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IMPORTANT DATES

DATE	EVENT	TIME (LOCATION)
MON, SEPT 5	Labor Day	
MON, SEPT 12	Coffee Pot Talk	10am (Village Hall)
TUES, SEPT 20	Timberlake Council Meeting	7:30pm (Village Hall)
THURS, SEPT 22	Fall Equinox (1st day of Autumn)	
THURS, SEPT 29	Deadline for Times Articles	

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

COFFEE POT TALK

Our next Coffee Pot Talk will be Monday, **September 12** at **10 am** at the Village Hall.

Would you like to have a better understanding of digital photography? Topics will include: how to choose which camera and lens to use and software to process your photos. Come and listen to the discussion by John Roskos of jprphotos on preserving memories with digital photography and general photo interests. If you would like, bring along your own camera and its respective manual!!

Come and join your neighbors for FREE coffee and donuts provided by the Village Club.

Future coffee pot topics:

- **Oct. 10:** Forming a Block Watch in the Village
- **Nov. 14:** Alzheimer's Disease and memory loss
- **Dec. 12:** Sharing Christmas memories

Questions? Please contact Ron Mona – P: (440) 942-2887.

FRIENDLY REMINDER

Due to the holiday, garbage pickup will be delayed one day the week of Labor Day.

- Pick-up will be on **Saturday, 9/10/16**. Please do not place bins out until 5pm the day before.

REMAINING RECYCLING COLLECTION DATES

2016 recycling pickups:

9/2, 9/16, 9/30, 10/14, 10/28, 11/11, 11/26 (Saturday), 12/9, and 12/23.

DID YOU KNOW?

“This year, the autumnal equinox falls on September 22, 2016 at 10:21 A.M. EDT. This equinox occurs when the Sun appears to cross the celestial equator from north to south. The word *equinox* means “equal night”; night and day are about the same length of time. This occurs two times each year: Vernal in late March and Autumnal in late September. From here on out, the temperatures begin to drop and the days start to get shorter than the nights (i.e., hours of daylight decline).”

- Information from *The Old Farmer's Almanac* (almanac.com/content/first-day-seasons-2016)

A NOTE FROM OUR POLICE CHIEF

The Timberlake Police Department has received several complaints regarding cats in the village. These complaints have come from cat owners who are worried about other residents attempting to shoot or poison their companion animals when they allow their pets out of the house.

I want to remind everyone that any attempt to poison or shoot a cat, owned or stray, is illegal. The Timberlake Police department will investigate these complaints as violations of these laws can be anywhere from a Misdemeanor of the 4th degree, up to a Felony depending on the circumstances. The applicable laws are Village Ordinance 618.03 Killing or Injuring Animals, 618.04 Poisoning Animals, 618.05 Cruelty to Companion Animals, and 678.10 Pointing and Discharging Firearms and Other Weapons. A complete text of these ordinances can be found on the American Legal sebsite under Timberlake Codified Ordinances (amlegal.com/codes/client/timberlake_oh).

I understand for pet owners, their animals' safety and well-being is of great concern to them. When the owners allow their cats to leave their property, other residents may consider this a nuisance. The laws against animals at large don't apply to cats, but residents do have rights to keep their properties free from stray or wandering companion animals.

I found some good resources for residents to look into for information regarding how they can lawfully, and humanely, deal with unwanted cats on their property. The first is an organization in Willowick called Willowick Community Cats and their website is: willowickcats.wixsite.com/willowickcats. The second is a group called Alley Cat Allies and their website is alleycat.org. Lastly, a warning to cat owners, there are several companies that will trap and humanly euthanize stray cats. When you allow your pets to roam the neighborhood, you are taking the risk of a resident lawfully trapping your companion animal.

- Chief Geoff Esser

TIMBERLAKE DIRECTORY

A big thank you to Boy Scout Troop 481 and Dave Cattani for distributing the 2016 Timberlake Directory to each house in the village. If by chance you did not get one, call Ron Mona at (440) 942-2887 to arrange a time to pick one up.

DIRECTORY ADDITIONS & CORRECTIONS:

<i>Name</i>	<i>Address</i>	<i>Phone Number</i>
Heather Hoffman	7 East Shore Blvd.	216-905-8107
Jerelyn Snider	17 East Shore Blvd.	440-840-9665
Rev. Ryan & Emily Chaloux	83 East Shore Blvd.	(R)440-637-7825 (E)440-749-9146
Shandra Odell	91 East Shore Blvd.	440-724-2098
Nancy Marra	39 Minnewawa	216-218-1270
Martha Mast (deceased)	22 Owaissa	
Alice Martincic	11 Nepahwin	440-953-1382
Margaret & Steve Pirosko	8 Nepahwin	440-951-2618
Vince Cronin	69 Keewaydin	440-336-5760
Tammy Nicholson	87 Keewaydin	440-622-4346
Keith & Lauren Cohen	4 Keewaydin	440-525-5418
David & Gina Martin	16 Keewaydin	440-567-1219
Jim & Donna Whitlow	17 Shawondassee	508-735-6988
Stanley & Dolores Fabec	17 Shawondassee	440-585-1966
Jeff & Deb Geiling	4 Shawondassee	N/A
Brett Wassum & Elaine Marin	34821 Lake Shore Blvd.	N/A
Daniel & Emily Kiefer	2 Nepahwin	N/A

