Town of North Hills

Council meeting minutes

July 13th, 2023

The meeting was called to order by Fred Newberry at the 36th street Church of Christ building in Vienna. Present: Fred Newberry, Rachel Hensley, Cheney English, Don Stemple, and Regina Smith. Absent: Pat McDonnell.

**Minutes**

A motion to approve the June 22nd minutes was made by Rachel Hensley, seconded by Don Stemple, approved by council.

**Safety**

Cheney English gave a presentation on the top 10 water safety tips for families.

1. Never swim alone.
2. Supervise children.
3. Don’t play breath-holding games.
4. Always wear life vest
5. Don’t jump in water to save a friend. Use a retrieval system.
6. Enter the water feet first.
7. Stay away from pool drains.
8. Stay within designated swim areas.
9. Avoid using alcohol.
10. Learn CPR

**Recorder’s report**

The town received a $9,410.65 check from Union Williams.

The Street user fee invoices were sent out on July 10th.

Issued a $675 check to Suttle & Stalnaker for bookkeeping services.

Issued a $492 check to MOVRC for federal programs.

Issued a $289 check to the Interstate planning commission.

Brentwood heights has a hill slip. Fred will meet with Blackwell construction on Friday for corrective action.

The Tender Defenders Robotics team presented the town with a certificate of appreciation for the support they received.

**Building permits**

N/A

**Committee updates**

Playground – Regina received a recommendation from a resident to put a library box at the playground. Rachel mentioned that there is already a resident who has a library box that may consider donating the existing library box. Regina said that they are around $200 on Amazon.

Pool – A question was asked about the back-up pump being operational if the main goes out. Don will check the status.

There were some lighting problems that Josh repaired and others that need attention.

Pool memberships and swim lessons are down this year.

The tennis courts are being patched.

Don will be painting the pickle ball court lines. An additional pickle ball net has been purchased.

**Town business**

Tami McCase has resigned from council. We want to thank her for her service, and we look forward to the next chapter in her life. The council will be filling her position soon and those that are interested in this position should contact the council to express their interest. The council meets on the 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month at 7PM.

A motion was made by Cheney English to adjourn the meeting at 7:45, seconded by Regina Smith, approved by council. The next regular scheduled meeting will be at the 36th street Church of Christ building in Vienna, July 27th at 7PM.