

**VILLAGE OF PEMBERVILLE
COUNCIL MEETING
August 5, 2014**

Mayor Bowman opened the August 5, 2014 council meeting at 7:00pm with a prayer and led those present in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call: Present at the regular meeting of council was Rothenbuhler, Campbell, Long, Opelt, Sautter, and Schuerman. Others present were Russell Eby, Ed Wozniak, Nicole Long, Vic Schuerman, Doug Wegman, Solicitor Marsh, Chief Darling, and the clerk.

Minutes: Opelt moved and Sautter seconded to approve the July 17, 2014 regular meeting minutes. Motion passed unanimously.

Treasurer's Report: Rothenbuhler moved and Campbell seconded to approve the bills in the amount of \$18,647.88. Motion passed unanimously.

ORDINANCE 1523 – ORDINANCE ABOLISHING ORDINANCE NO. 1165 – 1st reading

ORDINANCE 1524 – ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 1455 WITH RESPECT TO MONTHLY CHARGE FOR DEBT REPAYMENT FOR PERMANENT SEWER PROJECTS – 1st reading

ORDINANCE 1525 – ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 1474 WITH RESPECT TO MONTHLY CHARGE FOR MAINTENANCE, OPERATION, IMPROVEMENTS AND REPAIRS TO THE MUNICIPAL SEWER SYSTEM – 1st reading

Mayor:

Mayor Bowman read a letter informing the Village of Pemberville they were selected by Community Employment Services as the Employer of the Month for July.



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July 28, 2014

Eric Campbell
Village of Pemberville
115 Main Street, PO Box 109
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Dear Eric,

As Board President of Wood Lane Industries, I would like to personally congratulate you and the Village of Pemberville for being selected by Community Employment Services to be Employer of the Month for July 2014.

As you are aware, Community Employment Services (a division of Wood Lane, Wood County Board of Developmental Disabilities) has assisted businesses throughout Wood County in filling vacant positions. Northwest Ohio businesses have come to recognize that workers with developmental disabilities can be an integral part of the community workforce through Community Employment Services. As the Employer of the Month, you and the Village of Pemberville have successfully ensured workers with developmental disabilities success on the job. You and your staff have been supportive, understanding, and fully accepting. I thank you for your compassion and professionalism.

Sincerely,

Nancy A. Orel, Ph.D., LPC
Associate Dean
College of Health and Human Services

cc. Jay Salvage
Vic Gable

Monthly calendars were distributed for August through December 2014.

Mayor Bowman explained he received a request from the Ovarian Cancer Connection asking if they could tie ribbons in the center of town to show support for those women who are fighting ovarian cancer and to provide awareness of the symptoms. The National Awareness Campaign for Ovarian Cancer is Turn the Towns Teal. The campaign is to take place during the month of September. Council agreed to allow this during September.

Rothenbuhler:

Rothenbuhler explained recommendations from Finance committee for the 105 / Front Street project. It was Finance Committee's recommendation to proceed with option number two. This is a 40% Village contribution \$89,800 with a village cash contribution of \$8,980 (10%) and the remainder (\$80,820) would be paid through a loan. The Finance Committee has decided to wait to make a decision on the lighting and sidewalk portion until the Village gets a determination on the grant portion of the project.

Campbell:

Campbell explained he would like to have Village streets swept prior to the fair. Schuerman requested that the storm drains be cleaned off before the streets sweepers come. Campbell said that he would see that it gets done. Council agreed to the street sweeping.

Campbell explained the Street Department would be painting streets and parking lots and will need the assistance of the Police Department with this. Chief Darling agreed to help with this.

Campbell has requested quotes for paving / tar & chipping on Moore Street and Perry Street extension. He has only received one quote back.

Campbell read a request for special consideration for brush pick up. There was discussion on how much brush is too much, when it needs to be out, where it needs to be, how it needs to be cut, etc. There was discussion as to how to handle brush pick up when it does not follow the guidelines that have been set. It was determined that the policy was not clearly set or distributed to residents. Council asked the SSL&B committee to recommend a policy that council could adopt that could then be distributed to Village residents. Council discussed how to handle the brush at 828 West Front Street. Campbell moved have Bourdo and Lenke pick up the brush and have a village representative speak with the property owner about the proper way to handle future brush pick-ups. Schuerman seconded the motion. Roll Call: Campbell-yes, Schuerman-yes, Sautter-yes, Opelt-yes, Long-no, Rothenbuhler-yes. Motion passed.

Long:

The lock on the bathroom is installed. There was discussion on what time to lock and unlock the door. It was decided to have the restrooms open from 7am-10pm.

Opelt:

Opelt updated council on the status of the Cat Committee.

Sautter:

Sautter explained that the BPA made recommendations to reduce the debt service rate and increase the base usage sewer rate. These both came to council tonight in the form of Ordinances.

Sautter explained that Roberta Acosta was at the BPA meeting discussing the water rate study finding further.

Schuerman:

Schuerman questioned what can be done about parking large commercial vehicles on the street.

Schuerman asked about the floors in the pool showers.

Other:

The Police Report was distributed.

Ed Wozniak explained that he would like to see brush picked up whenever it is put out as long as the resident cut it.

Mayor Bowman adjourned the meeting at 8:25pm.