Village of Pellston Council Minutes February 8, 2021

President Gillett called the Truth in Taxation Public Hearing to order at 7:00 pm.

One question from the public regarding current millage rates. No other comments.

Hearing closed at 7:05 pm.

President Gillett called the regular meeting to order at 7:05 pm.

Present were Gillett, Minzey, Schlappi, Rose, Mallory and Ward. Absent was Hall.

M- Rose S-Schlappi

To approve January meeting minutes.

Aye: 6 Nay: 0

M-Rose S-Minzey

To approve the bills in the amount of \$5,692.08.

Aye: 6 Nay: 0

OLD BUSINESS

Architect in process of evaluating the three lowest bidders for the trailhead project.

CORRESPONDENCE

Thank you from Carol Carter.

Letter from Mackinaw Library re: McKinley Township's retracting their support.

PUBLIC COMMENT

none

NEW BUSINESS

Jackie Pilette presented on behalf of the conservation district asking for a letter of support for a grant application to the PHSACF to address invasive species in Emmet County.

Update on accidental PFAS discharge at airport.

Discussed bid for improvements to the concession stand at the ballfields. Decision tabled for further information.

Jim presented a draft letter to McKinley Twp re: their retraction of support for the library.

M-Ward S-Minzey

To permit the president to send the aforementioned letter to McKinley Twp regarding library support.

Aye: 6 Nay:

Discussion regarding the Drost proposal tabled from last meeting.

M-Minzey S-Schlappi

To approve the Drost maintenance contract as presented, including the 3 yr. agreement provision, with Mallory on record that she doesn't approve of chemical application.

Aye: 6 Nay: 0

FY21 budget amendments were presented.

M-Minzey S-Ward

To approve the FY21 budget amendments as presented.

Aye: 6 Nay: 0

FY22 budget was presented, assuming taxes will be levied at the maximum allowable rate.

M-Ward S-Schlappi

To approve the FY22 budget as presented.

Aye: 6 Nay: 0

Request made the Pellston Public Schools to allow for fireworks at commencement on 6/4/21.

M-Rose S-Schlappi

To allow the school to have fireworks at their commencement on 6/4/21.

Aye: 6 Nay: 0

COMMITTEE REPORTS

FIRE DEPT - Mostly medical runs. Re-writing SOPs.

OEO-No issues this month.

MAINTENANCE-no report.

PLANNING AND ZONING-Public hearing on the draft ordinances set for March 1, 2021 at 7 pm.

RECREATION-no report.

DDA-Approved their budget.

BEAUTIFICATION- no report

HISTORICAL-no report

WEBSITE – No report.

M-Minzey S-Ward

To adjourn meeting at 8:45 pm

Aye: 6 Nay: 0