

**STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA, COUNTY OF MARSHALL, CITY OF CAMERON,
CITY COUNCIL, REGULAR SESSION, February 17, 2015**

The City Council of the City of Cameron met in Regular Session February 17, 2015 in council chambers of the Benedum Community Building. Mayor Julie Beresford called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m. The following council members were present: Jack Hart, Sr., Mary Leichter, Ron Walker and Tom Hart.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Led by Tom Hart.

Scheduled on Agenda:

- A) Ron Walker made a motion to approve the Amended Curfew Ordinance, Jack Hart, Sr. seconded.

FINANCE REPORT: Jack Hart, Sr. read the Finance Report – General Fund \$135,327.36, Water Fund – (\$2,066.42), and Sewer Fund - \$26,917.03. Total \$160,177.97.

POLICE REPORT: Chief Younger's report was presented to Council. Ron Walker commented that it was nice to see all activity on the Municipal Court Docket, Tom Hart agreed and Mayor Julie Beresford said she has noticed that people have been abiding by the speed limits.

VEHICLE MAINTENANCE: Terry Springer was present and stated that both red and white trucks are in good working conditions. Terry suggested getting engine warmers for their equipment, the severe cold weather they are unable to start and use them when they are needed. Terry stated he had spoken to Knight's Farm Supply and they had heaters for the radiator hoses for \$40.00 each. Ron Walker made a motion to purchase the warmers for the equipment and Tom Hart seconded, motion passed.

STREETS/ALLEYS/LIGHTING: Mayor Julie Beresford stated the streets, are looking good and the guys are doing a good job keeping up with salting and cindering. Also, that they worked on a major water break on Hillcrest, that in the spring there would need to be patching done on it.

WATER/SEWER: Terry Springer stated that the water and sewer plants are in good working condition. Terry still has not changed the UV lights, but as soon as he gets a warm day. Terry also said that in the spring there was a sewer line up Green Valley road that would need fixed properly, Moundsville came out and ran the Jetter in it to temporarily fix the issue.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: A motion to approve minutes from the January 30, 2015 meeting was made by Tom Hart, seconded by Jack Hart Sr. Motion carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: Bradley Bledsoe put a bid in for \$22.00 for 22 Encyclopedias. Ron Walker made a motion to sell the books to Bradley for \$22.00, seconded by Tom Hart. Motion passed

NEW BUSINESS: None

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

MAYOR'S COMMENTS: Mayor Julie Beresford advised Council that the meeting with Thrasher and Murray Energy was short and sweet. They are still trying to figure out which way would be the

best way, Mayor Julie Beresford once again advised Murray Energy that the Council wanted the Wells as their back up.

COUNCIL COMMUNITY ITEM REPORTS:

- a) Emergency Services/Publicity: None
- b) Community Clean-Up Issues: None

INDIVIDUAL COUNCIL ITEMS:

Tom Hart – None

Helen McMasters – Absent

Mary Leichter – None

Ron Walker – The fire department is for utilizing the sirens for the curfew, they was wanting to know if they would need repaired at some point if city would be willing to help compensate the repairs. Tom Hart is going to check with Larry about being able to not have the pagers go off when siren signals for curfew. Mayor Julie Beresford advised Ron that there was a gentleman on the roof to inspect everything up there and stated that the mount the siren was setting on is getting in bad shape and needs replaced.

Wayne Simmons – Absent

Jack Hart, Sr. – None

ADJOURNMENT: Ron Walker made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Tom Hart seconded. Motion carried.

Debbie Hall, City Clerk

Julie Beresford, Mayor