

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS
Village of Malta Council

REGULAR SESSION

Held: May 18, 2023

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The Village of Malta Council convened in REGULAR session at 6:00 p.m. in the Malta Village Council Chambers. Mayor, Terry McGrath called the meeting to order with the following members and visitors present:

Council Member Leslie Robbins	Present
Council Member Joseph Williams	Present
Council Member Don Larrick	Present
Council Member Jamie White	Present
Council Member Homer Weekley	Present
Council Member Scott Moore	Present

Employees: Bill Smith (VA) and Kelly Wells (FO)

Visitor(s): Janice Keller (Morgan County Herald) and Becky Voytko (Resident)

Invocation: The Invocation was given by Jamie White.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor, Terry McGrath.

The minutes from the previous regular meeting were approved on a motion made by Leslie Robbins, seconded by Homer Weekley. Roll call vote, all yeas.

The bills were approved to be paid out of respective funds on a motion made by Don Larrick, seconded by Jamie White. Roll call vote, all yeas.

The Mayor opened the floor to the visiting public:

Becky Voytko:

* Following up on chickens within the Village limits.

COUNCIL MEETING ON HOLD AT 7:15 P.M. FOR CEMETERY MEETING.

* Amanda Lahmers, read the minutes and financial yearly report. Leslie made a motion to accept the minutes and financial report, seconded by Don Larrick. Roll call votes, all yeas.

* Leslie Robbin inquired about the flags for the cemetery.

Jamie White made a motion to adjourn the cemetery meeting, seconded by Joe Williams. Roll call votes, all yeas.

COUNCIL MEETING REOPENED MEETING AT 7:30

Fiscal Officer, Kelly Wells:

* Audit with the State is completed.

Bill Smith, Village Administrator gave the following report:

* Awarded a grant that he applied for back in December.

* The second pump that is being installed is almost complete.

* Patching potholes is still ongoing.

* Our summer help has started, one is currently working, another to start on Monday.

Terry McGrath. Mayor:

* Received an email from Michael Betz, notice to go in the Herald the May 25th and May 31, 2023.

* Received information from Javan Johnson, from Baldson's office on the well funding. They had received 55 applicants, and only 15 were excepted and Malta was one of them.

* Thanked the crew for getting all the docks put in.

Council Member, Leslie Robbins:

- * Hooked on fishing is Saturday.
- * Memorial Day Parade will start at Town Hall.
- * Asked to be excused from June 1st meeting. **Joe Williams made a motion to excuse Leslie from June 1st meeting, seconded by Homer Weekley. Roll call vote, all yeas.**

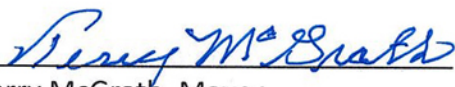
Council Member, Jamie White.:

- * Pothole on Front Street.
- * Thanked the crew and Homer for doing a great job putting the docks in.

Council Member, Joe Williams:

- * Habitat house at the end of Main Street, the address does not match the mailboxes. (It's a post office issue)
- * 2nd Street catch basin that plugs regularly, can there be a schedule for cleaning?
- * Front Street before 1st Street is washing away. (Government entities have been told not to do anything)
- * After utility rates changed back in January, the available funds in sewer has decreased. Terry and Jamie explained that recent loan payments made to OWDA and OPWC were the reason.

With no further business to bring before Council the meeting was adjourned on a motion made by Joe Williams and seconded by Homer Weekley. Roll call vote all yeas.


Terry McGrath, Mayor


Kelly Wells, Fiscal Officer