted.

Mr. Strittmatter made a motion to dispense with the three readings of Resolution 7004-2020. Ms. Anderson seconded the motion. Roll call: Mrs. Coontz, Mrs. Cochran, Ms. Snyder, Mr. Strittmatter, Ms. Anderson and Mr. Douglas voted "yes". Motion carried.

Mr. Strittmatter made a motion to adopt Resolution 7003-2020. Mrs. Coontz seconded the motion.

Ms. Fast mentioned that the deadline for the app is in early November.

Roll call: Mrs. Cochran, Ms. Snyder, Mr. Strittmatter, Ms. Anderson, Mr. Douglas and Mrs. Coontz voted "yes". Resolution adopted.

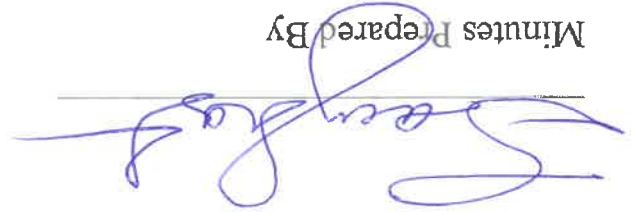
Ms. Anderson made a motion to dispense with the three readings of Ordinance 1692-2020. Mr. Strittmatter seconded the motion. Roll call: Ms. Snyder, Mr. Strittmatter, Ms. Anderson, Mr. Douglas, Mrs. Coontz and Mrs. Cochran voted "yes". Motion carried.

Ms. Anderson made a motion to adopt Ordinance 1692-2020. Mr. Strittmatter

seconded the motion. Roll call: Mr. Strittmatter, Ms. Anderson, Mr. Douglas, Mrs. Coontz, Mrs. Cochran and Ms. Snyder voted "yes". Ordinance adopted.

Motion to Adjourn was made by Mr. Douglas and seconded by Ms. Anderson. Roll call: Mr. Douglas, Mrs. Coontz, Mrs. Cochran, Ms. Snyder, Mr. Strittmatter and Ms. Anderson voted "yes". Meeting adjourned at 8:43 p.m.

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