

# MEETING OF THE CITY OF RUSHVILLE, INDIANA

## BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS AND SAFETY

JULY 19, 2016

5:30 P.M.

**CALL TO ORDER:** The Board of Public Works and Safety met on the above date and time at 270 West 15<sup>th</sup> Street, Rushville, Indiana. Mayor Pavey called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

**ROLL CALL:** Darrin McGowan, Ron Jarman, and Dr. John Williams answered roll call. Gary Cameron was not present. Also present was City Attorney, Tracy Newhouse.

**MINUTES:** Jarman moved to approve the minutes of the July 5, 2016 meeting as presented. Williams seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**MAYOR'S REPORT:** None.

**CLERK-TREASURER'S REPORT:** None.

### **DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS:**

**Fire** – Assistant Chief Munson handed out June reports.

Munson informed the Board that Fire Chief Jenkins was named the American Legion District 10 firefighter of the year.

He said Michael Harr was also awarded a life-saving award from the Indiana Fire Association for his action as a dispatcher on a 911 call.

**Park** – Park Director Gurley reported 124 kids are attending summer camp this week. Also approximately 175 were in attendance at the movie Saturday. He thanked the volunteers and the police department for their sponsorship.

**CITIZEN CONCERNS/COMMENTS:** Gary Anderson asked who was awarded the bid for Rushview Park. Mayor Pavey said it was Monroe LLC. He asked if there was a start date. Pavey said once the agreement is signed they have 120 days to have it completed.

### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

1. **Rushville Property Revitalization Program Proposals** – We have closed on the last 2 properties. We have received interest on some of the empty lots.
2. **Recommendation to Bid Rushville Storm Drainage Rushview** – Williams made a motion to sign the contract with Monroe LLC. McGowan seconded the motion. Motion carried.

3. **DLZ Levee Recertification Phases** – Proposals 2 and 3 have been sent to the Board for review. Mayor Pavey asked the Board to give their thoughts on moving forward after they have had a chance to review.
4. **Fire Department Hiring Process** – Assistant Chief Munson said they advertised in 3 newspapers. Applications are due by August 16. The agility testing will be August 20 and the written testing will be August 27. This Board will conduct interviews August 31. There have been 12 applications picked up and 2 have been returned.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

1. **Title VI Policy and Plan** – Pavey asked the Board to review the documentation from Indot. There will be public meetings and we will receive recommendations from some of those people that would be affected.

**ITEMS NOT KNOWN IN ADVANCE:** None.

**ADJOURN:** There was no further business to come before the Board; McGowan moved to adjourn. Jarman seconded the motion. The meeting adjourned at 5:45 p.m.