

Village of Joy

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REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES

Wednesday, June 19, 2024

The Regular Meeting of the Joy Village Board was called to order at 5:30 p.m., Wednesday June 19, 2024 by Village President Larry Hunt. The meeting was held at Village Hall, 200 West Main Street, Joy, IL.

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll was called by Village President Larry Hunt.

Trustees present: Kristy Lee, Patsy Peterson, Jason Huston, Noah Livermore, Rory Conway

Village Trustee Paul Hampton-absent

Gwen Pritchett-Village Clerk-present

Public Present-Josh Hicks, Brian Glasgow

Brian Glasgow/ION addressed the Joy Village Board. 3E serviced the Village of Joy generators last week. The sewer leak at Kevin Ortberg's grain bins was fixed. The problem was a pressure relief valve. Electric Pump does not bid jobs. Advanced plumbing prices are \$112 and hour per person, for 2 people, \$280 per hour for the truck. The project may take 3 hours. Brian likes working with Electric Pump. The information was enclosed in the board packets for this meeting. After discussion, Village Trustee Noah Livermore made the motion hire Advanced Plumbing at \$112 per hour per person and \$280 per hour for the truck. Rory Conway 2nd the motion. The following vote was taken: Kristy Lee-yes, Patsy Peterson-yes, Jason Huston-yes, Noah Livermore, Rory Conway. The motion was passed with a unanimous "Yes" vote. Brian Glasgow will make arrangements with Advanced and Electric Pump for lift station work. Brian left the meeting at 5:40 p.m.

Village President Larry Hunt items of discussion: The Village of Joy could use a ditch bucket for cleaning out ditches. A ditch bucket is more narrow- v shaped bucket. Village President Larry Hunt asked the Village Board of Trustees to consider purchasing a ditch bucket. Village Trustee Noah Livermore suggested getting bids.

The Village of Joy is waiting on paperwork to close Alley-Penn to Washington.

Trayton Whitmire was unable to attend tonight's meeting, so Josh Hicks discussed Trayton's alley way with the Village Board. At the end of the alley behind Trayton's house, it is all torn up from people driving through the alley when it is soft after it has rained. Village President Larry Hunt asked Josh Hicks to fill in the ruts with fill dirt and rock on top. Old fill dirt will be used for this project. Village Trustee Patsy Peterson said all of the people that have yards that are connected to that alley mow and maintain the alley.

The City of Aledo is going to accept sealed bids for their jetter. Not sure when this is going to happen. Will try to get more information.

After review and discussion, Village Trustee Rory Conway made the motion to approve the May 2024 Regular Board Meeting minutes. Kristy Lee 2nd the motion. The following vote was taken: Kristy Lee-yes, Patsy Peterson-yes, Jason Huston-yes, Noah Livermore-yes, Rory Conway-yes. The motion was passed with a unanimous "Yes" vote.

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After review and discussion, Village Trustee Noah Livermore made the motion to approve the June 2024 paid expenditures. Kristy 2nd the motion. The following vote was taken: Kristy Lee-yes, Patsy Peterson-yes, Jason Huston-yes, Noah Livermore-yes, Rory Conway-yes. The motion was passed with a unanimous "Yes" vote.

The balance sheet and P&L was reviewed and discussed.

Delinquent accounts were reviewed and discussed.

Village of Joy has black dirt available.

2024 Street Project: Ace In the Hole contacted Village President Larry Hunt concerning which streets will need to be spray patched this year. Village President Larry Hunt would like the input from the Village Board of Trustees. E. May Street needs to be done for sure. Every street in town could use repair of some kind, with the exception of Washington Street. The streets were highlighted on a Village of Joy map. Village employee Josh Hicks will have to patch the streets prior to Ace in the Hole doing the spray patch. Gravel needs to also be ordered. East/West roads first the North/South, by sections, beginning on the South East section, beginning on Oliver Street.

Joy Fest-no updates-still waiting on public input

Ride 17-no updates-still waiting on public input

CBI-Financial update-tabled, but briefly discussed CD's, Sweep Accounts and other services

No additions to the agenda

Police protection for the Village of Joy was discussed. Village President, Larry Hunt received a call from Jim Pruett. Jim gave Village President Larry Hunt a name of person that may be interested. Village Trustee Noah Livermore wants to have a contract with a police officer if the Village of Joy pays for training.

Village Trustee Paul Hampton is on Vacation. During the meeting Paul called on a cell phone and discussed the jetter from Aledo

Insurance Company has already been contacted for insurance on the police and department. The training requirements will be checked out a little deeper so it can be discussed during the July regular board meeting.

People have been running stop signs and raising cane on 4 wheelers in the Village of Joy for some time now.

A recent storm took down a mobile home on Beeson Street.

There is another property beside the mobile home, 106 E. Beeson that needs to be condemned due to the condition of the structures. The grass is very tall. Water was dripping on the outside the house, will make sure the water is actually turned off. The Village Attorney will be contacted on this matter.

Village Trustee Paul Hampton discussed purchasing a set of chaps for Josh Hicks to wear when using the chain saw. Village Employee Josh Hicks recently got cut while using the chain saw. Joshua Hicks will check with Huffman's and Farm & Fleet for chaps. Josh required stitches. A comp claim was filed.

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Village Trustee Noah Livermore made the motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:30 p.m. Rory Conway 2nd the motion. The following vote was taken: Kristy Lee-yes, Patsy Peterson-yes, Jason Huston-yes, Noah Livermore-yes, Rory Conway-yes. The motion was passed with a unanimous "Yes" vote.

The meeting adjourned at 6:30 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted



Gwen Pritchett

Joy Village Clerk