

# Millersburg Town Council Meeting

## April 28, 2021

- We were talking about the Ford (blue squad car) and we would like to try to get it fixed. The Charger should be coming in soon.

### VI. Park

- Haley said Park Board met this week and were upset about Austin now mowing the park situation. Jim said he has talked to Matt about it. Park Board would like to propose Austin to do the following, check the trash for litter, empty the trash cans and the new nice ones we got last year, twice a month go around and take care of the weeds with a weed wacker or pulling them, check for damage on equipment once a week, take care of leaves, and help set up any equipment that needs to be. Jim said he will be doing some mowing and I will make sure Matt gets this list and I want a copy. --->Conession stand floor is done. ---> The white fence around the pavilion, Ben is going to redo that and level it out. Cook Station is a nice park, we jut need to pay attention to detail. ---> Football field will meet with Kenny Jones, they have building trades, and Blake Dorio is going to come out and stake out the field. Building trades will build a permanent equipment shed there if they want it or a trailor. I told them I'd rather see a permanent shed. --->New score board is up and operating. ----> The Town Facebook page got into a discussion about a dog park. Mr. Sidwell who lives on corner of Larimer and Maple Street started with the posting about a dog park. Then someone else got on the banwagon. Ben made a comment to talk to the council. Jim said at this time we aren't considering a dog park due to cost, so then it got progressively worse on the Facebook page. They were suppose to come to the meeting tonight and no one was here to speak about it. If everyone would just be courteous, then we'd be able to do more stuff like this.---> The Town faebook page is a way to let he public know what is going on. If you be-little a Town employee, elected official, or another resident we will delete your comment. Do you want Facebook to go away? Do you want them to be blocked? Jim said let's give it a little more time and see how people respond.

### VII. Clerk/Treasurer

- March Bank rec is complete and ready to be signed.
- Pay App number 10 is ready to be signed.
- May 12<sup>th</sup> no meeting due to MacKenzie being gone at training

### VIII Old Business

- Jim asked why is this R Yoder Pay App is so much higher than the past ones. Rick said this Friday it will be done. Then this is the 500 dollar per day Millersburg charges R Yoder for not being complete. We need to have a walk through Friday afternoon at 3:00pm. We won't pay 92,000 until the asphalt is complete. Retainage only comes after the building has been taken.
- Jim mentioned at 1:00pm tomorrow we will know if we got the CCMG.
- Rick said he and Matt got an e-mail from INDOT stating our 2019-2 submission from CCMG was not closed out. Rick contacted David Armstrong and explained the situation about Millersburg not getting it submitted on time last year and thought or assumed the submission was already closed out. Rick assured us we should be eligible for it this time around.

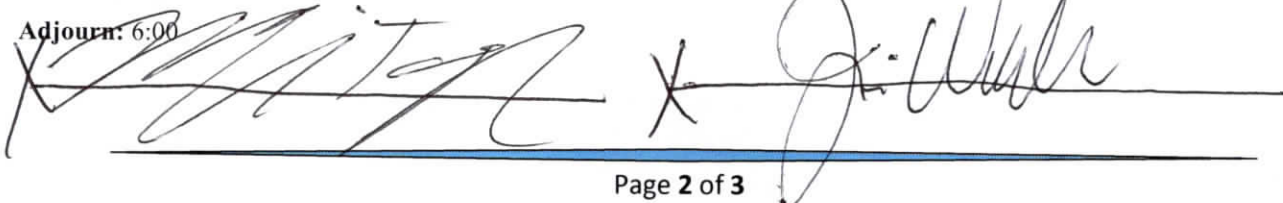
### IX. New Business

Haley said, I know this has been brought up several times that people aren't maintaining their property. What if there was an incentive program, best maintained yard, best landscaping. Ben said a Millersburg Committee he is on discussed it. We are going to get cheap yard signs and best or most improved 2021 and have people vote. The hope is that some people will get on board. The incentive signs and maybe a gift card to a resturant, menards. The council seemed to really like this idea.

Jim Winkler made a motion to pay bills. The motion was seconded by Dean Smith and upon a voice vote was approved unanimously.

Jim Winkler made a motion to adjourn. The motion was seconded by Dean Smith and upon a voice vote was approved unanimously.

Adjourn: 6:00



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The regular monthly meeting of the Millersburg Town Council held on Wednesday, April 28, 2021 at 5:00 PM at the Millersburg Town Hall.



**In Attendance were:**

James Winkler	Council Member	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Dean Smith	Council Member	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Austin Turner	Council Member	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Raymundo Rodriguez	Marshal	<input type="checkbox"/>
MacKenzie Taylor	Clerk/Treasurer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Ben Eldridge	Utility Superintendent	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Matt King	Maintenance Director	<input type="checkbox"/>
Haley Hurst	Park Board President	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

**Convene:** 5:00 PM – Jim Winkler called the meeting to order.

A motion was made by Jim Winkler to approve the minutes for Wednesday, April 14, 2021. The motion was seconded by Austin Turner and upon a voice vote was approved unanimously.

**I. Water Superintendent**

- Jim asked how is the water tower coming along? Ben replied, it's coming along, we have 42 more days without a tower. Monday we had issues getting pressure right with wells and VFD but we got it squared away. They have all of the interior welling done, there's a railing, a new air vent, and they mobilized equipment and will start blasting the inside of the tank.

**II. Waste Water Superintendent**

- IDEM wanted to do an inspection and they will do it sometime next week. Ben asked permission to hire summer help for \$15.00 a hour. All three council members approved.

**III. Community Development**

- The alley is almost done. Last night, Ben checked the wells and walked around Town. Ben had to stop and pick a handful of cigarette butts out of the alley.
- Then Ben meet with the art teacher from Fairfield high school. She will have her advance art students do little illustrations for the project in the windows and doors.
- Enhancing Millersburg bought bubble gum petunias and Kate will start planting those.

**IV. Maintenance Director**

- Matt is sick.
- Holes are being patched
- Speed bump is up in the park.
- There are still complaints coming in from resident's about the boring company and unfilled holes. Jim would like to put the boring company's number on Facebook for resident's to call and state their concerns to them, 313-784-0972

**V. Marshal**

- We met with Town Attorney about Doug Miller and he is doing a follow up. He is going to send out a letter to him and his mother. The letter will be emailed to Ray and then Ray will go and deliver it. There may be an issue of him being on disability. Jim said if nothing happens with this then we will talk with Craig, go back to our Ordinance, and try to get rid of his stuff.
- John Mckibbin was stopped by Ray for driving an ATV. Ray told him to not drive on the road. Next day John Mckibbin called and he wanted to talk to Al, but then told him Al was no longer here. John got irate.
- This afternoon we have interviews for reserves. We had two that came in. Robert will do a background investigation on them. We would like to swear them in on the 26<sup>th</sup> if you approve it. One is from Middlebury and one is from Goshen.