

Public Service Committee Meeting Minutes

Date: May 13th 2025

Present: Rex Castle, Pat Closser, Bill Long, Andrew Hitt, Brent McDaniels, John Stahl, Glenn Nicol, Shannon Treynor, (Visitors: Michael and Chelsy Arp, Michelle Stewart, Dominick Ventresta, Brittany Hall, Rob Hale, Raymond Anthony)

Call to Order: 5:00

Minutes accepted:

None present

Department Head reports: (See attached for Street Dept and Parks and Recreation Dept reports)

Bill Long: Report submitted(attached). Highlighted: 1.The 3rd Ward project continues to be in process. Need curbs and paving completed still. Held up by need for railroad flaggers. 2. Dura patching is in process. 3. A Small City Grant may be available for repair of the brick road section on 4th Street behind the court house(section between Main and Oak). 4. Visitor, Brittany Hall, mentioned a grate and hole needing looked at in Cowling Park. Bill will check it out.

SSD: 1. Gave Parks and Recreation report(attached).

2. Sanitation Dept: One of the front loader trucks has mechanical issue. Street Dept may be able to repair. Still need two smaller front load sanitation trucks in August when others are paid off.

3. Painter volunteers needed for pool.

Old Business:

None

New Business:

1. Rex: Street lights needed coming into town. LED lights \$25,000 to be installed by Ohio Edison. Motion made and seconded and voted in

favor to bring to Council to Appropriate funds for this at Lafayette and Eagleton. Brent will sponsor this.

2. Rex: Sidewalk Grading Service-Need an additional \$10,000 due to increase in sidewalk miles to grade and GIS service. This will be brought to Finance Committee for review.
3. Brent: Traffic Calming Devices-Police Chief conducted a stealth speed study for Jacob Lane. This was reviewed. Various visitors remarked on their concerns for speeding in this area. They would like to see some type of traffic calming device utilized to slow drivers. A traffic calming study was reviewed from a Hilliard study. Various speed calming devices were presented. Primarily Speed Feedback signs were discussed. Also, Speed Cushions were discussed. Both are similar in costs but vary mildly in efficacy. Bill Long suggested possibly needing 6 mobile speed feedback signs. It was decided to bring this to the Finance Committee due to costs. Costs vary according to the type chosen.
4. Raymond Anthony(visitor): Brought up concerns with glass deposits being left in the street by sanitation truck. SSD will check into the issue.

Next Mtg: June 10th 5:00

Adjournment: 6:17

Submitted by: Andrew Hitt

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1. Youth Sports Programs

a. Spring volleyball

- i. Wrapped up at the end of April with some exciting championship games

2. Parks

- a. Hoppy Hour was an extremely popular event for adults. We plan on making some changes and making it an annual event
- b. Restroom doors have been painted at Cowling Park and our vandal proof toilet paper holders have been installed. No issues yet.
- c. Water fountain at Dog Park has a leak underground. Street Dept to repair once OUPS has been out to mark the area
- d. AllSeal Sealcoating will be doing the mill & pave project at the basketball courts/skate park. Beginning of August is projected start date

3. Pool

- a. New floor has been installed in the pool house. Working on painting the walls and putting everything back together.
- b. Pool bottoms will be patched and then painted before we can fill. Weather has not helped
- c. If anyone wants to help paint the pools this Thurs. & Fri. stop on in
- d. Still hoping to open on May 24th

4. New Roof for Cowling Park Shelter

- a. Roof sustained damage from high winds
- b. Insurance claim has been filed
- c. Do we want to look at installing a metal roof?
 - i. Parks & Playground Fund

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Street Dept

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Clean CB mult. Times

Cement Insp. mult. Times
mult loc.

Center St Storm Sewer

Storm Sewer Insp.

Work at City Hall

Work Trash Dept.

Repaired Storm Sewer Chandler

Alley POT hole Patching

Mowing mult. Times

Work on Egpt.

Pothole Patching mult. Times

Meet with Eng on Center St

Meet with Cont. on Storm Sewer

Meet with Aldis about Storm Water

Talked with Cont about LPD Building

Called prop. owner about Tree on High St

BWC Class

Replace signs around Town

Pick up Det. Signs

Talked to prop. owners about Tree

They want Removal

Wild Eating Guard Rail

Church Dinner

* Trying for Small City Grant

Wild Eating Creek Banks

Flag Box City Hall

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STREET DEPT

DURO PATCH LPA - LFD LOTS

DURO PATCH STREETS

CLEAN TREE OUT OF FENCE TRASH DEPT

PICK UP PIPE ADS FOR STORM SEWER
REPAIRS.

GOT PRICE ON A HOT BOX FOR BIK TOP

MET W FIBER CO.

MET W ENG. ABOUT RIGHT AWAY

PROGRAM

WORK ON SCHOOL LIGHTS

PLOWS - SHUTTING BOX OFF ALL EGYPT.

WORKING ON PUNCH LIST FOR STORM SEWER
3RD WARD.

Building 4 EGT NEED REPAIRED
OR REPLACED

SATTED Dome	REPAIR POSSIBLE REPA
3 Bay BARN	REPLACE
2003 F150	REPLACE
2008 IH plow TRUCK	REPLACE
2011 IH SWEEPER	REPLACE

EGT NEED
VAC TRUCK
HOT BOX
CRACK SEAL
GRADU BAR