Minutes

Riverton Village Board

The President and the Board of Trustees of the Village of Riverton held their regular board meeting on December 21, 2020 at the Riverton Village Hall, Riverton, IL.

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

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Trustee Bartley made a motion to approve December 7th regular board meeting minutes and pay the bills. It was seconded by Trustee Mileham. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Rusciolelli, Bartley, Mileham and Landess voted yes.

People to Address the Board:

Tim Shane thanked the board for the Christmas cards for employees.

Old Business:

Trustee Mileham made a motion to approve Ordinance #20-023 An Ordinance Approving a Loan Agreement with Hickory Point Bank (Gap Loan). Trustee Landess seconded. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Rusciolelli, Bartley, Mileham and Landess voted yes.

New Business:

The winners of the Holiday Lights Contest were announced. Large displays – 1st place 1110 Dina Dr, 2nd place 408 Johnson Lane, 3rd place 1137 N 7th St, Small displays – 1st place 8 Brooke Lane, 2nd place 508 E Jackson, 3rd place 824 E Adams.

Trustee Rusciolelli made a motion to approve Ordinance #20-024 An Ordinance Amending Village Code to the Police Chief and Deputy Chief. Trustee Charles seconded. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Rusciolelli, Bartley, Mileham and Landess voted yes.

Trustee Bartley made a motion to approve Ordinance #20-025 An Ordinance Amending Sections 111.27 and 111.45 of the Village of Riverton Code of Ordinance (Liquor Code). Trustee Landess seconded. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Bartley, Mileham and Landess voted yes. Trustee Rusciolelli abstained.

Superintendent Lyons submitted his report.

Chief Lawley submitted his report. The Police Department received thanks for their work with Santa coming to the village.

Office Manager Patterson had nothing to report.

Treasurer Baker had nothing to report.

Committee Reports:

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

Trustee Rusciolelli, chairperson of the Public Safety Committee, acknowledged the police department for their work on Christmas for the Village. She also recognized Police Chief Lawley for 19 years of service and Officer Yeamen for 16 years of service to the Village. She also requested closed session.

Trustee Mileham, chairperson of the Public Utility Committee, requested closed session.

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

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 had nothing to report.

Trustee Bartley made a motion to enter into Executive Session at 7:10 pm. Trustee Landess seconded. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Rusciolelli, Bartley, Mileham, and Landess voted yes.

Trustee Bartley made a motion to reenter Open Session at 7:38 pm. Trustee Landess seconded. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Rusciolelli, Bartley, Mileham, and Landess voted yes.

Trustee Rusciolelli made a motion to accept the resignation of Jessie Yurez as a part time police officer. Trustee Landess seconded. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Rusciolelli, Bartley, Mileham and Landess voted yes.

Trustee Bartley made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:40 pm. Trustee Landess seconded. Trustees Patrick, Charles, Rusciolelli, Bartley, Mileham, and Landess voted yes.

_____ Mayor

_____ Date

____ Clerk