

# RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Minutes of

VILLAGE OF VALLEY VIEW REGULAR COUNCIL

Meeting

BEAR GRAPHICS 800-325-8094 FORM NO. 10148

Held

APRIL 7, 2015

CAUCUS STARTED AT 7:10 PM. MAYOR PIASECKI WENT OVER THE AGENDA FOR THE COUNCIL MEETING. HE ANNOUNCED THAT CUB SCOUT PACK 470 FROM PARMA WILL BE LEADING US IN THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TONIGHT. ORDINANCE 2015-3-5 IS ON SECOND READING. IF COUNCIL HAS ANY QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS THEY CAN FORWARD THEM TO ENGINEER SCIANO. THE MAYOR STATED HE HAD A FEW QUESTIONS THAT HE WILL BRING UP ON THE FLOOR. COUNCILMAN PERK ASKED THE MAYOR IF HIS QUESTIONS WOULD CHANGE THE ORDINANCE? MAYOR PIASECKI REPLIED HOPEFULLY NOT. ENGINEER SCIANO STATED THAT THE ORDINANCE SHOULD HAVE BEEN IN PLACE IN 2004. IT WILL NEED TO BE UPDATED BY DECEMBER OF 2016. HE AND LAW DIRECTOR LAMBROS WORKED HARD ON THIS ORDINANCE. IT IS A VALLEY VIEW CUSTOM ORDINANCE AND IT ALLOWS THE VILLAGE TO BE AS PRO BUSINESS AS POSSIBLE. MAYOR PIASECKI STATED THAT IN GENERAL HE UNDERSTANDS IT. COUNCILMAN PERK STATED THAT HE READ THE ORDINANCE AND HE IS READY TO PASS IT IF THERE ARE NO CHANGES. ORDINANCE 2015-4-3 IS FOR THE PROMOTION OF OFFICER RICHARD RYKALLA TO SERGEANT. WE WILL HAVE THE SWEARING-IN RIGHT AFTER THE PASSAGE OF THE ORDINANCE. ORDINANCE 2015-4-4 IS A CHANGE ORDER FOR THE NAVARRE HOME AT 9703 FRANCES DRIVE. ORDINANCE 2015-4-5 IS A CHANGE ORDER FOR THE KROGER HOME AT 9726 CHARLES DRIVE. ORDINANCE 2015-4-7 IS TO ALLOW FIVE DAYS VACATION CARRY-OVER FOR NON-UNION FULL TIME EMPLOYEES. COUNCILWOMAN DROCKTON ASKED THE MAYOR ISN'T THIS JUST MOVING THE PROBLEM? IF A PERSON DOESN'T HAVE ENOUGH TIME TO TAKE THEIR VACATION THIS YEAR HOW WILL THEY HAVE TIME TO TAKE EVEN MORE DAYS THE NEXT YEAR? MAYOR PIASECKI STATED THAT THE OLD STUFF HAS TO BE USED BY JUNE 30<sup>TH</sup>. COUNCILWOMAN DROCKTON STATED THEN YOU ARE CONTINUALLY CARRYING OVER FIVE DAYS. COUNCIL ASKED THAT THIS ORDINANCE BE PUT ON FIRST READING. MAYOR PIASECKI STATED THAT ATTACHED TO ORDINANCE 2015-4-8 IS THE FINAL CONTRACT FOR THE SERVICE UNION. IF PASSED IT WILL TAKE EFFECT IN 30 DAYS. CAUCUS ENDED AT 7:19 PM.

**PRESENT:** COUNCILPERSONS DROCKTON, WYATT, JAKUBCZAK, WESTFALL, MALICKI, PERK, ENGINEER SCIANO, FIRE CHIEF KOSCIELSKI, POLICE CHIEF MARCH, STREET COMMISSIONER SOLDAT, BUILDING COMMISSIONER ELLIS, RECREATION DIRECTOR VON VILLE, LAW DIRECTOR LAMBROS, CLERK-TREASURER TOMASKO.

