

BOARD OF WORKS

July 7, 2014

Time: 5:00 P.M.

Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Roll call was taken

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

ABSENT: Darrell Poling

Rodney King moved to approve minutes for the regular meeting of June 2nd, 2014 and Linda Oldham seconded; voice vote recorded all ayes no nays; motion passed.

Mayor Herbert requested to amend agenda to promote **Probationary Firefighter Wade Farr**. Linda Oldham moved to amend the agenda and Steve Simmonds seconded; voice vote recorded all ayes no nays; motion passed.

Robert Duckworth – Decatur County EMA Director requested road closures for the **Fair Parade on July 13th**. Steve Simmonds moved to allow road closures as requested and Linda Oldham seconded; voice vote recorded all ayes no nays; motion passed.

Cheryl Werner – Decatur County Memorial Hospital requested road closures for the **DCMH Fall Charity 5K on September 15th**. After discussion of the route and that Street, Fire and Police were provided route map Rodney King moved to allow road closures as requested and Steve Simmonds seconded; voice vote recorded all ayes no nays; motion passed.

Gary Murray – City Engineer requested road closure at **Franklin and Main Street** from July 14-17th so that construction company can use a crane to bring in roof trusses for the construction project. Rodney King moved to approve the road closure as requested and Steve Simmonds seconded; voice vote recorded all ayes no nays; motion passed.

Mark Klosterkemper – Street Commissioner requested to dispose a 1994 Husky Chop Saw from his inventory. The saw has been inoperable for years and the Street Mechanic has also listed several things that need rebuilt or replaced. Steve Simmonds moved to dispose of the 1994 chop saw and Linda Oldham seconded; voice vote recorded all aye no nays; motion passed.

A request to purchase a striping machine was also presented to the board. This machine will allow the street department to do curb painting and help with city parking lot striping in a more efficient manner. Training for the machine is included in the purchase. **Three quotes were received: Line Striping Direct Co \$7,320.00; Katalyst Industrial Coating \$5,359.00; J Gregory Smith & Son, Inc. \$8,080.00.** Rodney King moved to purchase the striping machine from **Katalyst Industrial Coating for \$5,359.00** and Steve Simmonds seconded; voice vote recorded all ayes no nays; motion passed.

A portion of Lincoln Street between First and Walnut streets needs to be resurfaced. **Three quotes were received: O'Mara Contracting \$110,575.00; Milestone \$155,400.00; Johannigman Excavating \$125,203.00.** Steve Simmonds moved to award resurfacing work to **O'Mara Contracting for \$110,575.00** and Linda Oldham seconded; voice vote recorded all ayes no nays; motion passed.

Scott Chasteen – Fire Chief requested to **purchase protective clothing. Three quotes were received: US Uniforms \$1,600.00; Hoosier Fire Equipment \$1,635.00; Donley Safety \$1,632.00 per set.** Linda Oldham moved to purchase protective clothing from **Donley Safety for \$1,632.00** as they do not charge for upsizing on gear and Rodney King seconded; voice vote recorded all ayes no nays; motion passed.

A purchase of **2 RescueAire II Air Supply units** were also requested. **Two quotes were provided: Donley Safety \$5,529.50; 5-Alarm Fire and Safety \$5,884.70.** Linda Oldham moved to purchase RescueAire II units from **Donley Safety for \$5,529.50** and Rodney King seconded; voice vote recorded all ayes no nays; motion passed.

Wade Farr has completed his one year probationary period with the Fire Department and Chief Chasteen requested Mr. Farr be moved into a full-time firefighter position. Rodney King moved to **promote Wade Farr to full-time firefighter position** and Linda Oldham seconded; voice vote recorded all ayes no nays; motion passed.

Rodney King addressed **emergency response issues south of the railroad tracks in Greensburg.** Fire Chief Chasteen addressed Board of Works stating that he has attempted to communicate with Honda and the railroad to discuss a schedule of when train traffic is coming through Greensburg. Chief Chasteen recommended taking the issue to the City's Traffic Committee and possibly the local safety committee to see what can be done.

Rodney King moved to adjourn at 5:45 pm.

PRESIDING OFFICER _____

ATTEST:

Clerk-Treasurer