

## Minutes

### Riverton Village Board

The President and the Board of Trustees of the Village of Riverton held their regular board meeting on March 18, 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 was not in attendance.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Trustee Mileham made a motion to approve March 4<sup>th</sup> 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:

Lori Wilson addressed the board on behalf of After Prom for Riverton High School asking for donations. Trustee Landess made a motion to approve \$250 to After Prom. Trustee Chisam seconded. Trustees Chisam, Charles, Rusciollelli, Mileham, Landess and Mayor Bartley approved.

Gene Claude addressed the board regarding vehicle and pedestrian traffic by the basketball courts. He inquired about signage, speed limits and crosswalks. Mayor Bartley referred to the Public Works Committee.

Pat Mileham addressed the board on behalf of Friends of the Library. They are holding their annual Basket Fundraiser with drawings on April 6.

#### Old Business:

#### New Business:

Village Engineer Kuhn, was not in attendance. Mayor Bartley reported that the water extension project had been sent to the USDA for approval.

Village Attorney Joe Craven, had nothing to report.

Superintendent Lyons, submitted his report.

Police Chief Crouch, submitted his report.

Office Manager Patterson, had nothing to report.

Treasurer Baker, reported that the budget is in the process of being completed.

#### Committee Reports:

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

Trustee Rusciollelli, chairperson of the Public Safety Committee, thanked Officer Thomas John for 4 years of service to the Village and thanked Officer Scott Gaddy for 2 years of service to the Village.

Trustee Mileham, chairperson of the Public Utility Committee, made a motion to approve \$4000 for a concrete pad. Trustee Landess seconded. Trustees Chisam, Charles, Rusciollelli, Mileham, Landess, and Mayor Bartley voted yes.

Trustee Mileham made a motion to waive bids and approve up to \$60,000 to upgrade electric by 7<sup>th</sup> Street. Trustee Landess seconded. Trustees Chisam, Charles, Rusciolelli, Mileham, Landess, and Mayor Bartley voted yes.

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

Trustee Landess, chairperson of the Public Works Committee, made a motion to approve \$4826.76 for mosquito spray. Trustee Mileham seconded. Trustees Chisam, Charles, Rusciolelli, Mileham, Landess, and Mayor Bartley voted yes. Trustee Landess thanked Michael Runyon for 12 years of service to the Village.

Mayor Bartley, chairperson of the Economic Development Committee, reported that a potential tenant on the south side of the interstate had asked for more information and a decision would be made by the end of the month.

Trustee Rusciolelli made a motion to enter closed session at 7:20 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 7:45 pm. Trustee Landess seconded. Trustees Chisam, Charles, Rusciolelli, Mileham, Landess, and Mayor Bartley voted yes.

Trustee Rusciolelli made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:47pm. Trustee Landess seconded. Trustees Chisam, Charles, Rusciolelli, Mileham, Landess, and Mayor Bartley voted yes.

\_\_\_\_\_ Mayor

\_\_\_\_\_ Date

\_\_\_\_\_ Clerk