

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Minutes of VILLAGE OF CLEVES Public Hearing Held on December 12, 2018.

Mayor Myers called the Public Hearing to order at 6:45 P.M. Roll Call was taken. Mr. Demaree, Mr. Williams, Ms. Meister, Ms. Myers, Ms. Peter and Mr. Burns were present. Village Administrator Rahall was also present.

Village Administrator Mike Rahall explained that the Public Hearing was being held to discuss a proposed water rate increase. The Water Works rates are among the lowest in the state. Mr. Rahall discussed how there is a need for the increase in order to pay for infrastructure and increased loan payments from water improvements.

Water Superintendent Eric Winhusen stated that the Water Works rates are in the lowest 25th percentile of all water rates in the state. Mr. Winhusen explained that the average family using approximately 18,000 gallons of water per quarter would see an increase of \$8.55 per quarter. The last water rate increase was in 2015. Mr. Winhusen stated that the EPA considers the Cleves Water Works one of the best systems in the state.

There were no questions or concerns from the public.

**A Motion to Adjourn the Public Hearing at 6:53 P.M. was made by Ms. Myers; seconded by Mr. Williams.
ALL IN FAVOR.**



Mayor Stephen Myers



Kathy Volk, Clerk of Council