

# The Village of Northfield

## REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING

November 25, 2019

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Nehez at 7:30 p.m., and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Nehez.

**ROLL CALL** was read by Law Director Brad Bryan. The following officials were present: Councilpersons Nick Magistrelli, Jenn Domzalski, Alan Hipps, Renell Noack, and Gary Vojtush. Councilperson Keith Czerr was absent. Also present for the meeting was Law Director Brad Bryan.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** A motion to approve the Minutes from the November 13, 2019 Council Meeting was made by Ms. Noack and seconded by Mr. Vojtush. All were in favor of approval; none were opposed. The November 13, 2019 Minutes were approved.

### **PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, MEMORIALS, AND REMONSTRANCES:**

Pat Hunt, Sr. advised the Mayor and Council he will be running for Summit County Sheriff in 2020. Mr. Hunt wanted to meet Council and permit them to put a face with a name. He mentioned the primary election will take place March 17, 2020. Mr. Hunt stated he will notify the Police Chief when the time comes to let him know that his campaign supporters will be walking door to door in the Village.

### **REPORTS OF MUNICIPAL OFFICERS:**

**Mayor Jesse Nehez** – No report.

**Finance Director, Tricia Ingrassia** – Absent.

**Engineer, Rich Wasosky** – Absent.

**Law Director, Brad Bryan** – Mr. Bryan read the Mayor's Court Monthly Disbursal Report for September 2019 (report attached). A motion for acceptance was made by Ms. Domzalski and seconded by Mr. Magistrelli. All were in favor of acceptance of the report; none were opposed. The motion was adopted.

Mr. Bryan then read the Mayor's Court Monthly Disbursal Report for October 2019 (report attached). A motion for acceptance was made by Mr. Magistrelli and seconded by Ms. Noack. All were in favor of acceptance of the report; none were opposed. The motion was adopted.

Mr. Bryan stated a motion to approve the purchase order for Stewart Landscaping concerning the Houghton Road retaining wall in the amount of \$8,095 was needed. The motion was made by Mr. Hipps and seconded by Mr. Magistrelli. All were in favor; none were opposed.

### **DEPARTMENT HEADS:**

**Police Department, Chief John Zolgus** – Absent.

**Fire Department, Chief Jason Buss** – Absent.

**Service Department, Jason Walters**– Absent.

**REPORTS OF THE MUNICIPAL BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS:**

**Planning Commission, Mr. Hipps** – No Report.

**Recreation Board, Mayor Nehez** – Mayor Nehez stated the Recreation Board will meet December 4, 2019, at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers.

**REPORTS OF THE STANDING COMMITTEES:**

**Finance Committee, Mr. Magistrelli** – No Report.

**Roads/Public Works, Ms. Domzalski** – No Report.

**Health and Welfare** – No Report.

**Wages and Working Conditions, Mr. Vojtush** – No Report.

**Fire and Safety, Ms. Noack** – No Report.

**Buildings and Grounds, Mr. Hipps** – No Report.

**LEGISLATION:**

**2019-72 – An Emergency Resolution Authorizing the Mayor to Renew the Village’s Agreement with Legal Defenders Office of Summit County, Ohio for Indigent Representation in Stow Municipal Court (First Reading).** Mr. Bryan stated the contract language and rate are the same as last year’s contract. A motion to suspend the three reading rule was made by Ms. Domzalski and seconded by Mr. Vojtush. All were in favor; none were opposed. A motion for passage was made by Mr. Vojtush and seconded by Ms. Noack. All were in favor; none were opposed. The Resolution was adopted.

**2019-73 – An Emergency Resolution Authorizing Certain Amendments to the 2019 Appropriation Resolution and Transferring Items Already Appropriated in that Resolution (First Reading).** A motion to suspend the three reading rule was made by Mr. Magistrelli and seconded by Mr. Vojtush. All were in favor; none were opposed. A motion for passage was made by Mr. Vojtush and seconded by Ms. Domzalski. All were in favor; none were opposed. The Resolution was adopted.

**OLD BUSINESS; NEW BUSINESS; ANNOUNCEMENTS:** None.

**ADJOURNMENT:** A motion to adjourn was made by Ms. Domzalski and seconded by Ms. Noack. All were in favor; none were opposed. The Meeting was adjourned at 7:40 p.m.

Approved by Council

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Jesse J. Nehez, Mayor