

**Village of Pellston
Council Minutes January 9, 2023**

President Gillett called the regular meeting to order at 7:00 pm.
Oaths of office give to Hall and Givens.

Present were Gillett, Rose, Hall, Mallory, Givens, Schlappi and Ward.

M-Rose S-Ward
To approve the December 12, 2022 minutes as corrected.
Aye: 7 Nay: 0

M-Rose S-Givens
To approve the bills in the amount of \$29,873.96.
Aye: 7 Nay: 0

Correspondence

None

Public Comment

Todd and Heather Slocum addressed council on the following: 1)Tree limb that broke off in the right of way; 2)Snow pushed into their yard from the plow, causing some damage to their property; 3) Asked about PFAS situation; 4)Asked about disbursement of ARPA funds; 5)Asked about addressing heaved sidewalks.

Anthony Allen spoke to council assuring them the matter of someone living in a camper on his property has been addressed.

Old Business

Still waiting on second contractor for estimates on the trailhead.

New Business

M- Rose S-Mallory
To accept Search & Rescue funds to be incorporated into the fire fund with a separate line item.
Aye: 7 Nay: 0

M-Hall S-Ward
To approve purchase of a new diesel tank at M/V at the cost of \$1700.
Aye: 7 Nay: 0

Committee Reports

FIRE: 1st responder truck almost complete. 309 runs in 2022; over 200 1st responder. October certified training taking more time than expected. Ice rescue training conducted and water training will be next week. Search and Rescue will turn all funds over to fire. All donated funds toward a new fire boat will be returned if not purchased, which is @ \$125,000. Applying to FEMA for \$150,000 for new turnout gear for firemen.

OEO: People parking on streets have been warned they will be towed.

MAINTENANCE: Survived blizzard with minimal damage to equipment. Meeting with Doc's Plumbing re: Pioneer Park bathrooms.

PLANNING & ZONING: Swimming pool ordinance drafted and public hearing will be Feb. 13. Carolina Mallory, Jim Gillett and John LaTocha will attend meeting at NEMCOG on January 11 re: zoning of wind and solar energy. Village attorney investigating potential lease to AT&T for a cell tower.

RECREATION: None.

DDA: Creating their own website.

BEAUTIFICATION: No report.

HISTORICAL: Closed until spring.

WEBSITE: updated as information is provided.

M-Givens S-Schlappi
To adjourn at 8:32 pm.
Aye: 7 Nay: 0