

**Regular meeting of the Trustees, Village of Lyndonville was held on Monday, December 3, 2018 at the Village Hall.
Meeting opened at 6:00 p.m.**

PRESENT:	Mayor:	John Belson
	Deputy Mayor:	Danny Woodward Jr.
	Trustees:	Andrew Cousins
		Mary Kage - Absent
		Darren Wilson
	Clerk-Treasurer	Teri Woodworth
	Supt. of Public Works	Terry M. Woodworth
	Code Enforcement Officer	Dan Wolfe - Absent
	Attorney	Katherine Bogan
	Fire Chief	Ben Bane
	Public:	Julie Caleb and Harold Perry Jr.

PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR

- Nothing

ON MOTION of Mayor Belson, seconded by Trustee Wilson, to open the public hearing for the Western Orleans Comprehensive Plan at 6:01pm.

- Attorney Bogan briefly discussed the updated Comprehensive Plan with the Board. No public was present for comment.

ON MOTION of Trustee Woodward Jr., seconded by Trustee Cousins, to close the public hearing for the Western Orleans Comprehensive Plan at 6:04pm.

RESOLUTION NO 2018-230

ADOPTION OF THE PROPOSED WESTERN ORLEANS COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

ON MOTION of Trustee Cousins, seconded by Trustee Woodward Jr. to adopt the proposed Western Orleans Comprehensive Plan.

Vote: 4 Ayes (Belson, Cousins, Wilson, Woodward Jr.); 0 Nays; 0 Abstain

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

ON MOTION of Trustee Wilson seconded by Trustee Woodward Jr., to accept the minutes of the November 5, 2018 regular meeting.

Vote: 4 Ayes (Belson, Cousins, Wilson, Woodward Jr.); 0 Nays; 0 Abstain

Report – Fire Chief Bane

- Report - 192 Calls for 2018; 11 Calls for November (7 - EMS Village, 1 - EMS Town, 1 - FAST Team Ridgeway, 1 - FAST Team Medina, 1 - MVA Village)
- Chief Bane mentioned the Fire Department Elections were this evening.
- Trustee Woodward Jr. thanked the Fire Department for their service for 2018.
- Removal of Elizabeth Pickle - Clerk-Treasurer Woodworth presented the Board with a letter from the Board of Directors of the Fire Department authorizing the removal of Elizabeth Pickle due to relocating outside of the district.

RESOLUTION NO 2018-231

REMOVAL OF FIRE DEPARTMENT MEMBER ELIZABETH PICKLE

ON MOTION of Trustee Woodward Jr., seconded by Trustee Wilson to authorize the removal of Fire Department member Elizabeth Pickle due to relocation outside of the district.

Vote: 4 Ayes (Belson, Cousins, Wilson, Woodward Jr.); 0 Nays; 0 Abstain

Report – Code Enforcement Wolfe

- No report was provided

Report – Attorney Bogan

- Attorney Bogan noted how well done and beautiful Christmas in Lyndonville was this year, thanks to all that make the event happen.
- Food Truck Regulations - Attorney Bogan asked if the Board was ready to move forward with scheduling a public hearing for the proposed Food Truck Regulations Local Law. Trustee Wilson mentioned he would like to have the Planning Board recommend a fee schedule with the understanding the fee's will be decided by the Village Board. The Board will hold off until 2019 before scheduling the public hearing to allow time for the Planning Board's recommendation of a fee.

Report – Clerk-Treasurer Woodworth

- Clerk-Treasurer Woodworth confirmed everyone received Officer Larkin's Police Report.
- Vouchers – Abstract A6-1 and A7 #13001-13049 to be paid

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General	\$	43,081.91
Water	\$	17,145.47
Sewer	\$	<u>9,607.37</u>
Grand Total	\$	69,834.75

RESOLUTION NO 2018-232

VOUCHERS TO BE PAID FOR ABSTRACT A6-1 AND ABSTRACT A7

ON MOTION of Trustee Wilson, seconded by Trustee Cousins to have Clerk-Treasurer Woodworth pay Abstract A6-1 and Abstracts A7# 13001 - 13049.

Vote: 4 Ayes (Belson, Cousins, Wilson, Woodward Jr.); 0 Nays; 0 Abstain

Report – Superintendent Woodworth

- Lead Action Level -Superintendent Woodworth explained the lead testing process and new required testing. Superintendent Woodworth asked that the following notice be place in the minutes:

Public Education Notice

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT LEAD IN YOUR DRINKING WATER

The Village of Lyndonville and Town of Yates District #4 Water Departments found elevated levels of lead in drinking water in some homes/buildings. Lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and children 6 years and younger. Please read this notice closely to see what you can do to reduce lead in your drinking water.

This notice is brought to you by the Village of Lyndonville and Town of Yates District #4 Water Systems
State Water System ID# Village of Lyndonville # 3600599, Town of Yates District #4 #3630017
Date: November 27, 2018

Health Effects of Lead

Lead can cause serious health problems if too much enters your body from drinking water or other sources. It can cause damage to the brain and kidneys, and can interfere with the production of red blood cells that carry oxygen to all parts of your body. The greatest risk of lead exposure is to infants, young children, and pregnant women. Scientists have linked the effects of lead on the brain with lowered IQ in children. Adults with kidney problems and high blood pressure can be affected by low levels of lead more than healthy adults. Lead is stored in the bones and it can be released later in life. During pregnancy, the child receives lead from the mother's bones, which may affect brain development.

