

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS
Village of Malta Council

REGULAR SESSION

Held: July 6, 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	Absent
Council Member Joseph Williams	Absent
Council Member Don Larrick	Present
Council Member Jamie White	Present
Council Member Homer Weekley	Present
Council Member Scott Moore	Present

Employees: Bill Smith (VA)

Visitor(s): Janice Keller (Morgan County Herald)

Invocation: The Invocation was given by Jamie White.

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

A motion to excuse Leslie Robbins and Joe Williams was made by Homer Weekley, seconded by Jamie White. Roll call vote, all yeas.

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

The Mayor's Report was read by Mayor, Terry McGrath and approved on a motion made by Jamie White, seconded by Homer Weekley. Roll call vote, all yeas.

ORDINANCE 23-13: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 07-05
THIS ORDINANCE WILL GOVERN THE KEEPING OF CHICKENS WITHIN THE VILLAGE LIMITS AND IS DESIGNED TO LIMIT NUISANCES AND PREVENT UNSANITARY OR UNSAFE CONDITIONS. THIS ORDINANCE ALSO PROHIBITS THE RAISING, KEEPING, MAINTAINING, OR HARBORING OF LIVESTOCK OR OTHER FOWL, EXCLUDING CHICKENS (LAYING HENS) WITHIN THE VILLAGE LIMITS **was presented to Council for the third reading. Jamie White made a motion to move to adopt Ordinance 23-13, seconded by Homer Weekley. Roll call vote, all yeas.**

Bill Smith, Village Administrator gave the following report:

- * Both pumps at the lift station are running – having issues with feminine products jamming the pumps, will need to work on finding a solution.
- * Kayak ramp project is complete – waiting for final recoupment of funds.
- * Curb painting is complete.
- * Grills at the park have been removed due to their conditions, more citizens are using the area and would like to have them replaced, looking into purchasing replacements.
- * Speed bumps, Bill has found bumps for \$79 each, will also require signs. Total cost for two speed bumps and two signs will be \$255.90.
- * Manly Park project is getting started.

Council Member, Homer Weekley:

- * Shout out to the crew, the village is looking good,

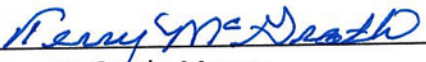
Council Member, Scott Moore:

- * Manly Park should be able to start construction work the week of July 24th.
- * Playground equipment for the park is \$700 cheaper than expected.
- * Still need to be thinking about cameras for the village.
- * Getting frustrated about the house on 4th street. (Mayor McGrath stated the resident has been given a two-week notice to vacate)

Council Member, Don Larrick:

- * Committee to investigate boat dock rental space, has had one meeting and will need to have at least one more once Leslie returns before we make recommendation.
- * Need to look at the "No Wake" ordinance, will also need to have required signs posted.

With no further business to bring before Council the meeting was adjourned on a motion made by Don Larrick. Roll call vote, all yeas.



Terry McGrath, Mayor



Kelly Wells, Fiscal Officer