MAYOR PIASECKI PRESIDED.

MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER AT 7:30 PM.

CUB SCOUT TROOP 407 FROM PARMA LEAD COUNCIL IN THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE.

MAYOR PIASECKI STATED WE HAD A SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING AT 5:30 PM TONIGHT TO DISCUSS CONTRACTORS – REGISTRATION, BONDING AND INSURANCE.

MAYOR PIASECKI PRESENTED HIS MONTHLY REPORT (COPY ATTACHED).

MOVED BY WYATT, SECONDED BY WESTFALL, TO ACCEPT THE MINUTES OF MARCH 3, 2015 AS RECEIVED.

ROLL CALL: AYE; DROCKTON, WYATT, JAKUBCZAK, WESTFALL, MALICKI, PERK. MOTION CARRIED.

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**ORDINANCE: 2015-3-5**

AN ORDINANCE CREATING A NEW STORM WATER MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEVELOPING A COMPREHENSIVE STORM WATER POLLUTION PREVENTION PLAN FOR THE VILLAGE OF VALLEY VIEW, OHIO WAS READ BY TITLE ONLY AND INTRODUCED BY ALL MEMBERS OF COUNCIL.

**THIS ORDINANCE IS ON SECOND READING.**

MAYOR PIASECKI ASKED ENGINEER SCIANO ABOUT 1272.03, THE SITE DEVELOPMENT SECTION, AND WHETHER IT WILL AFFECT ANY EXISTING PLANS.

ENGINEER SCIANO STATED IT WILL APPLY TO ANY NEWLY APPROVED PLANS.

MAYOR PIASECKI STATED IF PASSED THE ORDINANCE WILL NOT TAKE EFFECT FOR 30 DAYS.

MOVED BY JAKUBCZAK, SECONDED BY PERK, TO SUSPEND THE RULES AND PLACE ORDINANCE 2015-3-5 ON THIRD AND FINAL READING.

ROLL CALL: AYE; WYATT, JAKUBCZAK, WESTFALL, MALICKI, PERK,  
DROCKTON. MOTION CARRIED.

MOVED BY PERK, SECONDED BY JAKUBCZAK, TO PASS ORDINANCE 2015-3-5.

ROLL CALL: AYE; WYATT, JAKUBCZAK, WESTFALL, MALICKI, PERK,  
DROCKTON. MOTION CARRIED.

**ORDINANCE: 2015-4-1**

AN ORDINANCE TO PAY CERTAIN CLAIMS THEREIN MENTIONED DURING THE MONTH OF MARCH 2015 WAS READ BY TITLE ONLY AND INTRODUCED BY DROCKTON.

MOVED BY WYATT, SECONDED BY DROCKTON, TO SUSPEND THE RULES AND PLACE ORDINANCE 2015-4-1 ON THIRD AND FINAL READING.

ROLL CALL: AYE; JAKUBCZAK, WESTFALL, MALICKI, PERK, DROCKTON,  
WYATT. MOTION CARRIED.

MOVED BY WESTFALL, SECONDED BY MALICKI, TO PASS ORDINANCE 2015-4-1.

ROLL CALL: AYE; JAKUBCZAK, WESTFALL, MALICKI, PERK, DROCKTON,  
WYATT. MOTION CARRIED.

**ORDINANCE: 2015-4-2**

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2015-2-2 PROVIDING ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2015 AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY WAS READ BY TITLE ONLY AND INTRODUCED BY ALL MEMBERS OF COUNCIL.

MOVED BY WYATT, SECONDED BY WESTFALL, TO SUSPEND THE RULES AND PLACE ORDINANCE 2015-4-2 ON THIRD AND FINAL READING.

ROLL CALL: AYE; WESTFALL, MALICKI, PERK, DROCKTON, WYATT,  
JAKUBCZAK. MOTION CARRIED.

MOVED BY WESTFALL, SECONDED BY PERK, TO PASS ORDINANCE 2015-4-2.

