March 18, 2025 Start Time: 6:00 P.M.

Council met for the Regular meeting in council chambers located at 45 Main St, Greenwich OH 44837. Additional members present were Fiscal Officer Karley Binger, Mike Krugman, Acting Village Administrator, Police Officer Paul Zeiter, and Solicitor Steve Palmer.

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call: King - Yes, Wilson - Yes, Lueck - Yes, Beverly - Yes, Phillips - Yes, Hunter - Yes

The council approved meeting minutes from March 04, 2025 council meeting.

Invited Guests:

AMP Representatives:

Rumpke:

Huron County Auditor, Roland Tkach:

Comments from the floor:

Cody Wilson expressed his concern of stinging pests at the dugouts in the park. He has a personal company called Wilson Pest Management and he has offered their services to come in and try to reduce the risk and exposure of these pests at no cost to the village.

Justin Vanbuskirk came to the meeting to get an update on the bathrooms at field one. The village informed him that discussions have taken place to have portable restrooms placed back there until the bathroom renovation can be completed. Justin also offered to have the dugouts at field three tore down and rebuilt. The roof of the dugouts will be reused and stored during the renovation. D. Beverly made a motion approving the renovation and L. Phillips seconded her motion.

The park has been reserved for a Memorial Day tournament. This motion was accepted by J. Hunter and seconded by R. Wilson.

Committee council reports & Village Representative Reports:

Records Retention Commission is set to meet May 6, 2025 at 5:45pm

Tri- Community Ambulance board will meet April 1st at 5:00pm

Tri-Community Joint Fire board will meet April 7th at 7:00pm

A meeting for the park council was set for April 1st at 5pm. This meeting will be located back at the park by the newest playground set. (next to field 1, across from the library).

A motion was approved by R. Wilson and seconded by D. Beverly to approve the purchase of a tankless hot water heater for no more than \$350.00.

Fiscal Officer report:

Disbursements made between 02/01/2025-03/18/2025 of \$426,879.69 were approved by council.

A reminder was made that the fiscal officer, utility clerk, and president of council will all be away March 26-28 for the Local Governmental Services meeting in Columbus.

Administrator's report:

The compost pile back at the park has been closed and the compost pile is now located at the Lagoons. Mike Krugman also mentioned that he is looking to hire Colton Felver as a full-time utility worker. This motion was approved by D. Beverly and seconded by L. Phillips.

Mayors report:

Mayor Jim Twaddle expressed his appreciation for the workers of the village and their hard work over the past few weeks.

Legislation:

A second reading for the resolution establishing appropriate designee to attend and satisfy certified training requirements of elected officials regarding public records and open meeting laws was approved.

The council passed 6 to 6 emergency legislation to authorize the village administrator to enter into a written agreement with AEP for the installation of facilities to service Greenwich NO. 1 delivery point, Lake Park station.

The council passed 6 to 6 emergency legislation to authorize the village administrator to enter into a written agreement with AEP for the installation of facilities to service Greenwich NO. 2 delivery point, Greenwich station.

The council passed 6 to 6 an emergency legislation establishing new additional line items within the general fund.

The council passed 6 to 6 an emergency legislation establishing new additional line items within the street fund.

The council passed 6 to 6 an emergency legislation establishing new additional line items within the utility fund.

The council passed 6 to 6 an emergency legislation amending the 2025 temporary appropriations.

The council passed 6 to 6 an emergency legislation making appropriations for the current expenses and other expenditures for the village of Greenwich during fiscal year ending December 31, 2025.

The mayor spoke to the reason why we were passing legislation under emergency giving the reason that we only have a short period of time to get appropriations approved.

The council passed 6 to 6 authorizing vacation time to the new fiscal officer.

The council passed 6 to 6 determining that it is necessary to levy a tax renewal outside the ten-mill limitation for maintaining and operating cemeteries and requesting that the county auditor certify to the village certain tax valuation information.

The council passed 6 to 6 determining that it is necessary to levy a tax renewal outside the ten-mill limitation for current expenses of the subdivision and requesting that the county auditor certify to the village certain tax valuation information.

The council passed 6 to 6 determining that it is necessary to levy a tax renewal outside the ten-mill limitation for parks and recreational purposes and requesting that the county auditor certify to the village certain tax valuation information.

New business:

A motion was made by M. King and seconded by R. Wilson to renew three CD's at a starting balance of \$150,000 and the fourth CD will be renewed with a balance of \$105,000.

Council agreed that they would like to have the investment CD's to stay at Civista and renewed back into the CD's if the interest rate is higher than the money market's rate would be to have the money sit until a decision could be made at the next council meeting.

Adjournment:

M. King made a motion to adjourn, and R. Wilson seconded his motion.

Adjournment at 7:57pm

Meeting minutes adopted on _______ day of ________, 2025

or, James Twaddle Fiscal Officer, **K**arley Bing