

**Minutes of the Roads, Drains, Water, Sewer & Refuse
City of Sheffield Lake, Ohio
April 4, 2022**

The regular meeting of the Roads, Drains, Water, Sewer & Refuse Committee was held Monday, April 4, 2022. Chairman Wtulich called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

ROLL CALL OF MEMBERS:

Present: Wtulich, Rosso, Stark, Kovach, Gee, Radeff, Erdei, Mayor Bring,
Service Director Hastings.

Attending: Citizen.

Excused: Cizl.

*Motion by Gee/Second by Kovach to accept the minutes of the Mar. 7, 2022 meeting with any corrections noted. Yeas All.

CORRESPONDENCE: None.

PRESENTATIONS: None.

SEWER CREDITS/UNPAID CHARGES FOR TAX DUPLICATE:

683 Alameda Ave. requesting a sewer credit of \$221.16 After a brief explanation by Service Director Hastings, *Motion by Kovach/Second by Gee to approve the credit. Yeas All.

4246 Knickerbocker Rd. requesting a sewer credit of \$194.00. After a brief explanation by Service Director Hastings, *Motion by Kovach/Second by Gee to approve the credit. Yeas All.

809 Lakewood Beach Ave. requesting a sewer credit of \$209.52. After a brief explanation by Service Director Hastings, *Motion by Kovach/Second by Gee to approve the credit. Yeas All.

MAYOR/SERVICE DIRECTOR'S REPORT: Mayor Bring reports we have been talking to Republic about our refuse. Mr. Kidder asked us if we would change our bulk day from Tuesday to Friday. He said we could have bulk pickup every week and that the leaf pickup would be the whole year. The start of it would be a soft run in May. Member Kovach asks will it be one day pickup as opposed to Tuesday and Wednesday? Mayor Bring replies just one. Fridays will be refuse pickup. Chairman Wtulich asks it will not affect the years we have left on our contract, right? Mayor Bring replies no. Service Director Hastings reports the asphalt plan is scheduled to open the week of the 11th. Unfortunately, the administration was notified today that a member of our road dept. is moving on to another job. That will put a hinderance in our work. Currently we are working on a substantial improvement to the storm sewer on Lake Rd. at Maple Grove. We had a pre-bid meeting about the Lake Rd. culvert

project, and we will officially open our bids on April 14th. I intend to petition council for an ordinance to write an application to Ohio Water Development Authority. That is for funds that help pay for water infrastructure. That project will include new valves and a couple new sections of water line with a goal of connecting Park Dr. to Lake Rd. and eliminate a 4in. dead end. We are finalizing our plans to restore the drainage corridor on Lake Rd. near the OVI. The water distribution study is back on track. We are uploading the pipe sizes and the install dates for the pipe; this helps us determine the water tower need. The removal of the tower may coincide with AT&T, who is now reenergizing the conversation about putting a monopole at Ferndale Park. This is so the T-Mobile equipment there now could be successfully moved, and we could remove the water tower. There are some zoning issues, so it is a joint effort. I do have some staff going to competent person training. That is for trench safety, soil types, etc. Member Erdei asks did you decide on the water tower yet? Service Director Hastings replies yes, it has had an extensive study and it is more economical if the city determines that we need the tower from the study, to build a new one. It's at almost \$1 million to refurbish. We are also considering different locations. Chairman Wtulich asks what is the AT&T tower? Service Director Hastings replies it is a single monopole that is around 200 ft. with an antenna. Member Gee asks on the dimpled, red pads we discussed, were you able to look into that? Service Director Hastings replies I need to see specifically what she is referring to.

OLD BUSINESS:

Lincoln Blvd; nature trail from Oster to Lake Road proposal/wetland study- Service Director Hastings reports the asphalt plan will open on April 11th and I hope to have that project wrapped up by the end of April; as far as asphalt, linear grading and seeding in May and we're done.

NEW BUSINESS: Service Director Hastings states the city is entertaining demos of street sweepers which I will bring to Buildings, Vehicles and Lands Committee. I have some grant opportunities to help get a down payment on a machine. Member Kovach asks will that have a vac on it? Service Director Hastings replies it does. President Rosso asks can you use it on non-curbed streets? Service Director Hastings responds yes, you could use it on a parking lot. Chairman Wtulich asks how much do they run? Service Director Hastings replies they start around \$250,000.

CITIZEN'S COMMENTARY: *Claudia Marimberga, 766 Idlewood Ave.* says I had a question about my storm sewer getting covered in. They started and got 2 doors from me and stopped, and I was just wondering if they were continuing? Service Director Hastings replies yes, I spoke to you on the phone. We just got 5,000ft. of pipe in and will continue that.

MEETING ADJOURNED: With no further business before this committee,
*Motion by Kovach/Second by Erdei to adjourn at 7:24 PM. Yeas All.

CLERK OF COMMITTEE AFFIRMATION: This meeting of the City Committee of the City of Sheffield Lake, Ohio was held and conducted under all Rules and Regulations Governing The Sunshine Laws of the State of Ohio as they may apply. All meetings are recorded and available in Council's Offices.

CLERK OF COMMITTEE

Brandy Randolph

I, Brandy Randolph, duly appointed Clerk of Committee certifies this is a true and exact copy of the Minutes of the Roads & Drains Committee of April 4, 2022.

CHAIRMAN

William Wtulich Jr.

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

Richard Rosso