

# Akron Town Council Meeting

## January 21, 2019

Present: Jim Saner, President; Rich Solano, Vice President; Brandon Slone, Member; Rebecca Hartzler, Clerk-Treasurer; Justin Gearhart, Marshal; Aaron Gearhart, Superintendent; Jake Gearhart, Asst. Superintendent; Andy Perkins, Attorney

Guest: Terry Swick

The council appointment meeting began at 5:45 p.m. Rich nominated Jim Saner as President, Brandon 2<sup>nd</sup>. 3 ayes. Brandon nominated Rich Solano as Vice-President. Jim 2<sup>nd</sup>. 3 ayes. Brandon made a motion to reappoint Aaron Gearhart as Town Superintendent. Rich 2<sup>nd</sup>. 3 ayes. Rich made a motion to reappoint Justin Gearhart as Town Marshal. Brandon 2<sup>nd</sup>. 3 ayes.  
Meeting adjourned at 5:48 pm.

Regular meeting began at 6:00 pm with the pledge of allegiance.

Brandon made a motion to approve the December 17, 2018 meeting minutes. Rich 2<sup>nd</sup>. 3 ayes.

Rebecca explained the renewal policy for United Healthcare after talking with Becky Whitaker. Jim made the motion to approve the healthcare renewal for UHC, Companion Life and Unum. Rich 2<sup>nd</sup>. 3 ayes.

Rich made a motion to designate the 2019 Town Garage Sale date as May 18, 2019. Brandon 2<sup>nd</sup>. 3 ayes.

Justin's Report: Incident reports were presented.

Aaron's Report: The 3 year water plant inspection was performed. IDEM found just minor offences, including getting the emergency plan implemented. D&D Electric will be installing the VFD motor on lift station #2. Dan Fox is working on a quote for solar powered battery flow meters. December 27<sup>th</sup> there was a water leak south on SR 19 near Sonoco and it was repaired. There is also a sewer back up on Maple St that looks like glue in the system. Aaron is setting up a meeting with Sonoco administration to discuss this issue. Andy suggested documenting with

pictures the time spent on lift stations and sewer lines, in relation to the glue issue. A quote was presented for a new mower from Greenmark for \$7970.9 after trade-in. Brandon made a motion to approve the Greenmark quote. Rich 2<sup>nd</sup>. 3 ayes. Jake's training has been going well.

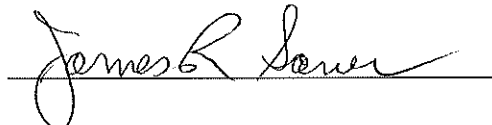
Rich made a motion to approve the Lutheran Rent Agreement pending minor changes and insuring adequate insurance coverage. Jim 2<sup>nd</sup>. 3 ayes

Jim made a motion to approve the outstanding warrants list for 2016. Rich 2<sup>nd</sup>. 3 ayes.

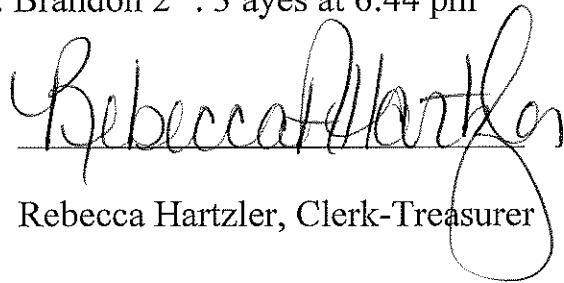
Rebecca informed the council about the meeting with WACD.

Rich made a motion to approve Dockets for \$168,298.78. Jim 2<sup>nd</sup>. 3 ayes.

Rich made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Brandon 2<sup>nd</sup>. 3 ayes at 6:44 pm



Jim Saner, President



Rebecca Hartzler, Clerk-Treasurer