ROLL CALL: AYE; WESTFALL, MALICKI, PERK, DROCKTON, WYATT,  
JAKUBCZAK. MOTION CARRIED.

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**ORDINANCE: 2015-4-3**

AN ORDINANCE APPOINTING RICHARD RYKALLA TO THE POSITION OF SERGEANT IN THE POLICE DEPARTMENT IN THE VILLAGE OF VALLEY VIEW, OHIO WAS READ BY TITLE ONLY AND INTRODUCED BY MAYOR PIASECKI.

MAYOR PIASECKI STATED THAT OFFICER RYKALLA IS DESERVING OF PROMOTION TO SERGEANT. HE WAS APPOINTED IN JUNE OF 2002 AND HAS PROVED TO BE AN EXEMPLARY PATROLMAN, RESPECTED AMONG HIS PEERS AND AMONG THE COMMUNITY IN GENERAL. JOIN ME AND CHIEF MARCH IN CONGRATULATING SERGEANT RYKALLA.

MOVED BY WYATT, SECONDED BY JAKUBCZAK, TO SUSPEND THE RULES AND PLACE ORDINANCE 2015-4-3 ON THIRD AND FINAL READING.

ROLL CALL: AYE; MALICKI, PERK, DROCKTON, WYATT, JAKUBCZAK,  
WESTFALL. MOTION CARRIED.

MOVED BY PERK, SECONDED BY WESTFALL, TO PASS ORDINANCE 2015-4-3.

ROLL CALL: AYE; MALICKI, PERK, DROCKTON, WYATT, JAKUBCZAK,  
WESTFALL. MOTION CARRIED.

MAYOR PIASECKI SWORE IN OFFICER RICHARD RYKALLA.

**ORDINANCE: 2015-4-4**

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING A CHANGE ORDER FOR THE PDM HOME ELEVATION PROJECT, PHASE 2, FOR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR THE HOME AT 9703 FRANCES DRIVE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$2,860.00 IN THE VILLAGE OF VALLEY VIEW, OHIO WAS READ BY TITLE ONLY AND INTRODUCED BY MAYOR PIASECKI.

MOVED BY PERK, SECONDED BY WYATT, TO SUSPEND THE RULES AND PLACE ORDINANCE 2015-4-4 ON THIRD AND FINAL READING.

ROLL CALL: AYE; PERK, DROCKTON, WYATT, JAKUBCZAK, WESTFALL,  
MALICKI. MOTION CARRIED.

MOVED BY WYATT, SECONDED BY PERK, TO PASS ORDINANCE 2015-4-4.

ROLL CALL: AYE; PERK, DROCKTON, WYATT, JAKUBCZAK, WESTFALL,  
MALICKI. MOTION CARRIED.

**ORDINANCE: 2015-4-5**

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING A CHANGE ORDER FOR THE PDM HOME ELEVATION PROJECT, PHASE 3, FOR THE ELEVATION OF THE HOME AT 9726 CHARLES DRIVE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$9,669.86 IN THE VILLAGE OF VALLEY VIEW, OHIO WAS READ BY TITLE ONLY AND INTRODUCED BY MAYOR PIASECKI.

COUNCILWOMAN MALICKI ASKED IF FEMA WAS CONTRIBUTING ANY MONEY TOWARD THIS?

ENGINEER SCIANO SAID NO. THAT ONCE THE HOME WAS ELEVATED THERE WAS NO FOOTER UNDER THE GARAGE. THERE WAS NO WAY OF KNOWING THAT UNTIL THE HOME WAS ELEVATED. THERE WERE NO PRINTS IN THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT. WE HAD SIMILAR INSTANCES ON FOSDICK AND MURRAY ROAD.

MOVED BY JAKUBCZAK, SECONDED BY WYATT, TO SUSPEND THE RULES AND PLACE ORDINANCE 2015-4-5 ON THIRD AND FINAL READING.

ROLL CALL: AYE; DROCKTON, WYATT, JAKUBCZAK, WESTFALL,

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MALICKI, PERK.

