

VILLAGE OF LATTY

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Members in Attendance were, Mayor Shawn Gerber, Darlene Knapp, Kathy Habern, Beth Stoller, Michael Gray, Kirk Stoller, Barb Sinn Fiscal Officer and John Hatcher-Village Solicitor.

6:01pm Meeting began with a Prayer by Shawn Gerber. Meeting called to order by Michael Gray and seconded by Kirk Stoller at 6:01pm. All bills and Financials were read and given out for approval by Barb Sinn. Motion to accept Minutes and Pay Bills made by Darlene Knapp and seconded by Michael Gray.

Information for Village Discussed:

Latty trail extending off of the old railroad tracks that crosses RD 82 was purchased by Wobler.

Tax Levy Resolution is good thru January 1, 2025 need to know when the over 10 mil Resolution will expire. S Gerber stated that he would check at Auditors office asap.

Motion was made to accept the donated land from the railroad tracks to the park lot which is owned by Meese @ .076 acre made by Kirk Stoller and seconded by Darlene Knapp. Resolution 2024-09-10.

Halloween decision for Trick or Treat in Latty was discussed and agreed upon that it would be Thursday October 31st from 5:30-7PM. Also agreed that each council member would donate a bag of candy to be passed out by the village on Trick or Treat at the next meeting or left at Village Hall prior to Halloween.

Fall Cleanup Dumpster was voted down by all council present for this year.

Suggestion was made by Darlene Knapp to have electrical run to the shelter house for picnics and fall festival use for the future. All council members agreed this would be an improvement for the park.

Need to start looking for a new council member to fill vacant seat.

Shawn Gerber stated that the Bidlack property near the park needs cleaned up and stated that a letter written by the solicitor to Mr. Bidlack may be sufficient to get things done at this time.

Checking on Railroad access from Alexander St. needs permanently closed and Mayor will contact the Railroad for help in this matter as soon as possible.

Banners need taken down as soon as we can get someone to proceed with this task. Damaged banners need replaced and also concentrating on next years additional banners that need made.

Darlene Knapp stated that she called in 2 street lights for the Village to AEP.

Beth Stoller-Asking that Metalink be extended to include their residence, S Gerber stated that he would check on that. Waiting on technical support to fix the software for the Village sign. Also stated that all pieces to the playground equipment are in and may need to move dirt from the park hill for the slide placement.

Shawn Gerber stated that at the next meeting he would like to discuss:

Budget Preparedness for 2025

Treece Electric Help

Levy on the ballot in November.

Motion to close the meeting at 8:05pm made by Kirk Stoller and seconded by Michael Gray.

Next meeting will be October 8th 2024 at 6p.m.