

PRESENT: Mayor Norm Youmans, Deputy Mayor Laureen Tackman, Trustees Joe Domachowske and John Hinds, Elwood Engelbrekt. Absent: Trustee Hamacher

Meeting opened by Mayor Youmans at 6:30 pm with the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Mayor stated that the assessments stayed the same this year as well as the water and sewer. There was a 1% increase from the Town of Vienna for the Fire Department Contract. All the sales tax and utilities taxes also remained about the same this year. The Mayor proposed splitting the salaries in thirds for each fund.

The Mayor also stated the that the village would be moving ahead with the water project on our own and will be contacting the village attorney to move ahead and start getting RFP's.

The Clerk stated she would call Fire Chief Avery regarding the Fire Departments Budget.

The Mayor addressed the issue that the DPW Garage was in serious need of some work and proposed a \$27,000 renovation to be split equally between the three funds.

The board also discussed what do now that the \$60,000 a year sewer bond has been paid off. The Mayor stated the village could give some money back to taxpayers, or wait a year and utilize the funds to update the infrastructure of the sewer system. The plant is 20 years old and several things need to be done to keep it running efficiently. The vent fan does not work and will need repair.

The board scheduled another work meeting for Tuesday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>, at 6:30pm.

Meeting ended at 9:00pm.