Sources of Lead

Lead is a common metal found in the environment. Drinking water is one possible source of lead exposure. The primary source of lead exposure for most children is lead-based paint. Other sources of lead exposure include lead-contaminated dust or soil, and some plumbing materials. In addition, lead can be found in a number of consumer products, including certain types of pottery, pewter, brass fixtures, food, and cosmetics. Other sources include exposure in the work place (jobs that include house painting, plumbing, renovation, construction, auto repair, welding, electronics repair, jewelry or pottery repair) and exposure from certain hobbies (such as stained glass or pottery, fishing, making or shooting firearms and collecting lead or pewter figurines), as lead can be carried on clothing and shoes. Children's hands or their toys can come into contact with lead in paint, dust and soil. Therefore, washing children's hands and their toys will help reduce the potential for lead exposure from these sources.

Plumbing materials, including pipes, new brass faucets, fittings, and valves, including those advertised as "lead-free," may contribute lead to drinking water. The law currently allows pipes, fittings, and fixtures with up to 0.25 percent weighted average of lead to be identified as "lead-free."

The Village of Lyndonville /Town of Yates water system does not have any lead in its source water or water mains. **Neither the Village or Town have any lead service lines in their systems.** When water is in contact with pipes or plumbing that contains lead for several hours, the lead may enter drinking water. Homes built before 1986 are more likely to have plumbing containing lead. New homes may also have lead; even "lead-free" plumbing may contain some lead.

Steps You Can Take To Reduce Your Exposure To Lead In Your Water

1. **Run your water to flush out lead.** Run water for 15-30 seconds or until it becomes cold or reaches a steady temperature before using it for drinking or cooking, if it hasn't been used for several hours. This flushes lead-containing water from the pipes.
2. **Use cold water for cooking and preparing baby formula.** Do not cook with or drink water from the hot water tap; lead dissolves more easily into hot water. Do not use water from the hot water tap to make baby formula.
3. **Do not boil water to remove lead.** Boiling water will not reduce lead.
4. **Replace your plumbing fixtures if they are found to contain lead.** Plumbing materials including brass faucets, fittings, and valves, including those advertised as "lead-free," may contribute lead to drinking water. The law previously allowed end-use brass fixtures, such as faucets, with up to 8 percent lead to be labeled as "lead free." As of January 4, 2014, end-use brass fixtures, such as faucets, fittings and valves, must meet the new "lead-free" definition of having no more than 0.25 percent lead on a weighted average. Visit the National Sanitation Foundation website at: http://www.nsf.org/newsroom/pdf/Lead_free_certification_marks.pdf to learn more about lead-containing plumbing fixtures and how to identify lead-free certification marks on new fixtures.
5. **Use bottled water or use a water filter.** If your home is served by a lead service line, and/or if lead containing plumbing materials are found to be in your home, you may want to consider purchasing bottled water or a water filter. Read the package to be sure the filter is approved to reduce lead or contact NSF International at 800-NSF-8010 or visit <http://www.nsf.org/consumer-resources/what-is-nsf-certification/faucets-plumbing-certification/lead-older-homes>, for a consumer guide of approved water filters. Be sure to maintain and replace a filter device in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions to protect water quality. Any measure you take to reduce your exposure to lead should be continued until the lead source(s) has been minimized or eliminated.

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Should you test your water for lead?

If lead-containing plumbing materials are identified in your home, you may want to consider testing your water for lead to determine how much lead is in your drinking water. Call us at the Village of Lyndonville 585-765-9312 or 585-765-9385 or the Town of Yates at 585-765-9735 or 585-765-9716 to find out how to get your water tested for lead. New York State has a pilot program for free lead testing in drinking water. For information on participating in this program, click the link below:

https://www.health.ny.gov/environmental/water/drinking/lead/free_lead_testing_pilot_program.htm

Erie County Lab is certified to perform lead testing at the homeowner's expense. The Village of Lyndonville and the Town of Yates can assist with collection of the lead samples.

Should your child be tested for lead?

New York Public Health Law requires primary health care providers to screen each child for blood lead levels at one and two years of age as part of routine well-child care. In addition, at each routine well-child visit, or at least annually if a child has not had routine well-child visits, primary health care providers assess each child who is at least six-months of age, but under six years of age, for high lead exposure. Each child found to be at risk for high lead exposure is screened or referred for lead screening.

If your child has not had routine well-child visits (since the age of one year) and you are concerned about lead exposure to your child, contact your local health department or healthcare provider to find out how you can get your child tested for lead.

What Happened? What is Being Done?

The September sampling round for lead and copper found two of ten homes had results above the EPA Action Level for lead. The Action Level is 15 parts per billion (ppb) at the 90th percentile of samples. The Lyndonville/Yates 90th percentile was 15.6 ppb. 1 ppb is equivalent to one drop of water in an Olympic size swimming pool.

