

Village of Crooksville
Council Workshop Meeting
Monday June 24, 2024

Mayor Mohler calls the meeting to order with the following council members present: Mr. Hampton, Mr. Locke, Mr. Loomis, Mr. Redfern, and Ms. Smith. Mr. Walters was absent. Lacey Tumblin and Courtney Edwards were also present.

First up on the agenda, Brandon Forrester was present to discuss the ball tournament and someone selling Bobo Lemonade. Mayor Mohler stated that if she sets up by the concession stand targeting the ball field people, that would be fine. He also got a dunk tank and did not realize he needed insurance for that. The insurance that they have does not cover the dunk tank, only the players for playing ball. He was going to get back in touch with Dennis and Nelson Insurance. He also had Dustin Slack/Southeast Electric come check the lights for the ball field and they need a new breaker. He wanted to know if they buy that, would council be ok with Dustin installing that for them. No one had an issue with that.

Next up, Mrs. Tumblin explained that the Flock system they had discussed before is only used to solve crimes. It enables law enforcement to get an alert on their phone in real time. Once a license plate is put into the National System, any time that license plate passes by one of the FLOCK cameras it will notify the officers in that area. It is NOT used for catching speeders. The Flock System takes care of the updates, and it is solar powered. Mr. Redfern is not in favor for the cameras. He feels like someone other than the Village should pay for them; he feels like Perry County Sheriff or ODOT should pay for the Village's camera.

Next, Mrs. Tumblin stated that we need some sandblasting done at the pump station at 345 and 669. These are the buildings where the metal siding will be put on the buildings. From the wear and tear on the previous exterior water has gotten in and has rusted out the floors.

Up next, Mrs. Tumblin passed out a quote from Birkheimer's for the resurfacing of the Pickleball Court for \$2000. The estimated total cost for everything for the 2 courts would be \$7461.00. The Council were all on board. She is also looking at meeting with Berkheimer's to get a quote for the walking trail.

Mrs. Tumblin stated that she and Mayor Mohler received an email from Erik Peterson about the EPA Community Change Grant-Rec Center. She stated that we need to come up with an idea of what we want to do this week. The council threw out a couple ideas such as a warming/cooling station, a kitchen in the Rec Center, as well as a natural gas generator large enough to power the Rec Center, and if possible, the Administration building as well. Mrs. Tumblin will need to get quotes quickly to have turned into Mr. Peterson this week.

Mayor Mohler stated that the Community Celebration will be this Saturday. It is also Crooksville's 150th Birthday.

Mr. Redfern asked if there was any update on the baby pool. Mrs. Tumblin stated that she had received another letter about things the state needs.

We have had some busy days at the pool. Chase Bennett donated for the first 60 students to get in last Thursday.

Without any further discussion, the meeting is adjourned.



Chris Mohler
Mayor



Courtney Edwards
Fiscal Officer