MOTION CARRIED.

MOVED BY PERK, SECONDED BY WESTFALL, TO PASS ORDINANCE 2015-4-5.

ROLL CALL: AYE; DROCKTON, WYATT, JAKUBCZAK, WESTFALL,  
MALICKI, PERK. MOTION CARRIED.

**ORDINANCE: 2015-4-6**

AN ORDINANCE ACCEPTING A BID FOR THE VALLEY VIEW PDM HOME ELEVATION PROJECT, PHASE 4, IN THE VILLAGE OF VALLEY VIEW, OHIO WAS READ BY TITLE ONLY AND INTRODUCED BY MAYOR PIASECKI.

MOVED BY WYATT, SECONDED BY JAKUBCZAK, TO SUSPEND THE RULES AND PLACE ORDINANCE 2015-4-6 ON THIRD AND FINAL READING.

ROLL CALL: AYE; WYATT, JAKUBCZAK, WESTFALL, MALICKI, PERK,  
DROCKTON. MOTION CARRIED.

MOVED BY PERK, SECONDED BY WESTFALL, TO PASS ORDINANCE 2015-4-6.

ROLL CALL: AYE; WYATT, JAKUBCZAK, WESTFALL, MALICKI, PERK,  
DROCKTON. MOTION CARRIED.

**ORDINANCE: 2015-4-7**

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING VACATION CARRY OVER FOR FULL-TIME NON UNION EMPLOYEES OF THE VILLAGE OF VALLEY VIEW, OHIO WAS READ BY TITLE ONLY AND INTRODUCED BY MAYOR PIASECKI.

**THIS ORDINANCE IS ON FIRST READING.**

**ORDINANCE: 2015-4-8**

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH THE FULL-TIME SERVICE DIVISION WORKERS, FULL-TIME MECHANICS, AND FULL-TIME GROUNDSKEEPERS IN THE VILLAGE OF VALLEY VIEW, OHIO WAS READ BY TITLE ONLY AND INTRODUCED BY MAYOR PIASECKI.

MAYOR PIASECKI STATED THAT THIS IS THE FINAL COPY OF THE CONTRACT.

MOVED BY WYATT, SECONDED BY JAKUBCZAK, TO SUSPEND THE RULES AND PLACE ORDINANCE 2015-4-8 ON THIRD AND FINAL READING.

ROLL CALL: AYE; JAKUBCZAK, WESTFALL, MALICKI, PERK, DROCKTON,  
WYATT. MOTION CARRIED.

MOVED BY DROCKTON, SECONDED BY WESTFALL, TO PASS ORDINANCE 2015-4-8.

ROLL CALL: AYE; JAKUBCZAK, WESTFALL, MALICKI, PERK, DROCKTON,  
WYATT. MOTION CARRIED.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

CLERK-TREASURER TOMASKO GAVE THE MAYOR AND ALL MEMBERS OF COUNCIL A STATEMENT OF CASH POSITION REPORT FOR THE PERIOD ENDING MARCH 31, 2015.

**FINANCE (DROCKTON) –**

MOVED BY DROCKTON, SECONDED BY PERK, TO AUTHORIZE THE VILLAGE TO PAY 50% OF THE COST OF POOL PASSES FOR VILLAGE RESIDENTS AT A COST NOT TO EXCEED \$10,000.00.

ROLL CALL: AYE; WESTFALL, MALICKI, PERK, DROCKTON, WYATT,  
JAKUBCZAK. MOTION CARRIED.

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MOVED BY DROCKTON, SECONDED BY WESTFALL, TO AUTHORIZE THE RECREATION DEPARTMENT TO HIRE GRAND RIVER CONSTRUCTION TO CONSTRUCT DUGOUTS AT THE WOODS FIELD IN VALLEY VIEW WOODS PARK AT A COST OF \$18,000.00.

ROLL CALL: AYE; MALICKI, PERK, DROCKTON, WYATT, JAKUBCZAK, WESTFALL. MOTION CARRIED.

