

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS & SAFETY MEETING

May 6, 2024 – 5:30PM

Second Floor, City Building, 201 S. Union Street

Mayor Kamron Yates opened the meeting at 5:30 p.m. Those present rose for the Pledge of Allegiance. The meeting was livestreamed on YouTube.

Clerk-Treasurer Julie Price called the roll. Present were Spencer Kingery, Breanna Maxwell and Mayor Yates.

The minutes of the April 15th meeting were presented for review. There were no additions or corrections. Motion to approve by Spencer Kingery second by Breanna Maxwell. Minutes were approved as read and carried. (3-0)

The next order of business were regular claims for May 6, 2024 totaling \$1,281,243.74. Spencer Kingery noted that the claims for the current docket were higher due to the clarifier payment being \$563,162.00. Spencer Kingery moved to approve. Second by Breanna Maxwell. Motion to approve the claims carried. (3-0)

Other Business:

Swearing in of new Delphi Police officer Adam Hobson took place by Sargeant Colin Deckard. Mayor Yates swore him in with family, friends, and citizens present.

Representatives from the canal presented the approval for placement of 30 city banners for the poles in Delphi. Coordination efforts with J.T. Doane and Aaron Lyons are being made for annual review in order to give other organizations the opportunity to place banners. Motion to place the banners was made by Spencer Kingery, second by Breanna Maxwell. Motion carried and passed. (3-0)

Unfinished Business:

None

New Business:

Frontier Communications Row permit request was presented for review. After discussion, J.T. Doane was asked to contact them. Motion to table the permit request until contact could be made was made by Spencer Kingery, second by Breanna Maxwell. Motion carried and passed. (3-0)

Carroll County Sheriff Dept. officers Tobe Leazenby and Mitch Catron presented a request on behalf of the county/city to close Market Street beginning May 16th for the impending Richard Allen murder trial. The street and sidewalk would need to be closed to citizens/traffic for the duration of the trial. There would be barriers with specialized gates at the entrances of the streets and sidewalk for safety only on the courthouse side. Attorney Miriam Robeson asked if there would be media designation to which Chief LaMar confirmed that all media would have a designated area and barriers would be sufficient without coordinating signage. Motion to close the road and sidewalk for duration of the trial was made by Breanna Maxwell, second by Spencer Kingery. Motion carried and passed. (3-0)

Future Business:

Mayor Yates announced that the 2024 ACEC Engineering Excellence Award was presented to City of Delphi-Butler, Fairman, Seufert. He also mentioned the Delphi Water Systems Improvements Phase II.

The FEMA/DNR flood zone approval letter was sent and both agencies have approved the city flood ordinance.

Mayor Yates announced that Mayor Sims and himself would be doing a Mental Health Awareness Proclamation for the month of May on May 16, 2024.

Miscellaneous Business.

Updates on the broadband from J.T. Doane were reported that Phase I is going live next week and Phase II is in the permitting processes.

Board Comments/ Requests.

None

Clerk-Treasurer Comments/Requests.

None

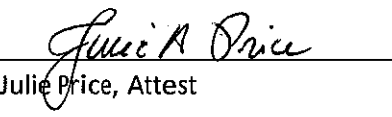
Public Comment.

None

There being no other business, Spencer Kingery moved to adjourn. Second by Breanna Maxwell. Without objection, the Board of Public Works & Safety meeting was adjourned at 5:57p.m.



Mayor Kamron Yates



Julie Price, Attest