Any additional corrections can be emailed to TLVC47@yahoo.com. They will be published in the *Timberlake Times*.

THE VILLAGE OF TIMBERLAKE: AUGUST MEETING MINUTES

John P. Roskos, Mayor

John H. Roskos, Fiscal Officer

MEMBERS OF COUNCIL

Linda Murphy

Anthony Swartz

Mike Stanton

Dennis Dicki

Ritu Sharma

Shannon Parihar

TIMBERLAKE COUNCIL MEETING

August 16th, 2016

Mayor Roskos opened the meeting with the pledge of allegiance followed by the public portion at 7:31 PM. Mayor Roskos asked for roll call of the officers. All council members were present along with our Solicitor and the Fiscal Officer.

The Mayor asked for a motion to approve July 12th, 2016 Council Minutes. A revision was requested to correct Mr. Allen Peterson's name on the Minutes.

Motion to approve with revisions: Stanton

Seconded as amended: Dicki

Ayes: Stanton, Murphy, Dicki, Parihar, Sharma, Swartz

Nays: None

Motion carried; Minutes approved.

The Mayor will not be here for the next meeting and Mr. Stanton will be in charge.

VILLAGE HALL

Ms. Murphy reported that the restroom has been fixed. The Mayor said the left stove would still not light, but Mr. Stanton was able to light it at the picnic.

FINANCE

Mr. Dicki presented Resolution 2016-43, approving and directing payment of certain bills by the Village.

Motion to approve Resolution 2016-43: Dicki

Seconded: Stanton

All were in favor of the Resolution; Motion approved.

Mr. Dicki presented Ordinance 2016-14, authorizing the transfer of funds from the A01 storm sewer construction fund appropriation to the A01 Village Hall/Park wages fund appropriation.

Motion to suspend third reading rule: Dicki

Seconded: Sharma

All were in favor of suspending the third reading rule.

Motion to approve Ordinance 2016-14: Dicki

Seconded: Sharma

All were in favor; Motion approved.

Mr. Dicki presented Ordinance 2016-15, authorizing the transfer of funds from the A01 storm sewer construction fund appropriation to the A01 Tree Service wages fund appropriation. The reason these ordinances were presented, per the Mayor, is due to these funds being under budgeted.

Motion to suspend third reading rule: Dicki

Seconded: Stanton

All were in favor of suspending the third reading rule.

Motion to approve Ordinance 2016-15: Dicki

Second: Parihar

All were in favor; Motion approved.

Mr. Dicki presented Ordinance 2016-16, amending Chapter 880 of the codified ordinances of the Village of Timberlake regarding municipal income tax. The state mandated we pass an ordinance changing the way we tax residents. The Fiscal Officer elaborated that the state was concerned that the Village will overuse their power to tax residents; this change will ensure that this does not happen by changing the language.

Motion to suspend third reading rule: Dicki

Seconded: Murphy

All were in favor of suspending the third reading rule.

Motion to approve Ordinance 2016-16: Dicki

Second: Parihar

All were in favor; Motion approved.

Mr. Dicki presented a resolution in caption to pay for the road rejuvenation. He wanted to have a discussion with Peter Formica in regards to this. The Mayor elaborated that this conversation is for the asphalt seal. Mr. Formica informed the residents that the asphalt sealant serves as an oil for the asphalt or “skin lotion for the asphalt”. It makes the asphalt stronger and is recommended to do every 5 or 10 years to keep the life of the asphalt supple. It is fine to drive on the asphalt directly after; however, for motorcyclists, the road will be a bit slippery, so please be wary. Two contractors gave quotes in regards to this: one was \$43,152 while the other from Pavement Technologies Inc. was for \$39,440.

Mr. Formica stated that Pavement Technologies is generally a low bidder because they distribute the product and are able to get a better deal for the Village as compared to the other bidder who was more expensive. Mr. Formica recommended Pavement Technologies Inc. as they are a low bidder and he has worked with them in the past. Crack sealant is not recommended at this time.

Mr. Dicki presented Resolution 2016-44, in caption, to authorize the Mayor to enter into a contract with Pavement Technologies, Inc. not to exceed the cost of \$39,440.

