

**VILLAGE OF JEFFERSON
COUNCIL MEETING**

August 19, 2024

Meeting called to order by Mayor Chiacchiero.

Pledge of Allegiance:

Moment of Silence:

Opening Prayer: Deacon Mike Gardner of St. Joseph Catholic Church

Roll call of Council Dreier, Febel, Martuccio, Roderick, Sekanina, Orvos

Corrections or Additions to the Agenda:

None

Minutes: Approval/Addition/Correction

Motion by Councilperson Febel to approve the Council Meeting Minutes of August 5, 2024.

2nd

Roll: All yea, motion carried

Motion by Councilperson Orvos to accept the Jefferson Emergency Rescue District Meeting Minutes of August 14, 2024

2nd

Roll: All yea, motion carried

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Visitor's Comments (five-minute limit per council rule #13)

Citizen Ken Fertig of 373 West Cedar Street the Village of planting the tree at the Court House in honoring him of his dedication to the Village.

Citizen Richard Row of 121 West Satin Street asked Council what was going on with the condemned house and all the part of vehicles in the back yard. Something must be done this has gone on to long.

Administrator Mackensen told everyone that there is an Ordinance that will be in place soon to help with the side yard parking. The Village is working on the situation.

Citizen Tina Fuller of 145 South Elm talked to the Council about the 250th Festival that will be held in Jefferson at Giddings Park July 4, 2025, celebrating the last 250 years. Fuller thanked the Council for having a Resolution supporting the Semiquincentennial.

Also present:

Stephanie Wessell of the Gazette, Deputy Chief Joe Schor, Patrolman Billy Dye, Devin Chiacchiero, Ken Fertig, Pat Bradek, John Perrotti, Judy Maloney, Tina Fuller, Emily Fuller, Mary Howe, Richard Rowe and Deacon Mike Gardner of St. Joseph Catholic Church.

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DEPARTMENTS

Administrator Mackensen

Village Administrator's report for the period ending August 14, 2024.

Projects update:

Project		Status	Vendor	Grant/Loan		Total Cost
ACTIVE PROJECTS	Project #					
WWTP Renovations	OPWC – R37	Submitted to DOD/EPA Resubmitting to OPWC – R37	CT Consulting	Engineering grant \$90,000		\$1,250,000
WWTP Clarifier Improvement	OPWC – R38	Starting Engineering 01/01/2024	CT Consulting	\$207,500 Grant \$50,000 Loan		\$515,000
Street Paving 2024		Awarded scheduling	CT Consulting			243,106
WWTP Clarifier Improvement	OPWC-R39	Submitted to DOD/EPA Resubmitting to OPWC – R39	CT Consulting			\$515,000

In the Village

Water Wars.

Reminder D B Bentley Excavating is scheduled to begin the drain line improvement from Elm Street to Chestnut Street on the north side of West Jefferson Street within the next week or two.

Street Dept. The Street Department is progressing eastward with the sidewalk replacement on West Jefferson and is expected to be out of the downtown area by next week.

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Recreation Department:

The new Giddings Park pickleball court flooring has been ordered and is expected to be delivered soon.

Wastewater Treatment Plant:

Matt Reuschling will be starting as soon as the background comes back.

Police:

Fire:

Other Items:

Address	Violation Type	Status	Comments

Administrator Mackensen told Council the WWTP East Gate Arc. Grant received three hundred thousand dollars for the Eq. Bason.

Administrator Mackensen told Council the paving on Chestnut Street is starting and the will be no parking along main street until the paving is done.

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Clerk /Treasurer Fisher

Payroll Report/Special Pay Report

Deputy Chief Schor

Deputy Chief Schor told Council that the Police Department is working on the parking situation along with open burning in the Village and junk cars. The Police Department is working with the Ordinance that is in place.

Chief Lachey

No Report

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Building and Lands

Committee Report: None

Forestry

Committee Report: None

Finance

Committee Report: None

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Recreation

Committee Report:

Registration for the Fall Karate and Dance classes are beginning at the Recreation Department

Safety

Committee Report:

Motion by Councilperson Orvos to approve the Deputy Chief Schor's Recommendation to send Patrolman Willian Dye to the Criminal Patrol/ Drug Interdiction Class August 27, 2024, thru August 28, 2024. The cost of the class is free, there will be lodging and meals.

2nd

Roll: All yea, motion carried

Utilities/Wastewater Treatment/ Service

Committee Report: No Report

Ordinance/Resolution to Read:

Ordinance No. 24-O- 3339

An Ordinance amending chapter 1034.06 of the code of Ordinances of the Village of Jefferson, Ohio pertaining to the adoption of new local limits as approved by the Ohio EPA.

Motion by Councilperson Orvos for the Third Reading of Ordinance No. 24-O- 3339

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Roll: All yea, motion carried

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Motion by Councilperson Orvos to Adopt Ordinance No. 24-O- 3339

2nd

Roll: All yea, motion carried

Ordinance/Resolution to Read:

Ordinance No. 24-O- 3340

An Ordinance amending Chapter 1034.99 of the code of Ordinances of the Village of Jefferson, Ohio pertaining to penalties and costs of litigation for violations of the prohibitions listed for the use of public sewers.

Motion by Councilperson Orvos for the Third Reading of Ordinance No. 24-O- 3340

2nd

Roll: All yea, motion carried

Motion by Councilperson Orvos to Adopt Ordinance No. 24-O- 3340

2nd

Roll: All yea, motion carried

Mayor

None

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OLD BUSINESS/NEW BUSINESS

Ordinance/Resolution to Read:

Resolution No. 24-R- 3342

A Resolution of the Village Of Jefferson, State of Ohio, Supporting The Ohio Commission for the United States Semi Quincentennial (America250-Oh)

Motion by Councilperson Febel for the First Reading of Resolution No. 24-R-3342

2nd

Roll: All yea, motion carried

Visitor's Comments (five-minute limit per council rule #13)

None

CORRESPONDENCE

None

MEETINGS

None

ADJOURN

Motion by Councilperson Martuccio to adjourn the Council Meeting.

2nd

Roll: All yea, motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 7:52 p.m.

Submitted by,

Patricia A Fisher, Clerk of Council