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MINUTES OF A MEETING

PARKS, PLAYGROUND & COMMUNITY SERVICES

The Parks, Playground & Community Services Committee meeting of the Village of Brooklyn Heights, Ohio was held on February 20, 2024 at 6:30 p.m. with Councilwoman Jennifer Presot presiding.

Present at roll call:

Council Members:

Lasky, Presot, Schuckert, Tommer, Walsh

Mayor:

Clerk/Treasurer:

Frank

Law Director: Engineer: Police Chief: Fire Chief:

Assistant Fire Chief:

Service Director:

Blados

Building Commissioner: Assistant Building Official:

Comm. Service Director:

Guilfoyle

Recreation Director: Soccer Commissioner:

The purpose of the Parks, Playground & Community Services Committee meeting was to discuss Senior Lawn Mowing, Snow Removal and Community Services CDL Drivers.

COMMUNITY SERVICES CDL DRIVERS

<u>MOTION</u>: Presot moved to go into Executive Session to discuss Community Services CDL Drivers. Seconded by Walsh. Motion carried 5-0.

RETURN FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION

SENIOR SNOW REMOVAL

Ms. Guilfoyle said they have had Pat Monteleone for Senior Snow Removal for years and he does a very nice job. He is willing to enter a 5-year contract with the Village with a 5% cost increase each year except for two age tiers.

Mr. Walsh had to recues himself due to him utilizing the program.

Mr. Frank said this cost is reasonable due to the diminishing amount of workers, including vendors for snow removal. After some discussion, Council asked her to go back to Mr. Monteleone and see if he would agree to a 5% increase each year for all age tiers.

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Ms. Guilfoyle is getting ready to start sign-up for Senior Lawn Cutting and the cost last two years was \$200. She asked Council if they would like to keep the cost the same.

Mr. Walsh had to recuse himself, he will be signing up for Senior Lawn Cutting.

There was some concerns about the possible upcoming tax increase and how this is going to affect them. Mr. Frank stated the Service Department does an excellent job on the lawns. Ms. Guilfoyle agreed they are getting the best service they have ever had and she gets very minimal complaints. After some discussion, Council agreed to keep the cost at \$200 a year for the Senior Lawn Cutting Program.

There were no further questions and the meeting was adjourned.

Jennifer Presot/

Parks, Playgrounds & Community Services Committee Chairperson