



**VILLAGE OF HEWITT
SPECIAL BOARD MEETING
6:00 PM – August 26, 2013
HEWITT VILLAGE HALL
Minutes**

1. The Special meeting of the Village of Hewitt Board was called to order at 6:00 PM by President Ken Eilers.
2. Present: Kris Hawley, Ken Eilers, Charlie Adamski, Dan Sova, Marlene Stueland
3. Absent: Kevin Nowack
4. Guests: Terry Mancl, Renee Treankler, Jamie Eilers, Connie Pretsch
5. OLD BUSINESS: None
6. NEW BUSINESS:
*Dog(s) Running at Large Incident – Animal Control Officer, Charlie Adamski, submitted a report for an incident on August 16, 2013 in which three dogs were running at large owned by Justin Krenn and Janel Auman residing at 10966 Main Street. A copy of the report will be attached as part of the official minutes.

Additional information presented at the meeting included:

First call came in at 12:42 PM – August 16, 2013 to Ken Eilers residence (call information was forwarded to Mr. Eilers at his office at 12:47 PM – August 16, 2013) stating three dogs were running at large inquiring what to do. Mr. Eilers provided guidance to contact Wood County Sheriff's Department and/or Wood County Humane Officer.

Ms. Pretsch indicated to the Board that she has submitted a report to the Wood County Human Officer regarding the incident as described in the report.

Mr. Adamski contacted the above said owner of the dog(s), Mr. Justin Krenn, who stated the dogs got out of the fenced in area at his residence when he took his lawn mower out between 11-11:30 AM. He asked Ms. Auman to go get the dogs when they ran out of their yard.

Mr. Adamski noted to board members he had left messages informing the owners of said dogs regarding this meeting.

Board members reviewed Mr. Adamski's report, fielded several questions to Ms. Pretsch regarding the incident as described and discussed the situation at great length with the following motions made:

A motion by Kris, second by Charlie to issue a fine for second offense (\$100 each dog) running at large for Powder and Red and a fine for first offense running at large for Scrappy \$25; roll call vote: Dan YES; Kris YES, Charlie YES; motion passed

A motion by Charlie, second by Kris to order Mr. Krenn and Ms. Auman to physically remove their dogs from the Village of Hewitt within 10 days of certified letter notification per Village of Hewitt Ordinance 18.01; roll call vote: Charlie YES, Dan YES, Kris YES; motion carried.

Additionally, it was noted 2013 licensure application had been received for the two dogs which are to be removed from the Village; the Board agreed that these dogs should not be issued a license.

A motion by Kris, second by Dan to adjourn at 6:50 PM carried.

Recorder: *Marlene Staeland, Village Clerk*