

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS; MINUTES OF THE VILLAGE OF LEWISBURG, OHIO, REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING AT 7:00 P.M., APRIL 2, 2026, AT THE LEWISBURG COMMUNITY CENTER.

The regular meeting of the Village of Lewisburg, Ohio Council was called to order at 7:00 P.M. by Mayor Dennis Roberts.

ROLL CALL: Eliza Wagoner, Clerk of Council.

PRESENT: Mayor Dennis Roberts, Council Members Marla Colville-Brown, Barb Foster, Jackie Sewert, Greg Stubblefield, and Ted Thies.

Mary Nelson was absent.

Also present were Municipal Manager Jeff Sewert, Police Chief Gary Parker, Fire & EMS Chief Bob Sewert, Law Director Steve Hobbs, and Fiscal Officer/Clerk of Council Eliza Wagoner.

Motion to approve the minutes of the regular Village Council Meeting on March 19, 2026. First by Ted Thies. Second by Barb Foster. Roll Call Vote: 6 Yes 0 No. Motion approved.

Motion to approve the check disbursement report. First by Jackie Sewert. Second by Greg Stubblefield. Roll Call Vote: 6 Yes 0 No. Motion approved.

Manager Sewert requested to add a PO to Lower 48 for \$5,859.00 to the purchase order report. Motion to approve the purchase order report with the additional request. First by Barb Foster. Second by Ted Thies. Roll Call Vote: 6 Yes 0 No. Motion approved.

CITIZENS: None.

MAYOR: None.

LEGAL: 1ST READING (Read by Law Director Hobbs): ORDINANCE AMENDING PART ONE – ADMINISTRATIVE CODE SECTION 151.03(E) CONCERNING PAID HOSPITALIZATION INSURANCE.

MUNICIPAL MANAGER: Manager Sewert shared a letter from the Ohio Department of Commerce, Division of Liquor Control, regarding Objections to Renewal of a Retail Liquor Permit.

Manager Sewert stated that the Preble County Prosecuting Attorney has sent a two-year renewal agreement for prosecution of misdemeanor criminal offenses. The terms and compensation are the same as the previous two years.

Motion to approve the renewal of the contract with the Preble County Prosecutor for Prosecution of Misdemeanor Criminal Offenses Occurring within the Village of Lewisburg. First by Ted Thies. Second by Greg Stubblefield. Roll Call Vote: 6 Yes 0 No. Motion approved.

After discussion about cars parking on the grass at the park. Motion to put posts with no parking signs every 25 feet, looping plastic/metal chains between the posts, at the discretion of the Municipal Manager, on both sides of the road at the park. First by Ted Thies. Second by Barb Foster. Roll Call Vote: 6 Yes 0 No. Motion approved.

Manager Sewert shared updates on information from recent presentations/webinars on property taxes, the North WWTP EPA permit/inspection this year, meeting with ODOT regarding repairs needed to 503, and meeting with Rumpke.

SAFETY: Chief Sewert shared that they would be hosting an Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday the 4th at 10:00 a.m., at the park.

POLICE: Chief Parker shared the monthly Police Department call log and gave an update on the new police vehicle.

LIBRARY: Barb Foster shared about recent and upcoming events at the Library.

PARK: Ted Thies gave updates on the playground equipment, pickleball league, and projects for TCN PAWS Day. Ted gave a reminder about the Special Council Meeting with the Park Board on April 20, 2026, at 6:00 P.M., at the Community Center.

OLD BUSINESS: None.

NEW BUSINESS: None.

MISC. BUSINESS: None.

Motion to adjourn. First by Ted Thies. Second by Marla Colville-Brown. Roll Call Vote: 6 Yes 0 No. Motion approved. Meeting was adjourned at 7:53 P.M.

DATE _____ MAYOR _____

CLERK OF COUNCIL _____