

**Village of Ubly  
Council Meeting  
September 5, 2024 @ 7:30 p.m.  
“Approved Meeting Minutes”**

The Village of Ubly Regular Council Meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m., September 5, 2024, at the Bingham/Village Government Center.

In attendance were President Jason Nicol, Trustees Brandon Zdrojewski, Steve Irvine, Sara Schmidt, Jeff Rubin, Jeff Maurer, DPW Supervisor Dave Franzel, Police Chief Dave Rothe, Treasurer Larry Gornowicz and Clerk Barb Butch. Trustee Tracey Foster was absent. 6 residents also attended.

**Agenda:** A motion was made by Jeff Maurer seconded by Steve Irvine to accept the agenda with additions. All in favor, motion carried.

**Public Comment on the Agenda:** None.

**Communications:** None.

**Clerk’s Report:** A motion was made by Sara Schmidt seconded by Jeff Rubin to approve the August 1, 2024, Regular Council Meeting Minutes. All in favor, motion carried.

A motion was made by Sara Schmidt seconded by Brandon Zdrojewski to pay the September bills. All in favor, motion carried.

**Treasurer’s Report:** Treasurer’s Report was accepted pending audit.

**Police Report:** Presented to Council the estimate for repairing the Dodge Charger from Lenny’s Auto Repair for 1,386.64. New patrol car is done and will be picked up soon. The body cams are in and will be in use once they are programmed. Chief Rothe informed Council that officers now must do 40 hours of training per year. Lexipol is an online training center that will keep track of online classes attended. Cost per officer is \$99 plus a onetime set up fee of \$341. First year cost would be \$539, then every year after it would be \$198. The information was given to the Clerk to look it over and would like a decision at the October Council meeting.

**Public Works:** Clean up work was done after the wind storms that came through the area. Trees were trimmed. There were 4 water shut offs for the quarter with the next billing to go out the first of October.

**Unfinished Business:**

- a. A motion was made by Steve Irvine seconded by Jeff Maurer to approve the estimate from Lenny’s Auto Repair on the Dodge Charger. All in favor, motion carried.
- b. Discussion was held about the skateboard ramps and it was decided to leave them at this time in the park.
- c. Discussion was held concerning a couple of items that the village will be posting on an auction site. A previous employee claimed a couple items belonged to them. Council decided without proof that the items belong to this employee and the amount of time since they had worked for the Village that the items were the property of the Village. A motion was made Jeff Maurer seconded by Sara Schmidt to approve the listing on Albrecht’s Auction for the Sept. 25 auction the following items: 44 Lighted Christmas pole decorations, 5 picnic tables, 1050 feet rough sawn lumber, 50 feet of 6 ft. high vinyl fencing and posts, 3 point hydraulic cement mixer, 1 pallet of new 4 ft. high, white vinyl

fencing and posts, 6 ft. Ford 951 Special Brush hog, Ford L8000 Plow/Dump/Salt Truck and Chevy Tahoe. All in favor, motion carried.

**New Business:**

- a. Chief Rothe brought up that a resident was concerned with semi's going down Queen Street. After discussion Council asked Chief Rothe to look into this further with the Village Lawyer.

**Public Comment:**

Resident Cam Hill expressed concern about bigger trucks and semi's going through the Village at a high rate of speed. Chief Rothe will check into borrowing from the Sherriff's Dept. a radar detector.

There being no further business a motion was made by Jeff Maurer seconded by Sara Schmidt to adjourn the meeting at 8:16 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Barbara J. Butch, Clerk