

Village of Clinton
Council Minutes
December 4, 2023

The meeting opened at 7:04 pm.

Members present were President Doris Kemner, Joe Orban, Bonnie Peters, Greg Michalak, Bill Sherman and David Clark. President Pro-Tem Larry Sines was absent.

Motion by Michalak seconded by Peters to approve the regular Council minutes dated November 6, 2023, the closed session minutes dated November 6, 2023, the regular Council minutes dated November 20, 2023, and the closed session minutes dated November 20, 2023. Motion carried unanimously.

Ms. Molly Luempert-Coy, from DTE, presented plans to improve reliability on their system which affects our customers in the Village. Plans include tree trimming, pole top maintenance and equipment upgrades.

Motion by Peters seconded by Sherman to approve the checks written for period ending November 30, 2023. Motion carried unanimously.

Village Manager provided an overview on the draft 2024-25 Budget.

Council was supportive to post a position for a part time Wastewater Treatment Plant staff member.

Village Clerk provided an update on the DDA Marketing and Branding study.

Village Clerk provided an update on the Carriage Hills subdivision.

Motion by Sherman seconded by Clark to appoint Dustin Davis as the MSCPA Board of Directors Commission, with Kevin Cornish and Leslie Owens as alternates. Motion carried unanimously.

Village Manager provided an update on one of the police vehicles that is currently in the shop under warranty.

Council Member Peters thanked the DDA and everyone who came to Christmas in the Village.

President Kemner raved about Christmas in the Village due to the huge success and turnout, she thanked the volunteers who work so hard, and invited everyone to join the festivities next year.

Motion by Michalak seconded by Peters to receive and file the Council Information Package. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Peters seconded by Sherman to go into closed session, pursuant to the Open Meetings Act, to discuss energy and capacity. Motion carried unanimously with a roll call vote. Closed session started at 8:25 pm.

Motion by Orban and seconded by Peters to go into open session. Motion carried unanimously. Open session started at 8:48 pm.

Motion by Sherman seconded by Clark to go into closed session, pursuant to the Open Meetings Act, to discuss union contract negotiations. Motion carried unanimously with a roll call vote. Closed session started at 8:49 pm.

Motion by Orban and seconded by Michalak to go into open session. Motion carried unanimously. Open session started at 8:57 pm.

Motion by Michalak and seconded by Peters to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 8:59 pm.

Leslie Owens, Village Clerk

Date