#### Minutes

# Riverton Village Board

Village Treasurer Rita Baker opened a public hearing at 6:45 pm on Appropriation Ordinance for 20-21. The total amount is \$10,010,700. It closed at 6:51 with no public comments or questions.

The President and the Board of Trustees of the Village of Riverton held their regular board meeting on May 4, 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.

Mayor Rader stated that due to COVID-19, Sherman Chamber of Commerce will present a check to the Riverton Police Department at a June meeting.

Trustee Bartley made a motion to approve Ordinance #20-009 An Ordinance Making Appropriations of Sums of Money for all Corporate Purposes for the Village of Riverton, Illinois for the Fiscal Year Commencing on the 1st Day of May, 2020 and Ending on the 30th Day of April, 2021. Trustee Charles seconded. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Payne, Bartley, Mileham and Landess voted yes.

Trustee Mileham made a motion to approve Ordinance #20-010 An Ordinance Approving Franchise Agreement with Menard Electric. Trustee Landess seconded. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Payne, Bartley, Mileham and Landess voted yes.

Trustee Bartley made a motion to approve April 20<sup>th</sup> regular board meeting minutes and pay the bills. It was seconded by Trustee Mileham. Trustees Charles, Payne, Bartley, Mileham, and Landess voted yes. Trustee Patrick abstained.

## People to Address the Board:

Lisa Robinson spoke regarding the speed limits in Riviera Subdivision. Chief Lawley will look into this further. She also requested that stop lines be painted at 3<sup>rd</sup> and Powell. Supt. Lyons will ensure they are painted when they paint crosswalks throughout the town, when weather is appropriate.

## Old Business:

none

#### New Business:

Trustee Payne made a motion for Approval of Extension of Declaration of Local State of Emergency through May 31<sup>st</sup>. Trustee Landess seconded. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Payne, Bartley, Mileham and Landess voted yes.

Trustee Landess made a motion to approve the appointment of Erin Brusky as Village Clerk. Trustee Patrick seconded. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Payne, Bartley, Mileham and Landess voted yes.

Trustee Patrick made a motion to approve Rita Baker as the Village Treasurer. Trustee Bartley seconded. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Payne, Bartley, Mileham and Landess voted yes.

Trustee Charles made a motion to keep appointments of Standing Committees of the Village Board the same. Trustee Landess seconded. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Payne, Bartley, Mileham and Landess voted yes.

Superintendent Lyons submitted his report. Trustee Charles inquired about signage at Veteran's Park for the handicapped parking spots. Supt. Lyons said they would put in blocks, signs and paint when the weather permits.

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, had nothing to report.

Trustee Payne, chairperson of the Public Safety Committee, requests closed session.

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

Trustee Charles, chairperson of the Parks Committee, reported that baseball/softball would only play if they were released to start June 1<sup>st</sup>.

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

Trustee Bartley, chairperson of the Economic Development Committee, reported that the truck stop project has building plans complete by May 15<sup>th</sup>. They are planning a zoning board meeting prior to the next board meeting.

Mayor Rader had nothing to report.

Trustee Bartley made a motion to move to Executive Session at 7:17 pm. Trustee Payne seconded. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Payne, Bartley, Mileham, and Landess voted yes.

Trustee Bartley made a motion to return to Open Session at 7:24 pm. Trustee Landess seconded. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Payne, Bartley, Mileham, and Landess voted yes.

Trustee Payne made a motion to hire Austin Cronister for a full time, probationary police officer effective May 5, 2020 with a start date of June 1, 2020 at \$18.99 per hour. Trustee Bartley seconded. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Payne, Bartley, Mileham, and Landess voted yes.

Trustee Bartley made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:25 pm. Trustee Landess seconded. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Payne, Bartley, Mileham, and Landess voted yes.

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