MOVED BY DROCKTON, SECONDED BY JAKUBCZAK, TO AUTHORIZE THE RECREATION DEPARTMENT TO HIRE PFS FLOOR CARE TO REFINISH THE WOOD FLOORS AT THE COMMUNITY CENTER AT A COST OF \$3,458.00.

ROLL CALL: AYE; MALICKI, PERK, DROCKTON, WYATT, JAKUBCZAK, WESTFALL. MOTION CARRIED.

MOVED BY DROCKTON, SECONDED BY WYATT, TO AUTHORIZE THE RECREATION DEPARTMENT TO HIRE VALLEY VIEW CEMENT CONTRACTORS FOR CONCRETE AND DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS AT THE WOODS FIELD IN VALLEY VIEW WOODS AT A COST OF \$19,811.90.

ROLL CALL: AYE; PERK, DROCKTON, WYATT, JAKUBCZAK, WESTFALL, MALICKI. MOTION CARRIED.

MOVED BY DROCKTON, SECONDED BY JAKUBCZAK, TO AUTHORIZE THE CLERK-TREASURER TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS FOR A CURRENT YEAR 2 ½ TON SALT/PLOW TRUCK. BID WILL INCLUDE THE TRADE-IN OF A 2006 STERLING DUMP TRUCK.

ROLL CALL: AYE; DROCKTON, WYATT, JAKUBCZAK, WESTFALL, MALICKI, PERK. MOTION CARRIED.

MOVED BY DROCKTON, SECONDED BY WESTFALL, TO AUTHORIZE THE SERVICE DEPARTMENT (GROUNDS DIVISION) TO PURCHASE A JOHN DEERE Z950M TRACTOR FROM SHEARER EQUIPMENT AT A COST OF \$7,555.15. THE PURCHASE WILL INCLUDE THE TRADE-IN OF A 1994 JOHN DEERE F935.

ROLL CALL: AYE; WYATT, JAKUBCZAK, WESTFALL, MALICKI, PERK, DROCKTON. MOTION CARRIED.

**SAFETY (PERK) – NO REPORT.**

**ROAD, TRAFFIC, UTILITY & ENGINEER (JAKUBCZAK) –**

THERE WILL BE A MEETING ON 4/21/15 AFTER THE PLANNING BOARD MEETING. NO BIDS WERE RECEIVED FOR THE OLD ROCKSIDE ROAD BRIDGE PROJECT. WHAT HAPPENS NOW?

MAYOR PIASECKI STATED THAT NO ONE COULD BID WITHIN 10% OF THE ESTIMATE. WE WILL REVISE THE ESTIMATE AND RE-BID THE PROJECT.

**BEAUTIFICATION (MALICKI) -**

WE HAD A MEETING AND TALKED ABOUT THE HEINTON ROAD BRIDGE. A STUDENT TEAM FROM CSU WILL BE SUBMITTING THEIR DRAWINGS SOON. WE ALSO TALKED ABOUT THE STONE ROAD/TINKERS CREEK ROAD CLOSED SIGNS. IS THERE AN ALTERNATIVE? WHAT HAPPENED TO THE PLANTERS THAT WERE THERE?

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MAYOR PIASECKI STATED THAT THE OLD PLANTERS WERE DILAPIDATED. WE WILL PUT IN NEW PLANTERS. WE NEED TO FIND SOMETHING TO PUT IN THEM THAT THE DEER WILL NOT EAT.

**RECREATION (WESTFALL) - NO REPORT.**

**BUILDING & MAINTENANCE (WYATT) - NO REPORT.**

**HUMAN SERVICES/OFFICE SERVICES (JAKUBCZAK) - NO REPORT.**

**SCHOOL (LIASON) (DROCKTON) - NO REPORT.**

POLICE CHIEF MARCH HAD HIS REPORT.

