

Minutes

Riverton Village Board

The President and the Board of Trustees of the Village of Riverton held their regular board meeting on December 19, 2022, at the Riverton Village Hall, Riverton, IL.

The board meeting was called to order at 7:03pm. Those answering roll call: Trustees: Russ Patrick, Dave Charles, Gina Rusciollelli, Joe Bartley, Jim Mileham, Michelle Landess, and Mayor Tom Rader.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Trustee Landess made a motion to approve payment to Truman Flatt for \$465,728.09 for 2022 Street Rehab. Trustee Patrick seconded. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Rusciollelli, Bartley, Mileham, and Landess voted yes.

Trustee Bartley made a motion to approve December 5th regular board meeting minutes and pay the bills. It was seconded by Trustee Mileham. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Rusciollelli, Bartley, Mileham, and Landess voted yes.

Mayor Rader administered the Oath of Office to Chief of Police Bob Crouch.

People to Address the Board:

Brenda Kelly addressed the board on behalf of the Library. The library is building a new reception desk and is requesting the village help with building a wall and running electric, all funds will be used from the Library. She will work with Duggins and Superintendent Lyons to work out logistics. She also stated that the Senior Luncheon is very well received in the community, and they are at capacity. They need more tables and chairs. The village will supply 6 more tables and 50 chairs.

Old Business:

Trustee Bartley announced winners of the Holiday Lights Contest. Large Display – 1st Place 1110 Dina Drive, 2nd Place 13 Spring, 3rd Place 1137 N 7th St. Small Display – 1st place 1003 E Washington, 2nd Place 508 E Jackson, 3rd Place 820 N 3rd St.

New Business:

Village Engineer Kuhn, reported that the projects are getting started.

Superintendent Lyons, submitted his report.

Chief Crouch, submitted his report. He thanked the Board and Mayor for giving him this opportunity.

Office Manager Patterson, had nothing to report.

Treasurer Baker, reported that budget worksheets would be coming next month and would be due by March 1st.

Committee Reports:

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

Trustee Rusciollelli, chairperson of the Public Safety Committee, congratulated Chief Crouch on his position. She also recognized Officer Yeaman for 18 years with the village.

Trustee Mileham, chairperson of the Public Utility Committee, made a motion to waive bids and approve \$25,616 to Hydrokenetics for a pump at the main lift station. Trustee Landess seconded. Trustees Patrick,

Charles, Rusciollelli, Bartley, Mileham, and Landess voted yes. Trustee Mileham made a motion to approve a new furnace for the water plant for \$3285. Trustee Patrick seconded. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Rusciollelli, Bartley, Mileham, and Landess voted yes. Trustee Mileham made a motion to approve a new furnace for the electric shop for \$3652. Trustee Rusciollelli seconded. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Rusciollelli, Bartley, Mileham, and Landess voted yes.

Trustee Charles, chairperson of the Parks Committee, had nothing to report.

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

Trustee Bartley, chairperson of the Economic Development Committee, reported the committee met and will continue to meet before every regular board meeting.

Mayor Rader, thanked Joe and Don for the cookies. He announced that Joe Bartley would be retiring from the Fire Department as Chief. He recognized him for his work with the Fire Department and cooperation with the Village.

Trustee Bartley made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:36 pm. Trustee Landess seconded. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Rusciollelli, Bartley, Mileham, and Landess voted yes.

_____ Mayor

_____ Date

_____ Clerk