

**Village of Ravenna
Regular Meeting
October 7th 2014**

The regular meeting of the Ravenna Village Council was called to order by President Dennis Wildfong at 7:00 p.m. with the pledge of allegiance.

Members present: Dennis Wildfong, Bill Leszinske, Steve Dohm, Harold Drake, and Kathy Bensinger.

Also: DPW Supervisor Steve Patterson, Clerk Hazen, Mike Pierson of The Ravenna Independent, Honorable Kathy L Hoogstra and Ben Gillette.

Dohm moved Bensinger seconded to approve the September 2nd meeting minutes as presented. Motion carried.

Dohm moved Drake seconded to approve the October 7th agenda as presented. Motion carried.

Public Comment: The Honorable Kathy L Hoogstra and Ben Gillette were present to introduce themselves to the council.

Correspondence: none

Committees and Employee Reports: DPW Supervisor S. Patterson informed the council that the pump at the Thatcher Park lift station is in need of some major repairs immediately.

Drake moved Leszinske seconded for Steve Patterson to go ahead and have the pump at the lift station in Thatcher Park rebuilt not to exceed \$9000.00. Motion Carried

Patterson also informed the council that the villages Safety Sensor is not working properly according to OSHA standards. Leszinske moved Dohm seconded to replace the villages Safety Sensor not to exceed \$700.00. Motion Carried.

Patterson said that the Chip n Seal project will begin next year.

Clerk Hazen informed the Council that we may have to go to court on the Conklin park fire to try to collect full restitution. Clerk will keep the Council updated.

Clerk Hazen also informed the council that a representative from The MML insurance had contacted her regarding a claim filed this spring. Drake moved Leszinske seconded to consult with the Village Attorney to research the matter and follow up with league in writing. Motion Carried.

DDA: Wildfong gave an update on the DDA meeting. The sign ordinance is being reviewed.

PC: Leszinske reported that at the Planning Commission meeting Ravenna Foods announced that they will put in handicap parking and fire lane parking signs. They reviewed Darren's Auto Repair site plan. PC ok'd the Antiques Shops site plan. Hometown Pharmacy will be adding a green space area and a possible mural to the east side of their building.

UTILITIES COMMITTEE: Drake reported the Utility Committee had a meeting with a residents care giver regarding their water overage.

Old Business: none

New Business: none

MISC: Bensinger moved Leszinske seconded to request Tony Zaidel, the ZA, provide the council with a monthly activity report. Motion Carried.

Bill Payment Approval:

Dohm moved Leszinske seconded to approve payment of the bills as presented. Motion carried.

Newsletter: Dohm stated Octobers newsletter is almost completed.

Meeting adjourned at 7:59 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Dee Dee Hazen, Village Clerk