Village of Crooksville

Council Workshop Meeting

January 13, 2025

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

First up on the agenda, Dean Grimmitt, from the Food Pantry, was present. He wanted to thank Council for the donation to the pantry and let the Council know how they spent the money.

Next, Chris and Teresa Rice were present to discuss the Climbing Wall at the Rec Center. They are retiring from the program and wanted to introduce Molly Lones, who would like to take it over. She stated that she wouldn't be able to commit as much time as the Rice's have over the years but would love to help as much as she can to keep the program going and she would currently like to commit to one day a week. Mayor Mohler stated that it will be on the agenda for next Tuesday to approve Molly.

Next up, Mrs. Tumblin stated there is no meeting next Monday, January 20th due to Martin Luther King Jr Day. The meeting will be on Tuesday. She also stated that on January 23rd, there is a blood drive from 1-6:00pm.

Next, Mrs. Tumblin spoke briefly about switching from EGov over to VIP. EGov is outdated and they will no longer be doing updates. She asked the Council if they wanted to discuss or ask questions prior to it being on the agenda for next week. All agree it is the right direction.

Next, Mrs. Edwards wanted to inform the Council that she will be adding an Ordinance to the agenda next week, to establish a new fund for the B1, B6 project. It will be for the Sewer Pump Station Capital Project Fund, to help keep track of the money going in and out easier.

Mayor Mohler asked if there has been any update on the water pump station on Sand St hill. Mrs. Tumblin stated there has been no update.

Mayor Mohler stated that the guys have the Christmas lights off but still need to take some down around the bathroom.

Mr. Loomis asked if there had been any updates on the baby pool. Mayor Mohler stated that the contractor that was originally supposed to do it will not respond any more. Mrs. Tumblin has reached out to other contractors and also sent Jan some information to make sure we are moving on legally after not hearing back from the original contractor.

Next, Mr. Redfern discussed briefly regarding the Industrial Dr project. He asked how far the original contract goes. He stated that if it only goes to Maple Ave, he would like to apply for

another grant through ODOT to do the planning for the second part of it. He wants to make sure we keep that project moving forward.

Mr. Hampton stated that he heard from some of the community that our streets were some of the best that had been cleared from the snow. He wanted to tell the guy's great job.

Without any further discussion, the meeting is adjourned.

Chris Mohler

Mayor

Courtney Edwards
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Fiscal Officer