

Village of Crooksville
Council Workshop Meeting
August 11, 2025

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

First up on the agenda, Dyrall Newlon was present to discuss a couple updates on the trucks. He stated that Brad will be down Thursday or Friday to start working on the tanker and the rescue. The engine is going to be pricey. The medic 212 is still in parts. It will be next on the list. The run coverage this month they have 37 shifts covered. He asked the council if the Fire Dept is paying for the EMS class for the ones that have been accepted into the class. It is \$1655-1800 per student. The council agrees that if they live here within the 6-mile radius, we can pay for the class but if they do not live here, then we should not. Mrs. Tumblin stated that we should talk more about the guidelines that they could put into place to be able to have the Department pay for the classes. Mayor Mohler states that he will speak to Jan about what we can and cannot do. Dyrall stated that we are up to 54 members. There are a lot that still need training, but we are at a good start.

Next up, Lane Holdren was present to ask to be reinstated as a firefighter/EMT at the Crooksville Fire Department. He regrets his decision to resign. The council agreed to reinstate him and will put him on the agenda to vote next week.

Mrs. Tumblin stated that she has a web meeting with Grant and Patterson Pools tomorrow. She is still hopeful at spring of 2026.

Next, Mrs. Tumblin stated that the park caretaker, Patrick Samson has stopped showing up. Mr. Hampton asked if he quit, Mrs. Tumblin said that he just stopped coming and believes he knew he was going to be terminated when he came back so then he quit. She received a call from Brandon Forrester on behalf of Jamie Loterbaugh. He states that he has done a lot of work for them at the ballfields. He highly recommended him for park caretaker. He did come to the office today and she spoke with him about the position, and he seemed very interested. He lives in Roseville. The council all agreed and will put Mr. Loterbaugh on the agenda next week.

Up next, the council spoke about the Wilson property and the issues with that. Mr. Redfern would like to see it mowed. Mayor Mohler stated that we should see about getting the trailer and building out there on surplus to get on Gov Deals to get rid of them. Mrs. Tumblin states that she believes that Mr. Wilson still has property inside those. Mr. Redfern would like to give him a time that he must have the buildings cleaned out. She doesn't see that as a priority now with all the other projects going on and that if we wanted to give a time frame that we should have done that at the signing. Mrs. Tumblin is looking into getting the grass mowed.

Next, Mrs. Tumblin passed out an estimate for the phase 2 of the China St project. The first estimate from 2018 was near \$87,000 the updated estimate is now \$618,200. Grant is going to look into some grants for this project.

Next up, Mrs. Tumblin stated that Trevor Miller is planning to do the tournament for the Rec Center on Saturday, August 23. They did a flyer, and we have posted it on our Facebook page.

Last, Mrs. Tumblin stated that a woman from PEP had stopped in to see her the day after the situation with the fire department. Mrs. Tumblin said she had asked her a lot of questions and asked to go to the fire station. She wanted to know what all was going on and what all was discussed in the meetings. Mrs. Tumblin let her know that it was a work in progress. She passed out a list of recommendations that the PEP lady had given her.

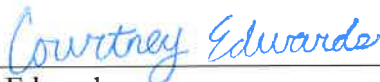
Mayor Mohler has a re-instatement and two other applications for the fire department, one for fire only and one for both.

Mrs. Tumblin passed out an invite from Roseville to recognize Mark Dalrymple, Dana Strate and Danny Rodgers Jr. on September 13th for their bravery during a house fire a few weeks ago.

Without any further discussion, the meeting is adjourned.



Chris Mohler
Mayor



Courtney Edwards
Fiscal Officer