

## Minutes

### Riverton Village Board

The President and the Board of Trustees of the Village of Riverton held their regular board meeting on May 18, 2020 at the Riverton Village Hall, Riverton, IL.

The board meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm. Those answering roll call: Mayor Tom Rader. Trustees: Russ Patrick, Dave Charles, Ginger Payne, Joe Bartley, Jim Mileham, and Michelle Landess.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Trustee Bartley made a motion to approve May 4<sup>th</sup> regular board meeting minutes and pay the bills. It was seconded by Trustee Mileham. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Payne, Bartley, Mileham, and Landess voted yes.

#### People to Address the Board:

Kevin Kuhn, Village Engineer submitted a report of current projects in the village. He discussed the USDA Rural Development Loan, Riverton Road Water Line, Overpass Business Park (modifications coming in the next week and a half), Rebuild IL Funds (based on the MFT formula) and other Grant Opportunities.

#### Old Business:

none

#### New Business:

Superintendent Lyons submitted his report. Trustee Mileham made a motion to purchase pipe fitting tools for \$1689. Trustee Landess seconded. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Payne, Bartley, Mileham and Landess voted yes. Trustee Patrick made a motion to approve a quote for asphalt repairs from Furman's for \$12,557. Trustee Mileham seconded. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Payne, Bartley, Mileham, and Landess voted yes.

Chief of Police Lawley submitted his report.

Office Manager Patterson had nothing to report.

Treasurer Baker had nothing new to report.

#### Committee Reports:

Trustee Landess, chairperson of the Administrative Committee, wanted to remind residents that utility bills will need to be paid and encouraged residents to pay on them when possible.

Trustee Payne, chairperson of the Public Safety Committee, had nothing to report.

Trustee Mileham, chairperson of the Public Utility Committee, said 93 residences have not paid their utility bills this month. IMEA will be sending KN95 masks for Riverton employees.

Trustee Charles, chairperson of the Parks Committee, reported Wheeland Park would be open, with social distancing rules, starting May 22<sup>nd</sup> with every other site being available and no more than 10 people per camping site, however most are underwater at this time due to rain. Tennis courts and pickle ball courts

are open with social distancing guidelines. The basketball courts are still closed, but they are hoping to open them soon.

Trustee Patrick, chairperson of the Public Works Committee, had nothing to report.

Trustee Bartley, chairperson of the Economic Development Committee, had nothing to report.

Mayor Rader rescinded the Emergency Order as of May 18<sup>th</sup>. He spoke with Representative Butler and Riverton is one of the top two candidates to receive funding up to \$750,000 to work on village projects. Kevin Kuhn will be looking into appropriate projects.

Trustee Bartley made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:19 pm. Trustee Landess seconded. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Payne, Bartley, Mileham, and Landess voted yes.

\_\_\_\_\_ Mayor

\_\_\_\_\_ Date

\_\_\_\_\_ Clerk