

The Village of Northfield

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING

August 11, 2010

Mayor Milani called the meeting to order at 7:30PM following the Pledge of Allegiance. The roll was called by Robert Riedel with the following present: Mrs. Greenlee, Mrs. Selle, Mr. Nehez, Mr. Bolek and Mrs. Bowen. Mr. Noack was absent. Law Director Brad Bryan, Village Engineer Richard Wasosky, and Police Lieutenant Mackie were present.

A motion to approve the minutes of the July 28, 2010 Regular Council meeting made by Mrs. Greenlee and seconded by Mrs. Bowen. The motion carried with 6 ayes.

In the business of Petitions, Memorials or Remonstrances, Mayor Milani introduced Professor Constance Longmire of Twinsburg Academic Center. Professor Longmire reintroduced the Kent State University Geauga Twinsburg Center to everyone about their degrees and programs that the university offers. Mr. Nehez asked if they have online classes, and Professor Longmire said yes they do. Mayor Milani said that the university sounds very impressive.

Mayor Milani reported that as of last Tuesday, Little Caesar's opened and they haven't planned a ribbon cutting ceremony yet. The office/copy machine supply company is planning to be open within 20-30 days pending Summit County approval. Mayor Milani said that everything is all set for the Village 75th Diamond Jubilee celebration.

Finance Director, Robert Riedel asked for a motion to accept the bank reconciliations report for July 2010 as submitted. Mrs. Bowen made the motion and was seconded by Mrs. Greenlee, it carried with 5 ayes.

Village Engineer, Richard Wasosky gave his report. (see attached) Mayor Milani asked what type of monies we would receive from the water company, and Mr. Wasosky said he hopes around \$3,000.00 depending on the formulas they use for reimbursement.

Law Director, Brad Bryan had no report.

Police Lieutenant Mackie said that the YMCA bike run had a nice turnout and about 70 bikes showed up. Mr. Bolek asked what was going on Saturday at the track, that there were many cars in the parking lot, Mr. Riedel said that something for the children's hospital. Mayor Milani thanked Lt. Mackie for all of his help with the YMCA bike run.

Mayor Milani had Don and Kay Heil on Lowrie Blvd. wanted to thank the fire department for their help and care that was given at their house on a call. Mr. Petrocini on N. Plaza Dr. contacted Mayor Milani to say he was very happy with the care that was taken with his daughter when the police department took her in about a month ago. Mayor Milani said that it is very nice to hear the positives, we should all be very proud of the police department as well as the fire department. Mayor Milani said that we accepted a \$260,000 check from Congressman Steven LaTourette on Monday. Mayor Milani said that we have until 2012 to get all radios and portables up to code in 2012, the cost is \$8,140.00. Chief Vojtush did budget this into his budget for 2010, do we need them this year, Mayor Milani said Mrs. Greenlee and the fire department will have to discuss this in a work session when Chief Vojtush returns. Mayor Milani said that Jason Walters and the service department put the banners and signs up at the park, and that we are having issues with the Northfield Village flags and the costs went from \$150 to \$250. Mr. Bolek asked Mayor Milani if he told Chris Coradino as Classic Designs that the signs were not made at the size we wanted and we should receive them for free. Mr. Nehez said he spoke with Mr. Walters and they decided to make them bigger at no extra cost to the Village because the wording looked too cramped. Mayor Milani said that Mr. Walters and the service department will be at the park on Saturday working. Mayor Milani asked if Lt. Mackie and Sgt. Zolcus would be there and Lt. Mackie said yes for part of it. Mayor Milani said the inflatables and tent would be there Saturday. Sweetheart USA donated the cake at no cost. Mayor Milani informed the band the Good Knights that Council approved of more money to be paid to them.

Mrs. Bowen of the Finance committee said that there will be a Finance meeting on August 25, 2010 at 6:30pm.

Mr. Noack of Roads and Public Works Committee was absent.

Mrs. Selle from Health and Welfare had no report.

Mr. Nehez of the Building and Grounds Committee reported that the banners look great and the service department has been working diligently at Smith park and working hard on everything that they are doing at the park.

Mr. Bolek of Wages and Working had no report.

Mrs. Greenlee of the Fire and Safety committee had no report.

There was no Old or New business.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:53PM following a motion by Mr. Bolek and seconded by Mrs. Greenlee. The motion carried with 5 ayes.

Respectfully Submitted by; _____

Lisa M. Rodriguez, Administrative Clerk

Attest:

President of Council

Clerk of Council