CHIEF MARCH STATED THAT PROM PROMISE WILL BE HELD IN VALLEY VIEW THIS YEAR ON MAY 14<sup>TH</sup> IN VALLEY VIEW WOODS PARK AT APPROXIMATELY 2:00 P.M. THE PROGRAM IS GIVEN TO THE JUNIOR AND SENIOR CLASS TO SHOW THE DANGERS OF DRINKING AND DRIVING DURING PROM.

MAYOR PIASECKI SAID IT IS QUITE A MOVING PRESENTATION. THE MAYOR STATED THAT HE AND CHIEF MARCH HAVE BEEN WORKING ON CAMERAS AT CINEMARK FOR A LONG TIME AND HE CAN ANNOUNCE THEY HAVE FINALLY BEEN INSTALLED. HE IS LOOKING FORWARD TO HAVING A SAFER OPERATION THERE.

FIRE CHIEF KOSCIELSKI HAD HIS REPORT.

CHIEF KOSCIELSKI STATED THAT THE NATIONAL PARK IS CONDUCTING A CONTROLLED BURN OF 39 ACRES AT TERRA VISTA. WE ARE NOT SURE EXACTLY WHAT DAY. IT WILL DEPEND ON THE WEATHER/WINDS. THERE WILL BE A LETTER IN THE VILLAGE NEWSLETTER TO LET RESIDENTS KNOW ABOUT IT. IT SHOULD ONLY TAKE A FEW HOURS. THE PUBLIC IS INVITED TO COME UP AND WATCH. THE HIRING LIST HAS EXPIRED. HE WILL APPROACH COUNCIL NEXT MONTH TO GET APPROVAL TO ADMINISTER A NEW FIRE TEST.

BUILDING COMMISSIONER ELLIS HAD HIS REPORT.

STREET COMMISSIONER SOLDAT HAD NO REPORT.

RECREATION DIRECTOR VON VILLE HAD HIS REPORT.

RECREATION DIRECTOR VON VILLE THANKED THE GROUNDSKEEPERS FOR GETTING THE FIELDS READY SO QUICKLY AFTER THE LONG WINTER. THE FIRST GAME WAS MARCH 31<sup>ST</sup>. SOCCER GAMES WILL BE HELD THIS WEEK.

ENGINEER SCIANO HAD HIS REPORT.

ENGINEER SCIANO SAID THE WATER LINES ON SAGAMORE ROAD ARE READY TO COMMENCE. THERE WILL BE ONE WAY TRAFFIC FOR 3 MONTHS.

**MAYOR:**

MAYOR PIASECKI STATED THAT HE AND FIRE CHIEF KOSCIELSKI ATTENDED THE GROUNDBREAKING THIS PAST WEEK FOR A DISTRICT CENTRAL DISPATCH CENTER. HE STATED THAT WE MAY CHANGE OUR LONG ASSOCIATION WITH CUYAHOGA HEIGHTS FOR DISPATCHING. THE CONTRACT IS UP IN JUNE, 2016. THERE MAY BE SEVERAL OTHER OPTIONS OUT THERE BEFORE THAT TIME. WE MUST SEARCH FOR THE BEST VALUE CONSIDERING QUALITY OF SERVICE AS A LEADING FACTOR. BOTH CHIEFS WILL BE INVOLVED IN THE DECISION.

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MAYOR PIASECKI THANKED RECREATION BOARD MEMBER ROCCO CASADONTE FOR HIS ATTENDANCE AND INPUT AT THE MEETING ON THE CAMERAS TO BE INSTALLED AT THE COMMUNITY CENTER.

**COUNCIL MEMBERS:**

JULIE JAKUBCZAK WOULD LIKE TO MOVE THE JULY COUNCIL MEETING FROM THE 7<sup>TH</sup> TO THE 14<sup>TH</sup>.

COUNCIL WAS ASKED TO CHECK THEIR SCHEDULES BEFORE A VOTE IS TAKEN.

