

**Village of Millington  
Regular Council Meeting  
Monday, July 20, 2020**

**Roll Call**

**Present:** Bassett, Beam, Bonadurer, Germain, Reinert, Slough

**Absent:** Maxfield

**Attending:** A. Ratza, G. Ratza, Long

**Others:** Josh Cunningham, Shelley Pease, Theron Nesbit, Lisa Weiss,  
Dennis Weiss

**Call to Order:**

The meeting was called to order by President Reinert in the Village Council Chambers at 6:00 p.m.

All recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Accept the Minutes**

Bonadurer moved, Slough seconded, **PASSED** the motion to accept the minutes as printed for the **June 8, 2020 Regular Council Meeting Minutes.**

**6 yeas 0 nays 0 abstain Roll Call: Bassett, Beam, Bonadurer, Germain, Reinert, Slough**

**Department Reports:**

**Public Works:** *Mr. Ratza reported everything has been going pretty good. Water main break on Atwood – replaced about 5’ for main. The DPW worked all night Friday and ½ of Saturday.*

*Wilson Industries paid tap-in fee and water will have to be tied in from across the road. Mr. Ratza would like to run a 6” line to be prepared for any future businesses. Sewer is already to be hooked up.*

*The railroad tracks on North St will be fixed*

*The sewer manhole on Atwood will be replaced as soon as they can, they got a Miss Dig today.*

Bassett moved Slough seconded **PASSED** the motion to accept the DPW Report as printed.

**6 yeas 0 nays 0 abstain Roll Call: Bassett, Beam, Bonadurer, Germain, Reinert, Slough**

**Selling Old Loader:** *Discussed selling old loader through Albrecht Auctions Municipal/Farm Monthly Auction. The loader would remain at the DPW until sold. A \$10,000.00 reserve will be placed on it.*

Bonadurer moved, Slough seconded, **PASSED** the motion to accept the motion to place the old loader on *Albrecht Auctions Municipal/Farm Monthly Auction with a reserve of \$10,000.00*

**6 yeas 0 nays 0 abstain Roll Call: Bassett, Beam, Bonadurer, Germain, Reinert, Slough**

**Police Department:** *President Reinert read Chief Oliver's report.*

Bonadurer moved Germain seconded **PASSED** the motion to accept the Police Report as presented. **6 yeas 0 nays 0 abstain Roll Call: Bassett, Beam, Bonadurer, Germain, Reinert, Slough**

**Zoning Report:** *Several new Zoning permits were issued again this month. The bus drive at Meachum School has not yet applied for a permit.*

Bassett moved Slough seconded **PASSED** the motion to accept the Zoning Report as presented. **6 yeas 0 nays 0 abstain Roll Call: Bassett, Beam, Bonadurer, Germain, Reinert, Slough**

**Correspondence:** *None*

**Bills:**

Beam moved Slough seconded **PASSED** the motion to pay the bills for July 2020 as printed.

**6 yeas 0 nays 0 abstain Roll Call: Bassett, Beam, Bonadurer, Germain, Reinert, Slough**

**Treasurer's Report:**

Slough moved Bonadurer seconded **PASSED** the motion to accept the July Treasurer's Report as printed.

**6 yeas 0 nays 0 abstain Roll Call: Bassett, Beam, Bonadurer, Germain, Reinert, Slough**

**Public Comment:** *None*

**Old Business:**

**Bike Racks**

Slough moved Bonadurer seconded **PASSED** the motion to purchase 12 bike racks at \$275 with "M" and bicycle painted in Cardinal Red.

**6 yeas 0 nays 0 abstain Roll Call: Bassett, Beam, Bonadurer, Germain, Reinert, Slough**

**New Business**

**1. Shelley Pease** *introduced herself. She thanked the DPW for all they have done. She discussed some issues that she had been having with her neighbor and keeping up with her yard work.*

**2. Corey Stroope** – chickens – 4689 Center      **"No show"**

**3. Dawn Pavelka**

Bassett moved Slough seconded **PASSED** the motion to appoint Dawn Pavelka to the Millington Downtown Development Authority.

**6 yeas 0 nays 0 abstain Roll Call: Bassett, Beam, Bonadurer, Germain, Reinert, Slough**

**4. Officer Mitin Resignation**

Bonadurer moved Beam seconded **PASSED** the motion to accept Officer Michael Mitin’s resignation with deep regrets and thank him for his service to the Village of Millington.

**6 yeas 0 nays 0 abstain Roll Call: Bassett, Beam, Bonadurer, Germain, Reinert, Slough**

**5. Police Vacancy**

Bonadurer moved Germain seconded **PASSED** the motion to hire Randy Nelson as a part-time/as needed Police Officer for the Village of Millington Police Department at \$18.00 per hour starting on July 23, 2020 until the vacancy can be filled.

**6 yeas 0 nays 0 abstain Roll Call: Bassett, Beam, Bonadurer, Germain, Reinert, Slough**

**6. Hiring New Police Officer**

Bonadurer moved Beam seconded **PASSED** the motion to begin looking for a Full-time Police Officer with a pay range of \$18.00-\$22.00 per hour.

**6 yeas 0 nays 0 abstain Roll Call: Bassett, Beam, Bonadurer, Germain, Reinert, Slough**

**7. CARES Act Funding** – *Mrs. Long applied for CARES act funding program to reimburse the Village for payroll expenses paid out in April & May.*

**8. MI Small Business Restart Program.** *Mrs. Long sent all the information to the businesses of the Village. It is up to them to apply.*

**9.** *The Village Council would like to do yearly employee evaluations to assess employee performance. The purpose of the evaluations would be to address any issues in department groups. Mrs. Bassett will create an evaluation form.*

**10.** *National Night Out has been Canceled for this year due to COVID-19 restrictions.*

**Committee Reports:** None

**Other:**

**Adjournment:**

Slough moved, Germain seconded **PASSED** the motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:35 p.m. **6 yeas 0 nays 0 abstain**

The next Regular Council Meeting will be on August 10<sup>th</sup>, 2020 at 6:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Kaylene Long  
Village Clerk