## Village of Crooksville

## **Workshop Minutes**

## September 13th, 2021

Mayor Mohler calls the meeting to order with the following members present; Mr. Rice, Mr. Locke, Mr. Hampton, Ms. Smith, Mr. Allen, and Mr. Loomis. Lacey Tumblin was also present.

First up is a special meeting following by the regular workshop meeting. A motion is needed to hire Ralph Hill as full-time Fire Chief. This will be a salary position. It will start with a yearly earning of \$42,640, which is \$20.50 per hour for the first 6 months, based on a 40-hour work week. After the 6-month probationary period this will go to \$21.00 per hour, with the yearly earing of \$43,680. A motion is made by Mr. Rice, and seconded by Mr. Allen.

**Vote-**Mr. Rice-Yes. Mr. Locke-Yes. Mr. Hampton-Yes. Ms. Smith-Yes. Mr. Allen-Yes. Mr. Loomis-Yes. Motion Carried.

Mr. Rice makes the motion to adjourn the special meeting, and Mr. Loomis seconds.

**Vote-**Mr. Rice-Yes. Mr. Locke-Yes. Mr. Hampton-Yes. Ms. Smith-Yes. Mr. Allen-Yes. Mr. Loomis-Yes. Motion Carried.

## Special Meeting Adjourned.

First up on the agenda, Council looks at the easement Jan has prepared for Cherry Lane. We will need the required easement signatures and a notary will need to be present. There will be five easements for signatures. There were no bids received on the reservoir property.

Council looked at the expenses and total revenue for the swimming pool this year. Overall, it was a lot better this year than the previous years. With changing a few things this year and being short staffed it went a lot better than we thought. Hopefully we'll continue to increase the over the next few years.

Snack Bar owners, Brandon and Vanessa Frash address their concern for their business. An officer has been sitting 100ft from the bar and it is scaring away some customers. They would like to see what could be done. Council discuss it and Chief Alexander will address the problem. Ralph said they have had 35 squad runs since Friday. 75% of that have been Covid related.

Without any further discussion, the meeting is adjourned.

CHRIS MOHLER

Mayor

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Fiscal Officer