

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS & SAFETY

VALPARAISO, INDIANA

May 26, 2017

The Board of Public Works & Safety of Valparaiso, Indiana met May 26, 2017, at 10:00 a.m. in City Hall. Present were Mayor Costas, Bill Oeding, Matt Murphy and Attorney Ethan Lowe. Mayor Costas called the meeting to order and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Bill Oeding moved that the minutes of the May 12, 2017 meeting be approved, seconded by Matt Murphy and so approved. Matt Murphy moved that the claims be approved for payment and subject to appropriation balances, seconded by Bill Oeding and so approved.

Recycling Partnership Grant

Matt Evans requested approval to apply for the Recycling Partnership Grant. This is a Non-Profit group and it will work with the IDEM Grant to purchase Recycling Totes. Mayor Costas moved to approve, seconded by Bill Oeding and so approved.

Traffic & Safety

Tim Burkman requested approval for the following Traffic & Safety Recommendation:

- No Parking on the Northside of Montdale Drive

Mayor Costas moved to approve, seconded by Bill Oeding and so approved.

City Standards Revision

Tim Burkman recommended revision to the City Standards regarding Pavements and Pathways:

Pathways

Multi-use pathways shall be installed where shown on the officially adopted pathways master plan. All pathways shall be constructed of concrete unless otherwise permitted by the City Engineer. The pathway shall be constructed of 4-inch Portland Cement Concrete Pavement (PCCP) on 4-inches of Compacted Aggregate, No. 53, Base. The minimum width shall be 8-ft. Control joints shall be saw-cut to a depth of 1-inch, every 6-ft, with expansion joints installed every 48-ft.

Street Typical Section

The minimum required thickness of the asphalt surface layer on all streets shall be increased from 1-¼ inch to 1-½ inch.

Mayor Costas moved to approve, seconded by Matt Murphy and so approved.

Motorola Solutions

Chief Chad Dutz requested approval of an Equipment Lease- Purchase Agreement with Motorola Solutions, Inc. This will be a 3-year agreement for 800 MHz Radios that is a required upgrade. Mayor Costas moved to approve, seconded by Bill Oeding and so approved.

Citizen Requests

1. Request for outdoor Summer Wine Tasting to be held on Saturday, June 17, 2017 11-3pm
2. Request for Shamrock Subdivision Block Party with partial road closure, July 8, 2017 2:30-8:30
3. Request for Lakeshore Paws Annual Dog Walk Event June 17, 2017
4. Request for VFW Poppy Days to be held May 25-26, 2017

Mayor Costas moved to approve, seconded by Matt Murphy and so approved.

There was no further business and the meeting was adjourned.