

HECKER VILLAGE BOARD MINUTES

December 9, 2014

President Charles Kujawski called the December 9, 2014 regular Board Meeting to order. After reciting the Pledge of Allegiance, the following members answered roll call: Charles Kujawski, Rich Happel, Jim Mueth, Arnold Eckart, Charles Wagner, Gary Wittenauer. Lori Amann and Annette Schreder. Trisha Maddox was absent.

Jim Mueth made a motion seconded by Arnold Eckart to approve the November 9, 2014 Regular Board Minutes. Voting all ayes, motion carried.

Jim Mueth made a motion seconded by Charles Wagner to approve the treasurer's report and pay all bills submitted for the month of December. Voting all ayes, motion carried.

Visitors:

- Gale Branson was present to introduce herself as the owner of "Horse Stuff". The business is located in the building that use to be the Hecker Country Store. It is a second hand store specializing in horse products and other items.
- Guy Briley was present to introduce himself as one of the applicants for the Zoning Administrator position.
- Justin Eckart was present to ask about drainage issues in Freedom Village.

Committee Reports:

- Police—Rich Happel stated that the new Monroe County Sheriff—Neal Rohlfig—was sworn into office. The Village of Hecker's Police Contract with Monroe County will be reviewed with Sheriff Rohlfig.
- Streets—Jim Mueth said that repairs are being done on one of the Village trucks and the trucks will be ready for snow removal when needed.
- Zoning—President Kujawski is getting caught up on the Occupancy Permits and inspection fees. He will also begin interviewing candidates for the Zoning Administrator's position.

President Kujawski passed out the proposed tax levy for fiscal year 2014-2015. It will reflect a 2% increase.

Jim Mueth made a motion seconded by Rich Happel to approve **Ordinance 14-006** 2014-2015 Tax Levy at a 2% increase. The following roll call vote was taken:

Rich Happel—yes

Arnold Eckart—yes

Jim Mueth—yes

Charles Wagner—yes

Trisha Maddox—absent

Gary Wittenauer—yes

Voting 5 ayes and 1 absent, motion carried.

SANTA will be riding thru Hecker on a Fire Truck on Monday, December 15, 2014. Santa will depart from the firehouse at 6:00pm. Next year the Village hopes to have SANTA ride thru town and then stop at the Village Hall for the children to visit.

Chuck Wagner made a motion seconded by Gary Wittenauer to adjourn the meeting. Voting all ayes, motion carried.

The next Village Board meeting will be on January 13, 2015.

Submitted by Annette Schreder—Village Clerk