

Minutes

Riverton Village Board

The President and the Board of Trustees of the Village of Riverton held their regular board meeting on July 15, 2024 at the Riverton Village Hall, Riverton, IL.

The board meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm. Those answering roll call: Trustees: Johnathan Chisam, Dave Charles, Gina Rusciollelli, Jim Mileham, Michelle Landess, and Mayor Joe Bartley.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Trustee Mileham made a motion to approve July 1st board meeting minutes and pay the bills. It was seconded by Trustee Landess. Trustees Chisam, Charles, Rusciollelli, Mileham, Landess, and Mayor Bartley voted yes.

People to Address the Board:

Steve Manson addressed the board regarding the noise ordinance. He voiced complaints about violations occurring at his residence. Mayor Bartley voiced that the ordinance will be discussed by committee.

Elizabeth Marsh addressed the board regarding concerns on Blackburn Street. She thanked the board and employees for their assistance. Mayor Bartley and Attorney Craven reported that a lawsuit had been filed in regards to the ongoing problems on Blackburn on behalf of the Village.

Old Business:

New Business:

Village Engineer Kuhn reported that they are currently working on OSLAD grants for parks, FEMA grants for floodwalls, the water main extension continues to proceed, and they are also working on getting updates on the ICC railroad projects.

Village Attorney Craven gave an update on Blackburn Street and 2nd Street properties.

Superintendent Lyons, submitted his report. Trustee Charles requested that the Village Hall building be power washed.

Police Chief Crouch, submitted his report. He thanked everyone for their participation in the Car Show.

Office Manager Patterson, had nothing to report.

Treasurer March, had nothing to report.

Committee Reports:

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

Trustee Rusciollelli, chairperson of the Public Safety Committee, thanked the Police Department for their work for the car show.

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

Trustee Charles, chairperson of the Parks Committee, reported that they had held a committee meeting to get input from residents regarding park developments with another scheduled. They will also meet with Engineers to proceed with plans. He also reported that the movie in the park was a success and they will continue to build on that.

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

Mayor Bartley, chairperson of the Economic Development Committee, reported that the lot next to Dollar General was going to be developed by a medical supply company using it as a warehouse and office space.

Mayor Bartley reported that the Regional Leadership Council will meet on July 31st at the County Building to discuss IMEA and transportation concerns.

Trustee Mileham made a motion to enter Executive Session at 7:24 pm. Trustee Landess seconded. Trustees Chisam, Charles, Rusciolelli, Mileham, Landess, and Mayor Bartley voted yes.

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

Trustee Charles made a motion to approve Ordinance 24-20 An Ordinance Authorizing the Acquisition of Property (925 N 2nd Street). Trustee Rusciolelli seconded. Trustees Chisam, Charles, Rusciolelli, Mileham, Landess, and Mayor Bartley voted yes.

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

_____ Mayor

_____ Date

_____ Clerk