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Meeting

Start Time: 7:00 P.M.

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June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021

Council met in regular session in council chambers located at 45 Main St, Greenwich OH 44837. Additional members present were Mayor Sallee, Chief Dorsey, Cles Inmon and Attorney Palmer.

Pledge of Allegiance

**Roll Call**: King - Yes, Lloyd – Yes, R. Wilson - Yes, T. Wilson – Yes, Phillips - Yes, Hunter – Yes.

Clerks Report/Correspondence: None

**Lloyd** moved to accept council minutes of the May 18<sup>th</sup>, 2021 meeting; **T. Wilson** seconded. Vote as followed: King - Yes, Lloyd – Yes, R. Wilson - Yes, T. Wilson – Yes, Phillips - Yes, Hunter – Yes.

**T. Wilson** moved to accept the invoices in amount of \$59,673.83, **R. Wilson** seconded. Vote as followed: King - Yes, Lloyd – Yes, R. Wilson - Yes, T. Wilson – Yes, Phillips - Yes, Hunter – Yes.

Clerks Report/Correspondence: None

## Visitor's Addressing:

#### Committee Mtgs.

Fire Board	06/07/21	@ 7:00 PM
Records Committee	11/02/21	@ 6:45 PM
Ambulance Board	06/14/21	@ 5:00 PM

### **Administrators Report: N/A**

Chief's Report: Chief Dorsey states that there have been 3 overdoses in the Village, caused by heroin mixed with fentanyl. Narcan was used in all overdoses and Narcan is at no cost to the Village. There have been a lot of suspicious people complaints and he says the park is being watched more for activity. Zoning: Chief says that tall grass complaints have been mowed except for one that he is taking care of himself. Residents of Greenwich have pitched in and got a dumpster for Mr. Fulton's trash complaint, he has been cited twice and currently has a warrant for his arrest. Chief will take Mr Fulton in for his warrant on Monday. The building beside the bank: Chief says that it is looking like the owner is not going to cooperate with the notice given to him. Chief will get with Attorney Palmer concerning litigation with the property. Chief was given advised of a complaint at the property at 6 W Union and the parking situation in front of the post office. Chief says he will get a hold of the owners.

Officer Seaman came to council to present Operation Underground Railroad. Attorney Palmer asked if the presentation was to gain consent of the program or was the program already started, Officer Seaman said he is offering information for council to make an informed decision, the Village is not locked into any agreement, Attorney Palmer will look forward to reading any purposed agreements. O.U.R. is a nonprofit organization that impacts the fight to end sex trafficking and sexual exploitation. The organization has offered to supply a k9 dog, that has the capably to find thumb drives, SD cards and USB flash drives that could contain child porn or sex trafficking material. There are two other dogs like this in the state of Ohio, Mahoning County Sheriff's Office and Cuyahoga County. Officer Seaman gathered information on the k9 and training for the dog was looked into, there was a class available in October but was notified that there was now an opening in June and would like to attend. He was concerned over the financial portion, time commitment and logistics. O.U.R. will cover the cost of the k9, training, ongoing support, peridium for training, "including but not limited to", dog food allowances, and the costs of a K9 cruiser. The Village will be responsible for vet bills, but says there are donors that could pay the bill. O.U.R. will cover the cost of operational expenses when it comes to helping outside agencies. He says the K9 could create media for the Village but the need for the dog is greatly needed to fight child exploitation.

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If Officer Seaman is called out to assist another agency, his wages would be paid by the Village and invoice would be submitted to O.U.R. and the agency would reimburse the Village under operational expenses. Insurance questions will need to be researched. Chief asked Council if Officer Seaman should attend the June 6th class? As long as Greenwich does not have to be a sponsor and Officer Seaman attends as a private citizen council doesn't have objections. Not enough information has been given to Council to decide on sending him to the June 6th class and council would like to cross all t's and dot all I's.

The K9 cruiser was bought by Officer Seaman from his own money, Seaman donated the cruiser to the Village so the K9 and be utilized. The Village has not excepted the donation as of yet. The cruiser will not be drove with the decals.

**Zoning Inspector:** Cles says there were two permits for outbuildings. Cles wanted to bring up concern on an empty trailer on New St, he said was jumped, when he asked why the trailer was still sitting there empty. Chief said he believes that Earhart uses that trailer for storage and he has seen people go in and out of it, but he will check into it.

**Solicitor's Report:** Attorney Palmers needs to locate the original paperwork for bond council. OML released new guild lines for spending on the new wave of COVID money (6 billion dollars), Greenwich is a Non-entitled unit, (under 50,000 people) the encouraged expenditures for non-entitled units is addressing racial disparity and equities of disproportional harm. There is a long list of allowed expenditures as long as it relates to public health, community and economic infrastructure. No worry of an audit as long as the Village can articulate that it is an allowable expenditure.

**Mayor's Report:** Mayor Sallee would like to thank Lynne for putting on the Memorial Day event and the Greenwich Improvement Group for doing a beautiful job and the Memorial Stand. If you would like to purchase a stone please get a hold of Gayle Bovia.

Council Discussion: None

## **Unfinished Business:**

**Lloyd** moved to have second reading of Resolution No.: **2021-R-08** by title only, **R. Wilson** seconded. Vote as followed: King - Yes, Lloyd - Yes, R. Wilson - Yes, T. Wilson - Yes, Phillips - Yes, Hunter - Yes.