Most of the samples collected were well below the Action Level for lead, thereby demonstrating that the two positive samples were most likely the result of improper collection points within the certified/approved sample sites. One sample was collected from an outside hose bib and the other was collected from a laundry room sink.

A revised lead sampling plan is being submitted to the Department of Health which includes a reevaluation of our sample pool to capture all high-risk customers. Sampling frequency will be increased to 20 samples every 6 months until 12 months without an Action level Exceedance is achieved.

Lyndonville is performing a corrosion control study to identify possible treatments to better protect our high-risk customers. The results will be shared with the Department of Health and an optimal corrosion control treatment will be recommended and implemented if deemed necessary.

The Lyndonville/Yates water systems have absolutely no lead service lines. They are either copper or plastic.

Since the inception of the Lead and Copper Rule sampling in 1993 there have been no results above 15ppb at the 90th percentile. Lyndonville/Yates are confident that the next two rounds of testing will prove the September 2018 Action Level Exceedance was due to the collection of samples from improper taps.

For More Information

Call the Village of Lyndonville at 585-765-9312 or 585-765-9385, or the Town of Yates at 585-765-9735 or 585-765-9716. Or visit our Website at <http://villageoflyndonville.com> or <https://townofyates.org>. For more information on lead in drinking water, contact your local Orleans County Department of Health at 585-589-3278 or the New York State Department of Health directly by calling the toll-free number (within New York State) 1 800-458-1158, extension 27650, or out of state at (518) 402-7650, or by email at bpwsp@health.state.ny.us. For more information on reducing lead exposure around your home/building and the health effects of lead, visit EPA's Web site at www.epa.gov/lead, or call the National Lead Information Center at 1-800-424-LEAD.

- Superintendent Woodworth noted the new tractor is in, just waiting for delivery.
- Attorney Bogan inquired if the Village used liquid aluminum sulfite as there is a potential claim/refund for municipalities. Superintendent Woodworth asked if it was sulfate or sulfite. Attorney Bogan will forward the notice on to Superintendent Woodworth to advise.

Report – Trustee Kage

- Nothing - Absent

Report – Trustee Woodward Jr.

- Trustee Woodward Jr. noted the article on the Orleans Hub about Orleans County getting \$6 million for the radio system and that a new tower was going to be going in Lyndonville. Trustee Woodward Jr. inquired where that was going. The Board and Superintendent Woodworth noted they were in favor of the tower but have not been contacted with the location details just yet.
- Trustee Woodward Jr. noted he's working getting the Public Safety Committee together.
- Trustee Woodward Jr. thanked the DPW for their services in 2018.

Report – Trustee Cousins

- Trustee Cousins inquired how the interviews were going for the Public Maintenance Worker position. Superintendent Woodworth noted he will be interviewing when he returns from vacation.

Report – Trustee Wilson

- POD's - Trustee Wilson noted that during the November workshop it was mentioned to have the Planning Board look into regulations on POD's. Trustee Wilson noted he did some looking into, didn't see any POD's in the Village and there are no complaints. Trustee Wilson advised that no action be taken at this time. Attorney Bogan

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noted it would be best to have regulations in place and will provide some other municipalities regulations for review.

Report – Mayor Belson

- Mayor Belson thanked everyone who was involved to make Christmas in Lyndonville happen, it was a wonderful day for the community.
- Mayor Belson noted he has a meeting with Rick Hauser on December 7, 2018 at 3:00pm regarding the Main Street study.

OLD BUSINESS:

- Dam Flood Gates - Superintendent Woodworth presented the Board with MRB Group's recommended quote from CPE Service System Solutions for the 2 flood gates for the Dam repair project.

RESOLUTION NO 2018-233

AUTHORIZATION TO PURCHASE 2 FLOOD GATES FOR THE DAM REPAIR PROJECT

ON MOTION of Trustee Cousins, seconded by Trustee Woodward Jr. to accept the quote from CPE Service System Solutions for the purchase of 2 flood gates for the Dam repair project.

Vote: 4 Ayes (Belson, Cousins, Wilson, Woodward Jr.); 0 Nays; 0 Abstain

NEW BUSINESS:

- Nothing

Village Planning Board/Zoning Board:

- Trustee Wilson will ask the Planning Board to provide their recommendations on regulations of POD's in the Village.
- Mayor Belson noted we are in need of members for both the Planning Board and Zoning Board of Appeals if anyone knows anyone who'd be interested.
- Sixes and Sevens Spirits owner Julie Caleb and Bills Sub Shop & More owner Harold Perry Jr. express their concerns regarding Christmas in Lyndonville. The Christmas in Lyndonville Committee will address their concerns.

ON MOTION of Trustee Cousins, seconded by Trustee Woodward Jr., to adjourn the meeting at 6:31pm.

Vote: 4 Ayes (Belson, Cousins, Wilson, Woodward Jr.); 0 Nays; 0 Abstain

Teri M. Woodworth
Clerk-Treasurer