

BOARD OF WORKS

April 7, 2014

Time: 5:00 P.M.

Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Roll call was taken

PRESENT: Mayor Gary Herbert, Darrell Poling, Steve Simmonds, Linda Oldham and Rodney King

Darrell Poling moved to approve minutes for March 3, 2014 and Linda Oldham seconded; voice vote recorded all ayes no nays; motion passed.

Bridgett Weber – Clerk-Treasurer requested approval to receipt back warrants not cashed during the two year period of time available to persons warrants are written to. Darrell Poling moved to approve receipting warrants not cashed for two years into the funds which they were expended and Steve Simmonds seconded; voice vote recorded all ayes no nays; motion passed.

Mark Klosterkemper – Street Commissioner requested to trade in current Bobcat for a new one with a cost difference of \$1471.17 which is less than purchasing four new tires that are needed for this equipment. Steve Simmonds moved to purchase new Bobcat and Linda Oldham seconded; voice vote recorded all ayes no nays; motion passed. With the purchase of the 2014 Dodge Chipper Truck, the 1987 Chipper Truck Chassis is being requested to be scrapped. Rodney King moved to scrap the 1987 Chipper Chassis and Darrell Poling seconded; voice vote recorded all ayes no nays; motion passed.

Scott Chasteen – Fire Chief requested approval to promote Chris Baker to a First Class Firefighter. Chris Baker has completed one year of probationary training at the Fire Department and would like to continue his position. Linda Oldham moved to approve promotion and Linda Oldham seconded; voice vote recorded all ayes no nays; motion passed.

Detective Bill Meyerrose for Stacey Chasteen – Police Chief requested approval to promote Matt Terkhorn to First Class Patrolman. Matt Terkhorn has completed one year of probationary training at the Police Department and would like to continue in his position. Rodney King moved to approve promotion and Steve Simmonds seconded; voice vote recorded all ayes no nays; motion passed.

Gary Murray – City Engineer presented a contract from Indiana Department of Transportation for a regulatory, guide and warning sign replacement. Originally the sign replacements were going to be an unfunded mandate from the state but are funding it with a ten percent match from the city at the estimated cost of \$30,000.00 for approximately 1172 signs. Steve

Simmonds moved to approve the contract pending City Council funding approval and Linda Oldham seconded; voice vote recorded all ayes no nays; motion passed.

Sarah Robinson – Mainstreet Greensburg provided Board of Works with a first quarter report for Mainstreet Greensburg. Ms. Robinson requested the use of the city streets for the Tenderloin Throw Down and Fisher Big Wheel Race. Rodney King moved to allow the use of city streets for both events and Darrell Poling seconded; voice vote recorded all ayes no nays; motion passed.

Rodney King asked about the progress of the old YMCA and Decatur Apartment buildings being renovated. Gary Murray reported that Thrive Alliance from Columbus is doing renovations to these buildings. Dr. King also congratulated the Greensburg Pirates for their “Back to Back” Class 3A Basketball Championship.

Rodney King moved to adjourn at 5:46 pm.

PRESIDING OFFICER _____

ATTEST:

Clerk-Treasurer