



**MINUTES OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES REGULAR MEETING
FEBRUARY 27, 2023
28 S DRAKE AVE
CLAYCOMO, MISSOURI 64119**

Those in attendance is Chairman Terry Bradich, Trustee Mark Benton, Trustee Larry Barrera, Trustee Renee Hoppe, Trustee David Jett, Village Clerk Melody Wymore, Police Chief Matt Coonce, and Fire Chief Steve Shaumeyer

Chairman Bradich called to recess the Regular Meeting of February 13, at 7:00. Trustee Jett motioned to adjourn, seconded by Trustee Hoppe. All yeas, motion carried.

Chairman Bradich called the Regular Meeting of February 27, 2023, to order at 7:01 PM.

Police Chief Coonce led the Pledge of Allegiance. Following with a moment of silence in memory of Officer James Muhlbauer and K-9 Champ.

Trustee Benton motioned to approve the minutes of the Regular Meeting of February 13, 2023, seconded by Trustee Barrera. Roll call, all yeas. Motion carried.

Trustee Barrera motioned to approve the Payment of Bills for February 9, 2023, through February 23, 2023, seconded by Trustee Jett. Roll call, all yeas. Motioned carried.

Special Presentation by Fire Chief Shaumeyer

Pinning Ceremony/Presenting of Helmet Front, Badge and Collar Brass to:

Captain Apurou Johnson (unable to attend)

Firefighter/EMT Brett Lockard

Firefighter/EMT Sawyer Lundeen

Firefighter/EMT Dayton Shireman

Firefighter/EMT Jackson Lee

Firefighter/EMT Jason Jaycox

Firefighter/EMT Ryan Schultz

Firefighter/Paramedic Charles Rush

Firefighter/Paramedic Scott Robbins (unable to attend)

Fire Chief Shaumeyer congratulated his team and thanked the board for their support and patience.

Trustee Barrera gave a personal note of thanks to the fire fighters who cared for him and transported him to the hospital and credits them for his full recovery.

Chairman Bradich dismissed friends and family members that were there for the Pinning Ceremony.

Chairman Bradich noted that he had never seen a presentation like that in his four years on the Board and thanked Fire Chief Shaumeyer. Trustee Barrera added that in all his years as a Board member, he had also never seen a presentation like that and commended Chief Shaumeyer for the professionalism of his presentation.

Chairman Bradich brought to discussion a Building Permit at 405 E Longfellow. Dale Goeller wrote a letter with the unanimous approval of the Zoning Board for the building of a garage on the property and formally forwarded the request to the Board of Trustees for final approval. Trustee Jett made a motion to approve. Barrera seconded. Roll call, all yeas. Motioned carried.

OLD BUSINESS

Police Chief Coonce advised that he spoke with the manager/partner of the new used car lot on Munger about the parking spaces. They are allowed 8, total. Customer parking is allowed on the street, but they must be facing the correct direction. Chief Coonce also stated the “Coffee with a Cop” last Friday, at Ma and Pa’s Kettle went very well and thanked everybody who attended. He also commented that watching the Pinning Ceremony on Facebook Live looked good.

Fire Chief Shaumeyer had no old business.

Village Clerk Wymore had no old business.

Chairman Bradich advised that Public Works had no old business.

The Economic Development Council advised that they did not meet last week. Chairman Bradich reminded that he still needed to get their budget for the upcoming year by next week if possible.

Dale Goeller, of the Zoning Board stated that their meeting time had changed to the third Monday of every month at 7:00 PM. Chairman Bradich thanked him for the letter and stated, “it was just what they’re looking for!” Trustee Benton added that he was very impressed and that they depend on his opinion in basing their decisions.

Chairman Bradich opened the floor to residents with any old business. There were none.

Trustee Barrera had no old business.

Trustee Jett would like an optional format for downloading files. Police Chief Coonce said that he would look into that.

Trustee Benton, Trustee Hoppe, and Chairman Bradich had no old business.

NEW BUSINESS

The Historical Society will meet on March 22, 2023 at 10:30 am in the Community Building.

Police Chief Coonce had no new business.

Fire Chief Steve Shaumeyer advised that he was still working on the upcoming budget for the Fire Department.

Village Clerk Wymore had no new business.

Trustee Barrera had no new business.

Trustee Jett inquired about a new business going into the old Walgreens location. Chairman Bradich said he would address that in a moment.

Trustee Benton advised of vehicle break-ins and warned others to be aware.

Trustee Jett inquired about the sign replacement at Longfellow and Riley. Chairman Bradich stated that the replacement was done by our Public Works Department and that it would be repaired in a more permanent way as soon as the next day, but due to weather and ground conditions, it was replaced as well as it could be for the moment. Trustee Jett expressed his thankfulness for getting it done so quickly. Police Chief Coonce also advised that the cost of the repair is being charged to the man that caused the damage.

Trustee Hoppe had no new business.

Chairman Bradich would like to reschedule the next Budget Meeting, due to weather. The next Budget Meeting will be held Monday, March 6, 2023, at 5:00 pm, in the Community Building.

Chairman Bradich stated that late last week, he noticed new flags at the old Walgreens location. He advised that City Hall sent an officer with paperwork for a Business License. The officer returned and said that the lady told him that she had never had a business license before. Chairman Bradich also advised that without a business license, they will not be allowed to do business. She was allowed plenty of time to reach out and/or go before the board and has not done so.

On behalf of Public Works, Chairman Bradich informed everyone that there is enough stain on hand to refinish the gazebo in Mildred Keeney Memorial Park. When weather permits, that will be done before they start mowing for the season. They have also purchased oil to maintain the current mowers and will be picking up branches and debris before attempting to mow.

Chairman Bradich opened the floor to any other new business. There was none.

There is no reason to go into an executive meeting.

Chairman Bradich motioned to recess the regular meeting of February 27, 2023, seconded by Trustee Benton. All yeas. Motion carried.

Village Clerk Melody Wymore

Chairman of the Board Terry Bradich