

NEW ALBANY BOROUGH COUNCIL

MEETING MINUTES

August 4, 2021

New Albany Borough Council held a monthly meeting at the New Albany Volunteer Fire Department Social Hall on August 4, 2021. The meeting was called to order at 6:02 p.m. by President Michelle Dunham.

COUNCIL MEMBERS' ROLL CALL:

PRESENT: Michelle Dunham, Dave Manley, Dawn Garinger, Sheena Pettitt

ABSENT: Rodney Lee

OTHERS ATTENDING:

Mayor Dan Dunham, Secretary/Treasurer David Hindman, Warren Howeler, Phil O'Doll, Jeff McIntire, Laura McIntire, Harley McIntyre

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: The minutes of the July 21, 2021, meeting were approved on a motion of Sheena Pettitt, seconded by Dave Manley. The roll call vote was unanimous.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Approval to pay bills was presented to Council. A motion was made to pay the bills by Dave Manley, seconded by Sheena Pettitt, and unanimously carried on a roll call vote.

PUBLIC INPUT: There was none.

FAWCETT AVENUE BRIDGE REPLACEMENT & MAIN STREET BRIDGE REPAIRS: The money for the Main Street Bridge project was received from PEMA and the bill has been paid. The demolition of the old Fawcett Avenue Bridge should begin soon.

COMMITTEE REPORTS/ITEMS TO ADDRESS:

SECRETARY/OFFICE: Dave would like to register for a five part webinar series from PSAB on Municipal Secretary Training. The first session was already held but he will be able to make it up. A motion was made by Michelle Dunham, seconded by Sheena Pettitt to approve the \$150 expense for the training. The motion was unanimously approved on a roll call vote.

ORDINANCE ENFORCEMENT: No Report

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT: No Report

BOROUGH MAINTENANCE: No Report

HIGHWAY/STREETS: Dan Dunham talked to the Bradford County Conservation District about the repairs needed on Pelton Hill Road. There is a program that might help but somebody will have to do the training on the gravel roads program. Dan Dunham asked if anyone was interested.

PARK: Need to address the ruts left in the park, all that was done so far was to spread straw on them. The power line to the park was rehung July 23.

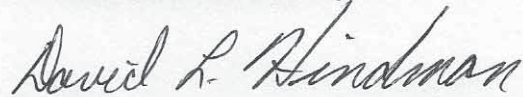
SEWER: All good. Smoke testing will be done soon to find sump pumps and storm drains hooked to the sewer in violation.

WATER: The emergency bid for the replacement water line under the creek came in at \$56,000 and work should be starting soon. A new water meter is need at the McPherson house on Front St. as new tenants are moving in.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

NEW BUSINESS: There will be a fundraiser for Dale Hatch on Friday August 28. It will be spaghetti, salad, and bread for \$10. The secretary was asked to put the information in the newsletter.

Respectfully submitted by:

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "David L. Hindman".

David L. Hindman, Secretary