

Minutes of a Regular Council Meeting of the
Village of Walton Hills, Ohio held Tuesday
April 17, 2018 at 6:10 p.m. in the
Village Hall Council Chambers at 7595 Walton Road

Mayor Hurst called the meeting to order. The Pledge of Allegiance is spoken. Mayor Hurst also asks for a moment of silence for our Military men and women as well as for the residents who have passed away since our last regular council meeting. This includes Rose Milkovich. The roll call was then taken by Katie Iaconis. Councilpersons present were Denny Linville, Mary Brenner-Miller, Jennifer Allen, Gloria Terlosky, Don Kolograf, and Brian Spitznagel. Mayor Hurst also would like the record reflect that we have our law solicitor, William Mason, and our Fiscal Officer and Clerk of Council, Ms. Katie Iaconis, present at this meeting.

Item E: Motion to receive and file our Council Caucus minutes of April 17, 2018. Councilman Kolograf makes a motion that we receive and file Council Caucus minutes of April 17, 2018. Seconded by Councilwoman Terlosky. No questions or comments. Six ayes approve.

Item F: Persons having business before council. Mitch Styndl from 17357 Andras Drive stands. He apologizes for some of the things he said that were wrong at the last State of the Village meeting at the Community Center. He wants it on the record that he does not think that anyone on the council is dishonest or doing anything dishonest. He ensues with a discussion regarding some of those topics. He speaks about the property tax millage and how it is the lowest in the county. He suggests that increasing the taxes is the wrong way to go. He thinks we should increase the millage as much as can increase it without a vote and then put it on the levy. He said then increase it the rest of the way that then need.

Ray Tinter from 18409 Jefferson Drive stands. He thanks the Mayor and council or the use of the Village Hall for the 50+ Club auction that they had yesterday. He mentioned that the Walton Hills Benevolent Fund will receive \$550+.

Josephine Wardle from 17850 Egbert Road stands and states that she agrees with what Mitch said. She asks how many businesses will be involved in the \$1800 per year that will be assessed to the businesses for the road construction, and also how much the total cost of this will be. Mayor Hurst states that this is a projection of about 8 businesses on West Creek Road, and it is a 20-year assessment. He states he will make a statement under Economic Development that will explain this a bit more. Discussion ensues on this between Mayor Hurst and Josephine.

No further comments from the audience.

Item G: Mayor's Report. Mayor Hurst gives his Mayor's report.

Mayor Hurst speaks about Economic Development. He does address the concern of Ms. Wardle above.

Item H: Council's Comments. Councilman Linville speaks and comments on Mitch's comments.

Councilman Kolograf speaks toward Mitch and tells him that he does not have to apologize. He appreciates it but it was not necessary.

Councilman Spitznagel has no comments.

Councilwoman Brenner-Miller has no comments.

Councilwoman Terlosky has no comments.

Councilwoman Allen has no comments.

LEGISLATION:

Ordinance 2018-7. Councilman Linville introduces Ordinance 2018-7 for first reading, an ordinance requesting that Cuyahoga County Budget Commission to levy additional un-voted millage within the 10 mill limitation.

Ordinance 2018-8. Councilman Spitznagel introduces Ordinance 2018-8 for first reading, an ordinance amending Chapter 1266.05e of the Codified Ordinances of the Village of Walton Hills.

Old Business. None.

New Business. None.

Mayor Hurst states that there is Morning Meeting with the Mayor Hurst at 9 a.m. tomorrow morning in the Community Building. There is an 11:30 a.m. meeting after that with the residents to discuss the Cajin's Trucking Company agreement at the old service garage.

On 4/23 at 6 p.m., there will be a CIC meeting to discuss and review the possibilities of selling our house that we own beside the Community Building on Alexander Road.

He speaks about and speaks about the items on the memo that he put out to all council members regarding items for the month of May.

No further comments or questions.

Councilman Spitznagel makes a motion to adjourn the Regular Council meeting of April 17, 2018, at 6:30 p.m., seconded by Councilwoman Brenner-Miller. No questions or comments. Six ayes approved.

Respectfully submitted,

Katie Iaconis
Fiscal Officer