Motion to approve Resolution 2016-44: Dicki

Seconded: Murphy

All were in favor of the Resolution; Motion approved

TREES AND RECREATION

Dr. Sharma thanked Elsie Cornachio for her work with the Tree Committee and informed residents of her resignation as she is moving from Timberlake. So far, we have about \$4100 for the trees. Imperial is booked through October while Pro Tree is booked through September. Orion will submit a price in the upcoming weeks.

Dr. Sharma discussed a resolution in caption to maximize the budget for trees to \$5000 per year. Per Mayor, we will wait in regards to this. For the Bocce Ball court, the price should not exceed \$1300. Dr. Sharma has also asked the Service Department to pick branches weekly to minimize costs. A child also cracked the slide at the playground with a bike, which the police are currently investigating. An appointment was recommended by the Mayor for Jane Shaeyco to be fill the rest of Elsie’s term.

Dr. Sharma presented Resolution 2016-45, confirming the appointment of Jane Shaeyco to fill the vacant position of tree commission until December 31st, 2016.

Motion to approve Resolution 2016-45: Sharma

Seconded: Murphy

All were in favor of the Resolution; Motion approved

Mr. Stanton recommended letting the tree companies know we are requesting a day rate, as it is cheaper than price per tree.

SAFETY

Mr. Stanton informed residents that there are currently three officers still in training while the rest are on the schedule. Mr. Stanton said the Village is being aggressive in order to get new graduates to work within our community. Currently, three companies have given bids for doing lines outside the Village Hall for parking, which is currently being reviewed. He has also looked into buying the equipment and having the Service Department complete the job. He also looks forward to going to Kirtland and seeing how they are integrating with the county, in order to better the interface used by the Police Department. Overtime has decreased significantly and per Officer Clarich, there is zero scheduled overtime this month and next month.

Officer Clarich presented the police report, which included 60 reports, 44 traffic citations, 4 written warnings, 72 house checks, 85 park checks, and 62 beach checks.

Mr. Stanton presented Resolution 2016-46, confirming the appointment on a temporary basis of David Clarich to the position of acting corporal in the Village. This resolution clarifies a clerical oversight that should have been reviewed when Mr. Clarich was appointed to his position.

Motion to approve Resolution 2016-46: Stanton

Seconded: Parihar

All were in favor of the Resolution; Motion approved

Mr. Stanton presented Resolution 2016-47, confirming the appointment on a probationary basis of David Clarich to the position of corporal in the Village.

Motion to approve Resolution 2016-47: Stanton

Seconded: Parihar

All were in favor of the Resolution; Motion approved

The Mayor swore Officer Clarich in, congratulating him on his hard-work.

SEWERS

Ms. Parihar informed residents that one house had a basement that was flooded. Ciro's came in last week and gave a \$22,190 bid to take care of six different projects, including sanitary sewer repair at the service garage, jetting and televising catch basins in the village, cleaning 159 catch basins in the Village and vacuuming each dry, excavating down and removing the frame of catch basins and yard drains in the Village, and sewer jetting and flushing the storm mains for the Village. The Mayor elaborated on these projects for the residents. Ms. Parihar also attended the Green Infrastructure Meeting in Painesville where they discussed storm water management, urban forestry, and bio retention. She will be discussing the urban forestry information with Dr. Sharma. She has also brought literature for the Village.

Ms. Parihar presented Resolution 2016-48, in caption, so the Mayor can enter into a contract with Ciro's Sewer Cleaning for an amount not exceeding \$22,190 for six different projects around the Village.

Motion to approve Resolution 2016-48: Parihar

Seconded: Stanton

All were in favor of the Resolution; Motion approved

SERVICE

Mr. Swartz did get a new plow for the winter and the Service Department has worked hard to clean the Village this month.

Mr. Swartz presented Resolution 2016-49, in caption, to enter into a contract with Morton Salt for \$51.97/per ton of salt for 120 tons.

Motion to approve Resolution 2016-49: Swartz

Seconded: Stanton

All were in favor of the Resolution; Motion approved

Mr. Stanton elaborated that as our salt shed can only hold a certain amount of salt at a time, the Village had to take a quote that was \$2 more than another quote which was for acquiring a greater amount of salt. The Mayor and Mr. Stanton asked Mr. Formica to look into quotes for creating a bigger salt shed so we can hold more salt for less money.

The Mayor asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:23 PM.

Motion to adjourn: Dicki

Seconded: Parihar

All were in favor.

John P. Roskos, Fiscal Officer

John H. Roskos, Mayor

The complete text of each ordinance or resolution can be obtained from the Fiscal Officer or viewed at the Village Hall.