

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE
PLEASANT HILL VILLAGE COUNCIL
AND BOARD OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS
NOVEMBER 17th, 2004
MINUTES

Mayor Gary Johnston called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm. Roll Call: Paul Didier, Melinda Clark, Judy Barga, Brenda Stephens, Georgiana Weaver, Kory Krofft and Stan Fessler all present. Becky Phillis and Jamie Clark were absent. The following guests were present: Terry Stephens, Dale and Joel Via, and Tyler Neitzelt. Others present were Tony Fessler Fiscal Officer, Larry P. Snead Police Chief and Officers Crystal Chaney and Joshua Arms, and Gary Johnston Mayor.

Stan Fessler, president of the BPA, presented a spreadsheet on Bob and Jeff's time and pay in year 2004 showing that maybe BPA has been over allocated for their time. The BPA would like to review the proposal presented by the Village and compare it to the actual for 2004 and make some suggestions to Council by their next meeting. Both groups agreed that the Village and BPA would still need to share services from the employees no matter what happens to the allocation of their salaries. Jamie Clark arrived at 8:18pm.

The Village Council and Board of Public Affairs reviewed the 2005 mowing bids and decided to go with a 3 year contract. After much discussion Judy moved to award the 3 year contract to A.S.A.P. Lawn Care Service because of their past service, very little damages and the compliments that have been received from citizens over the past 5 years, seconded by Georgiana. Roll Call: Judy, Georgiana, Brenda, Melinda, Paul, Stan, Kory and Jamie all yes. Motion Carried.

Stan asked Council to consider setting aside some funds to replace some of the trees that have been removed from the cemetery.

Judy and Georgiana are still working on the Village Household Income Survey and had nothing to report at this time.

Georgiana stated that the Police Levy failed by 74 votes and there is no May primary in 2005 so there would be a cost to the Village to put it on the ballot.

The next general election will be in November 2005 and Georgiana will check on the estimated cost for either the May or November election to see which would be most effective. Melinda presented projections on how the General Fund will be affected if the Village maintains the current police staff and no levy is passed. Melinda asked what the problems are if only the Sheriff's Department was to cover the Village. The Mayor said it could work however they would not enforce local ordinances.

Police Chief Larry Snead and Officer Joshua Arms presented ways the Village could receive a portion of the minor misdemeanor citations that are currently going to the County, by making Village Ordinances that reflect the citations in the Ohio Revised Code and cite offenders under the Village Ordinances instead of the Ohio Revised Code.

Judy moved to adjourn seconded by Melinda. Roll Call: Judy, Melinda, Georgiana, Paul and Brenda all yes. Meeting adjourned at 8:27pm.

Mayor/ Gary Johnston

President of BPA/ Stan Fessler

Fiscal Officer/ Tony Fessler