RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS Village of Malta Council

REGULAR SESSION

Held: November 16, 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 Cody Bowen

Invocation: The Invocation was given by Scott Moore.

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

The minutes from the previous meeting were approved on a motion made by Joe Williams, seconded by Leslie Robbins. 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:

Cody Bowen: Interested in vacant Council seat.

ORDINANCE 23-24

AN ORDINANCE TO SECURE SERVICE FOR THE PURPOSE OF FIGHTING FIRES was presented to Council. Don Larrick made a motion to move **Ordinance 23-24** to the third and final reading, seconded by Joe Williams. Roll call vote, all yeas.

ORDINANCE 23-25

AN ORDINANCE TO RETAIN WARD COFFMAN TO SERVE AS VILLAGE SOLICITOR was presented to Council. Jamie White made a motion to suspend the rules requiring three (3) separate readings, seconded by Joe Williams. Roll call vote all yeas. Joe Williams made a motion to adopt Ordinance 23-25, seconded by Don Larrick. Roll call votes all yeas.

RESOLUTION 23-28

A RESOLUTION TO MAKE TEMPORARY APPROPRIATIONS FOR 2024 EXPENSES FOR THE VILLAGE OF MALTA was presented to Council. Joe Williams made a motion to adopt Resolution 23-28, seconded by Jamie White. Roll call vote, all yeas.

Bill Smith, Village Administrator gave the following report:

- * End of 2nd Street placing a dead-end sign and a new street light.
- * Golf cart One registration approved.
- * Presented golf cart signs to council for approval
- * Leaves have been picked up, will do another pick-up time next week.
- * Park benches for Manly park have been installed.
- * Our three generators have passed inspection.
- * Still working on potholes.
- * WTP budget has been completed.
- * Construction of new building will be put out for bid next week.
- * Did webinar with Terry. Possibly new money available for water project.

Terry McGrath. Mayor:

- * No word on when the street camera's will be here.
- * Christmas dinner at 7 p.m. on December 7th.

Council Member, Homer Weekley:

* Glad to hear we're moving forward on new building.

Council Member, Leslie Robbins:

* Christmas parade lines up at the Kiwanis park at 5:30 P.M., pulls out at 6 P.M... Key Club will pick up letters for Santa during parade.

Council Member, Scott Moore:

- * Need new safety belt for the children's swing at Manly park, the original one was stolen.
- * Speed bump would like to get opinion from VA.
- * Build shed beside the VFW?

With no further business to bring before Council the meeting was adjourned at 6:30 p.m. on a motion made by Jamie White. Roll call vote, all yeas.

Terry McGrath, Mayor

Kelly Wells, Fiscal Officer