## **Ways & Means Committee Minutes**

Honorable Council City of Newark, Ohio June 11, 2013

The Ways and Means Committee met Monday, June 10, in Council Chambers following the Service Committee, with these members in attendance:

Carol Floyd, Chair

Doug Marmie

Bill Cost, Jr.

We wish to report:

 Resolution No. 13-58, allowing the City of Newark Tax Administrator to enter into a contract for the collection of income tax from the Village of Hartford and declaring and emergency considered.

**Barb Jobes**- explained several months ago representatives of the Village of Hartford approached them and asked if they would be willing to collect an income tax if they enacted a 1% income tax. We voiced our willingness to do so and it has been a three month process to get it passed through the village because their Council only meets once a month. It finally passed in May and the tax collection begins July 1<sup>st</sup> therefore in order to get the contract written and signed and begin collection for them on July 1<sup>st</sup> the emergency clause was included.

Mr. Houdeshell- asked if we get a fee for doing this

**Barb Jobes-** in the 2010 census they had 398 residents, 41 % of them were either under 18 or over 65. This would only equate to about 150-160 accounts. The contract is not written right now but it looks like the fee will be around 3% to cover the cost of collection.

**Mr. Guthrie-** asked Mrs. Jobes if that is the going rate when one public entity collects for public entity another.

**Barb Jobes**- said it depends on the size and the number of accounts, the 3% seemed reasonable to us considering it would only be 150 accounts and if there were any meetings necessary between the City and the Village she would be attending them which wouldn't cost the City any more money.

Motion by Mr. Marmie to send to full Council, seconded by Mr. Cost Motion passed by a 3-0 vote.

Carol Floyd, Chair