

*Village of Arlington, Ohio
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Meeting Date: April 6, 2015

Arlington Village Council met in regular session at 7:00 p.m. with Mayor Solt presiding. Council members Blunk, Dempster, Essinger, T.L. Huffman, and Palmer were present. Also present were Monday, Best, Latta, Faye and Rasmussen.

The meeting was called to order and followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion by Essinger and second by T.L.Huffman to approve the March 16nd meeting minutes. Voice vote, all yes. Motion carried.

Visitors: **Jeff Winkle**, Hancock Cty Public Library, talked about levy on ballot May 5th, the money from this is used for operating expenses. Also talked about most of the programs the library offers. **David Sielschott and Jayden Roberts**, both present for Eagle Project proposal, Jayden wants to replace some playground equipment at the park. He would like to get this project done in the month of April, Jayden passed around pictures of what he would like to do.

Personnel Reports:

Latta (Fire) – received donation from the Ginter family for the fire station.

Monday (Water & Sewer) – hydrants flushed 20th and 21st. Diesel pump getting back this week. JDRS repaired meter pit, permanent fix on line. Purchased 10-30 inch traffic cones for \$10/piece. Water turned on at park and restrooms are open.

Crist (Streets & Parks) – vacation.

Best (Board of Public Affairs) – no report

Kuenzli (Fiscal Officer) – no report

Rasmussen (Solicitor) – ballot language approved

Fahy (Blanchard Design Associates) – received permit for tanks.

Committee Reports:

Essinger (Finance, Fire & Capital Projects) – CD's coming due \$122,000, going to wait till end of month to lock in. Would like to purchase or make a frame to lift leaf box on and off truck. Jac-n-Do's will be purchasing a sign for park. Would like to purchase score board for softball field at park, suggested village pay 1/3, booster 1/3 and private resident 1/3, this means \$1500 for village.

Dempster (Maintenance, Safety, EMS & Street Lights) – Presented quotes from Landtech (mosquito spraying) and Helms and Sons Excavating (street sweeping). Contacted vendor to do trash pick-up (J&N Haulers) for May 8th. Union Street lights, out.

Palmer (Community Development & Business Relations) – aggregation wants public meeting in late April.

T.L. Huffman (Water, Drainage & Sewer) – Powell Drive and Welch quotes.

Blunk (Parks, Recreation & Trees) – fence is done. Bathrooms at Price field need to have fixtures replaced cost would be \$6200. Suspended increase to some softball teams that were already signed up for the summer. What is village going to contribute to the Arlington festival?

T.J. Huffman (Streets, Sidewalks & Zoning) – absent.

Solt (Mayor) – no report

Old Business: none

New Business:

Authorize mayor to hire 2nd part-time employee.

Motion by Blunk and second by Palmer to donate \$1499 from the Arlington festival fund to Arlington festival committee. Voice vote, all yes. Motion carried.

Motion by Essinger and second by T.L. Huffman to pay no more than \$1500 for scoreboard at Price field, if we get the other donations. Voice vote, all yes. Motion carried.

Motion by Dempster and second by Palmer to approve contract with Landtech to spray village up to 12 sprayings for mosquitos at a cost \$4560. Voice vote, all yes. Motion carried.

Motion by Dempster and second by T.L. Huffman to approve contract with Helms and Son Excavating for 2 street sweepings at a cost of \$1700. Voice vote, all yes. Motion carried.

Motion by Dempster and second by Palmer to approve JL Hauling to do the trash pick-up on May 8th for the village. Voice vote, all yes. Motion carried.

Motion by T.L. Huffman second by Essinger to accept quote from Helms and Sons Excavating to remove existing fence along the edge of creek and mount and attach to the existing aluminum fence post a 25' section of 4' high fence in the amount of \$2,925. Voice vote, all yes. Motion carried.

Motion by Palmer second by Blunk to pay the bills. Voice vote, all yes. Motion carried.

Motion by Essinger second by Dempster to excuse T.J. Huffman from meeting. Voice vote, all yes. Motion carried.

Motion by Blunk second by Essinger to adjourn meeting. Voice vote, all yes. Motion carried.

The next meeting will be held on Monday, April 20, 2015 at 7:00 p.m.

Clerk

Mayor