COUNCILMAN PERK EXPLAINED WHY WE ARE LOOKING AT OTHER DISPATCHING SERVICES. THE COUNTIES ARE FORCING CITIES TO JOIN TOGETHER. THERE ARE NOW 13 CONSOLIDATING TO 5. THERE IS NEW TECHNOLOGY AVAILABLE. HOPEFULLY WE CAN SAVE SOME MONEY.

**MAYOR PIASECKI OPENED THE MEETING TO THE PUBLIC.**

MR. JOSEPH JENKINS INTRODUCED HIMSELF AND STATED THAT HE HANDLES SUBURBAN AFFAIRS FOR THE NORTHEAST OHIO SEWER DISTRICT. VALLEY VIEW CAN USE HIM AS A RESOURCE.

MR. JOE ZEMKO OF CHADBOURNE DRIVE STATED THAT AT THE FEBRUARY COUNCIL MEETING THE SPLASH PARK WAS PUT ON HOLD. HE READ MINUTES FROM THE RECREATION BOARD. MR. PERK BROUGHT UP THE SUBJECT AGAIN. WHAT IS THE STATUS OF THIS PROPOSAL?

MAYOR PIASECKI SAID THERE IS NO STARTING OR ENDING. IT NEEDS TO GO THROUGH THE RECREATION BOARD STILL.

COUNCILMAN PERK SAID THE RECREATION BOARD NEEDS ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. DON PAULSON GAVE HIM A LIST OF QUESTIONS.

MAYOR PIASECKI TOLD MR. ZEMKO TO GIVE MR. PERK HIS TELEPHONE NUMBER AND MR. PERK CAN CALL HIM NEXT TIME THE PROJECT IS GOING TO BE DISCUSSED.

MOVED BY WESTFALL, SECONDED BY MALICKI, TO ADJOURN.

ROLL CALL: AYE; JAKUBCZAK, WESTFALL, MALICKI, PERK, DROCKTON, WYATT. MOTION CARRIED.

MEETING WAS ADJOURNED AT 8:12 PM.

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_, 2015 \_\_\_\_\_ MAYOR

ATTEST:

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CLERK/TREASURER

THESE ARE THE UNAPPROVED MINUTES FROM THE APRIL 7, 2015 VILLAGE OF VALLEY VIEW COUNCIL MEETING.

## **April 2015 Council Meeting Report to Council**

To: Council and Administration

From: Mayor Jerry Piasecki

Re: April Report to Council

### **Police Department Promotion:**

Strengthening our Police Department through promotion of officers is always a pleasing announcement. Officer Rich Rykalla is deserving of promotion to Sergeant. Officer Rykalla was appointed in June of 2002 and has proved to be an exemplary patrolman, respected among his peers and among the community in general. Join me and Chief March in congratulating Sergeant Rykalla. This is one more step in strengthening our Police Department.

### **County Dispatch Center:**

This past week Cuyahoga County hosted a groundbreaking for a district central dispatch center. There are several communities committed to joining the center at some time in the future. As you may know our contract with Cuyahoga Heights dispatch service runs through June of 2016. There may be several options available before that time, as always we must search for the best value considering quality of service as a leading factor. It appears at this time that one option may be a regional entity of a Council of Governments comprised of six communities. It's reasonable to assume that the dispatch service we have known for the past many decades will likely change. All indications are that considering new technology, a change would be a move in a positive direction.

### **CHS 2015 Prom Promise Event:**

Since the report last month that this year's Prom Promise would be held in Brooklyn Heights, I've been notified that Valley View will host the 2015 event. Chief March will present an update at our April Council meeting.

### **Upper Hathaway Road Landscaping:**

Pleasing improvements are happening along Hathaway Road near the Garfield border. Our progressive efforts are showing through as exemplified by the landscaping improvements going on now north of Hathaway Road. Large Winter Hawthorne trees are lining the roadway and promises to enhance the area when they flower red berries in the autumn. We can be proud of these kinds of improvements as it is a reflection of our community in many ways.

### **Service Department Union Approval:**

After many months and several corrections, it appears we have a final document to approve. If Council approves the final version at the April meeting it will become binding within 30 days if all parties sign the agreement.