

Minutes

Riverton Village Board

The President and the Board of Trustees of the Village of Riverton held their regular board meeting on February 6, 2023 at the Riverton Village Hall, Riverton, IL.

The board meeting was called to order at 7:02 pm. Those answering roll call: Trustees: Dave Charles, Gina Rusciollelli, Joe Bartley, Jim Mileham, Michelle Landess, and Mayor Tom Rader. Trustee Russ Patrick was not in attendance.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Trustee Bartley made a motion to approve January 17th board meeting minutes and pay the bills. It was seconded by Trustee Mileham. Trustees Charles, Rusciollelli, Bartley, Mileham, and Landess voted yes.

People to Address the Board:

Heather Dressel addressed the board on behalf of her classroom at Riverton Middle School. The classroom created a presentation on the pros and cons of changing the chicken ordinance. Mayor Rader said the board could review this in committee.

Pat Mileham addressed the board on behalf of the Friends of the Library. The passport event was a success with 116 passports processed, with multiple people waiting and being turned away due to capacity.

Old Business:

New Business:

Trustee Mileham made a motion to authorize the President to Execute the Utility Easement on the north side of the interstate. Trustee Landess seconded. Trustees Charles, Rusciollelli, Bartley, Mileham, and Landess voted yes.

Superintendent Lyons, submitted his report.

Chief Crouch, submitted his report.

Office Manager Patterson, reported that Mr. Rusciollelli inquired about the water extension. Mayor Rader said it was still being reviewed.

Treasurer Baker, reported that the tax levy had been approved and filed. She also reminded the Trustees that budget worksheets are due March 6th.

Committee Reports:

Trustee Patrick, chairperson of the Administrative Committee, was not in attendance. Trustee Mileham requested closed session.

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

Trustee Mileham, chairperson of the Public Utility Committee, had nothing to report.

Trustee Charles, chairperson of the Parks Committee, scheduled a committee meeting for February 15th for budget.

Trustee Landess, chairperson of the Public Works Committee, reported that they had met to discuss the budget and it had been submitted.

Trustee Bartley, chairperson of the Economic Development Committee, reported that the county Hazardous Mitigation Plan draft was complete and was open for public review. A public hearing will be held at the county building on February 27th. The sesquicentennial planning committee has been making progress and they have three days of activities planned. They have also been approved for a special event license plate with more details to come.

Mayor Rader, had nothing to report.

Trustee Bartley made a motion to enter Executive Session at 7:22 pm. Trustee Landess seconded. Trustees Charles, Rusciollelli, Bartley, Mileham, and Landess voted yes.

Trustee Bartley made a motion to re-enter Open Session at 7:50 pm. Trustee Rusciollelli seconded. Trustees Charles, Rusciollelli, Bartley, Mileham, and Landess voted yes.

Trustee Rusciollelli made a motion to approve Ordinance 23-01, An Intergovernmental Agreement to Provide Police Protection Services. Trustee Bartley seconded. Trustees Charles, Rusciollelli, Bartley, Mileham, and Landess voted yes.

Mayor Rader reported there would be a special board meeting on February 8 at 6pm for Personnel.

Trustee Landess made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:52pm. Trustee Rusciollelli seconded. Trustees Charles, Rusciollelli, Bartley, Mileham, and Landess voted yes.

_____ Mayor

_____ Date

_____ Clerk