

Village of Beech Bottom

Council Meeting

July 2, 2025 7:00PM

Preliminaries:

Pledge to the flag followed with a prayer lead by Greg Sheperd.

Call to Order/Roll Call:

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Becky Uhly at 7:03PM.

Present: Mayor Becky Uhly, Don Hubbard, Bob Sadler, Sharon Jordan, Bruce Hunter, Vice-Mayor Greg Sheperd, Joyce Painter Recorder, Matt Chapman

Absent: None

Visitors: None

Minutes from the previous meeting:

Don Hubbard made a motion to accept the minutes as presented; no objections motion carried.

Correspondence:

Mayor Uhly presented the monthly newsletter from the state Ethics Committee

The village received a FOIA request from a resident for the LRA and Building Enforcement Agency meetings from existence until present.

The village received a thank you card from Brooke High School for the Bearcat Scholarship.

Riley Moore sent a Happy WV Day birthday card.

Mayors' Report: Attached

Bill review:

Bob Sadler reviewed the current bills and made a motion to pay those bills, no objection motion carried.

Greg Sheperd made a motion to pay the water bill and the PSD bill yearly instead of monthly, no objections motion carried.

Committee Reports:

Social:

Sharon Jordan reported to the council that Foam Friday had been moved to July 2, 2025 due to the extreme heat and that the Tree meeting had been cancelled also due to the heat.

Playgrounds:

Joyce Painter completed the survey for the Third Street playground grant.

Streetlights:

The streetlights that were reported last month have not been fixed; Sharon Jordan will send another email to the power company.

Streets:

Don Hubbard reported that the culvert at Highland and Old Mill Road needs dug out and he will get prices for the job.

Greg Sheperd Called Moundsville DOH and spoke with Brady Van Sest about the traffic light at the intersection of Third Street and River Road. Brady will contact Charleston, WV on the matter.

Unfinished Business:

Consider Water Line Extension: No report.

Consider Shelby Drive:

Currently waiting on the surveyor.

Consider Ordinance 8 Election Cycle Second Reading:

Greg Sheperd made a motion to accept the second reading of Ordinance 8 and to waive the third reading, no objections motion carried.

Consider Ordinance 35 Second Reading:

Greg Sheperd made a motion to accept the second reading of Ordinance 35 and to waive the third reading, no objections motion carried.

Consider Ordinance 7 Second Reading:

Bob Sadler made a motion to accept the second reading of Ordinance 7 and to waive the third reading, no objections carried.

New Business:

Consider BHJ dues:

Bob Sadler made a motion to pay the \$180.00 BHJ dues, no objections motion carried.

Consider Additional page for pictures on web page: Tabled

Sharon Jordan made a motion to purchase Paint Shop Pro for \$59.00 for the web page, no objections motion carried.

Consider Report from Building Enforcement Agency:

Greg Sheperd will follow up on court cases and will request a monthly report from the Police Clerk.

32-2nd Street will close after an inspection of the property.

Consider Solar Panel Update:

Greg Sheperd reported that a part came in today and once it is installed will allow the device to communicate with the solar panels.

Consider Memorial Plaque at Power Park:

The mayor will contact Bill Lilly and get suggestions.

Consider Memorial Graveside Marker:

The mayor will contact Bill Lilly and get suggestions.

Adjourn

Sharon Jordan made a motion to adjourn at 7:55PM, no objections motion carried.

Minutes presented by Joyce Painter Recorder_____

Approved by Mayor

Uhly_____