

March 23, 2021
Village of Bellevue
Council Minutes

President M. Goodrich called the meeting of the Bellevue Village Council to order at 7:00 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America. This meeting was at Bellevue Village Hall.

Roll Call:

Present: M. Goodrich, R. Miller, K. Winright, D. Miller, H. Coy, D. Swartz and T. Davis.

Public Comment – John Rockford asked about the possibility of a R/C Track at Jefferson Park or Keehne Park (Williams St. side). The Council does not think that Jefferson Park would be a good option but would like N. Roberts or M. Pennington to call Eaton County and see if it is a possibility at Keehne Park since the Village leases the property to the county. John will call in about a week to see what we have found out.

Jim Mott stated that Bellevue Township was awarded a large amount of COVID money and some of it could possibly be the Village’s. He briefly talked about side by sides in Eaton County and said that it might be worth bringing up again once their meetings start back face to face so a council member or two can attend.

Committee Reports – H. Coy stated that the Ambulance service is on hold for now as they need to discuss it with other local ambulance services.

H. Coy moved to approve the Agenda for the Mar 23, 2021 council meeting, seconded by R. Miller. Motion carried.

D. Swartz moved to approve the minutes from the Mar 9, 2021 council meeting, seconded by H. Coy. Motion carried.

H. Coy moved that the Village pay the invoices for Mar 23, 2021, seconded by T. Davis. Motion carried.

General

* Bellevue Hardware	\$27.18
* Republic	\$1,179.05
* Aramark	\$29.12
* Consumers	\$1,285.48
Michigan State Police	\$33.00
Accident Fund	\$8,898.12
Standard	\$240.37
	\$11,692.32

Sewer

* Bellevue Hardware	\$126.96
* Granger	\$363.40
* Aramark	\$29.12
* Consumers	\$3,530.56
DR Lab Services	\$33.00
Galloup	\$183.13
USA Bluebook	\$307.01
Accident Fund	\$1,848.79
Standard	\$139.91
	\$6,561.88

Local

Water

* Aramark	\$29.12
* Consumers	\$129.88
Capital Asphalt	\$405.00
Accident Fund	\$809.43
Standard	\$27.37
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	\$1,400.80

* Bellevue Hardware	\$38.92
* Aramark	\$29.11
* Consumers	\$1,217.55
Michigan Rural Waters	\$300.00
Accident Fund	\$886.58
Standard	\$54.26
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	\$2,526.42

Major

* Aramark	\$29.12
* Consumers	\$161.47
Capital Asphalt	\$135.00
Accident Fund	\$809.43
Standard	\$24.65
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	\$1,159.67

Equipment

* Bellevue Hardware	\$92.40
* Aramark	\$29.11
* Consumers	\$72.12
Accident Fund	\$647.65
Standard	\$22.67
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	\$863.95

D. Swartz moved to approve hiring Night Magic to do our Fireworks show (including the shooter), the same show as last year and will be approximately \$4,600, seconded by H. Coy. Motion carried.

D. Swartz moved to move the DPW pole barn to Jefferson Park replacing the existing barn that is falling down, seconded by H. Coy. Motion did not pass.

K. Winright moved to hold on building the DPW pole barn until further notice, seconded by D. Miller. Motion passed.

H. Coy brought up the fact that Kalamo Township pays just over \$6,300 per year for the Fire Department and bills the residents \$500 per fire call, while everyone else pays \$32,000 per year. It was also brought up that if you live within the Village that you are paying for those fire department services twice because we pay Village taxes and Township taxes. They are discussing changing to something more like Kalamo Township as the Village on average also has the least number of calls.

R. Miller asked what was going to be done about D. Burkett possibly damaging M. Goodrich's Durango. M. Goodrich thinks that he should at least be written up for plowing his vehicle in and possibly damaging it and then if there is another incident that he be fired.

T. Davis moved to adjourn the meeting at 8:00 p.m., seconded by H. Coy. Motion carried.

Nicole Roberts – Village Manager