(RESOLUTION OF CONSENT OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (ODOT))

Ordinance No.: 2021-03 by title only, tabled.

(AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE GREENWICH CODIFIED MUNICIPAL CODE BY REPEALING AND REPLACING SECTION 252.07 REGARDING GUIDELINES FOR RECORDKEEPING AND COMPILATION OF INFORMATION FOR HOURS WORKED AND OVERTIME)

#### **New Business:**

**Lloyd** moved to have first reading of Ordinance No.: **2021-05** by title only, **T. Wilson** seconded. Vote as followed: King - Yes, Lloyd – Yes, R. Wilson - Yes, T. Wilson – Yes, Phillips - Yes, Hunter – Yes.

(AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE <u>VILLAGE</u> <u>ADMINISTRATOR</u> TO ENTER INTO A WRITTEN CONTRACT WITH THE LOWEST AND BEST BIDDER UNDERGROUND UTILITIES, INC. FOR THE <u>STORM WATER SOURCE REMOVAL PHASE E-1 PROJECT</u> AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY)

R. Wilson moved to waive the second and third reading of Ordinance No.: **2021-05, T. Wilson** seconded. Vote as followed: King - Yes, Lloyd – Yes, R. Wilson - Yes, T. Wilson – Yes, Phillips - Yes, Hunter – Yes.

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TON LEGAL BLANK, INC., FORM NO. 10148

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- R. Wilson moved to adopt the Declaration of Emergency of Ordinance No.: 2021-05, T. Wilson seconded. Vote as followed: King Yes, Lloyd Yes, R. Wilson Yes, T. Wilson Yes, Phillips Yes, Hunter Yes.
- **R. Wilson** moved to adopt Ordinance No.: **2021-05, T. Wilson** seconded. Vote as followed: King Yes, Lloyd Yes, R. Wilson Yes, T. Wilson Yes, Phillips Yes, Hunter Yes.
- R. Wilson moved to have first reading of Resolution No.: 2021-R-10 by title only, T. Wilson seconded. Vote as followed: King Yes, Lloyd Yes, R. Wilson Yes, T. Wilson Yes, Phillips Yes, Hunter Yes.

# (A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE MAYOR'S PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT OF PAUL ZEHNER TO THE GREENWICH POLICE DEPARTMENT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY) RC 737.16

- **R. Wilson** moved to waive the second and third reading of Resolution No.: **2021-R-10**, **King** seconded. Vote as followed: King Yes, Lloyd Yes, R. Wilson Yes, T. Wilson Yes, Phillips Yes, Hunter Yes.
- **R. Wilson** moved to adopt the Declaration of Emergency of Resolution No.: **2021-R-10, T. Wilson** seconded. Vote as followed: King Yes, Lloyd Yes, R. Wilson Yes, T. Wilson Yes, Phillips Yes, Hunter Yes.

**Phillips** moved to adopt Resolution No.: **2021-R-10**, **R. Wilson** seconded. Vote as followed: King - Yes, Lloyd – Yes, R. Wilson - Yes, T. Wilson – Yes, Phillips - Yes, Hunter – Yes.

Officer Paul Zehner stated he was born and raised in Shelby, brought up in a family owned business where he owned it the last five years before closing. He worked for the Shelby police department for 19 years and currently works at Abraxas. He heard Greenwich is short with officers and thought it was time to get back into policing and help out.

**King** moved to have first reading of Ordinance No.: **2021-06** by title only, **R. Wilson** seconded. Vote as followed: King - Yes, Lloyd – Yes, R. Wilson - Yes, T. Wilson – Yes, Phillips - Yes, Hunter – Yes.

(AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE RECODIFICATION, EDITING, AND INCLUSION OF CERTAIN ORDINANCES AS PARTS OF THE VARIOUS COMPONENT CODES OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR THE ADOPTION OF NEW MATTER IN THE UPDATED AND REVISED CODIFIED ORDINANCES; REPEALING ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT THEREWITH; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY)

R. Wilson moved to waive the second and third reading of Ordinance No.: 2021-06, T. Wilson seconded. Vote as followed: King - Yes, Lloyd – Yes, R. Wilson - Yes, T. Wilson – Yes, Phillips - Yes, Hunter – Yes.

**Lloyd** moved to adopt the Declaration of Emergency of Ordinance No.: **2021-06, T. Wilson** seconded. Vote as followed: King - Yes, Lloyd - Yes, R. Wilson - Yes, T. Wilson - Yes, Phillips - Yes, Hunter - Yes.

- **R. Wilson** moved to adopt Ordinance No.: **2021-06, T. Wilson** seconded. Vote as followed: King Yes, Lloyd Yes, R. Wilson Yes, T. Wilson Yes, Phillips Yes, Hunter Yes.
- **R. Wilson** moved to go into executive session to Discuss: Compensation of Public Employee, <u>ORC 121.22 (G)(1)</u> **T. Wilson** seconded. Vote as followed: King Yes, Lloyd Yes, R. Wilson Yes, T. Wilson Yes, Phillips Yes, Hunter Yes.

Time Entered Session: 8:12 pm Time Exited Session: 8:51 pm

Jennifer Meyer

**End Time: 8:51 P.M.** 

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Mayor, Wesley Sallee