Village of Crooksville Council Workshop Minutes Monday, October 28th 2019

Mayor Redfern called the meeting to order. The following members were present: Mr. Rice, Mr. Locke, Mr. Hampton, Ms. Smith, Mr. Mohler, and Mr. Loomis. Tom Collins was also present.

First on the agenda is information on the flood insurance renewal on Civil Development Garage #2, Sanitation Dept Garage, and the Rec Center.

Next on the agenda is the email from Kathy Maguschak in regards to the increase in the health insurance rate for the year. The increase was only a 2.9% increase which is down from 13% last year.

Tom will be meeting with DJH Computers on 10-29-19 to discuss them doing the majority of or computer IT work. George will still be working, but will be scaling back. The computer work is very time consuming, and George is needed in other areas.

Muni Regs would like to come back in to discuss vacant properties with the Council. If Council has interest in meeting with them, a date will need to be scheduled to have them attend a Council Meeting. Vacant properties are a very large problem in Crooksville. The procedure to deal with vacant properties is a lengthy process. We plan on moving forward, to lessen the impact that the vacant properties have here in Crooksville.

A big thank you is given for the work that has been done on Pine street, and Heskett Hill. Now that the water project is complete that will free our guys up to be able to work on additional projects around town that they were unable to do while they were busy helping with the water project.

A thank you is given to Rodney Walters who is working on the property maintenance problem in the Village. Properties are beginning to get the work done on them, and around them that has been needed.

Council goes into Executive Session for 121.22(G)(1) Personnel

Executive Session adjourns with no decisions being made.

Halloween time on October 31, 2019 is 6:00-7:30. Next year they plan to discuss "Trunk or Treat" instead of having Trick or Treat. As this may be a safer option.

Mayor Redfern adjourns the meeting.

Fred Redfern Mayor