

VILLAGE OF PEOTONE
VILLAGE BOARD
MINUTES OF FEBRUARY 14, 2011

THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE WAS LED BY THE VILLAGE PRESIDENT, RICHARD DURAN.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE PEOTONE VILLAGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES WAS CALLED TO ORDER AT 7:00 P.M. AT THE MUNICIPAL COMPLEX HALL, 208 E. MAIN STREET, PEOTONE, ILLINOIS; THE VILLAGE PRESIDENT, RICHARD DURAN, PRESIDING. THE FOLLOWING BOARD MEMBERS ANSWERED ROLL CALL: MR. REICHERT, MR. WICKER, MR. FORSYTHE, AND MRS. ECKMAN. TRUSTEE RUSSELL AND TRUSTEE LIBERATORE WERE ABSENT. ALSO PRESENT WERE THE ADMINISTRATOR, ENGINEER, ATTORNEY, REV. REIGLE, MR. LOVE, MS. SCHULTZ, MS. BROOKE, MS. PIERCE, AND MS. COLLINS.

ROLL CALL

MOTION BY REICHERT, SECONDED BY WICKER, TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE JANUARY 24, 2011, REGULAR VILLAGE BOARD MEETING AS WRITTEN. REICHERT, WICKER, FORSYTHE, AND ECKMAN VOTING AYE; MOTION CARRIED.

MINUTES

MOTION BY WICKER, SECONDED BY ECKMAN, TO APPROVE THE PAYROLL AND TO APPROVE THE ACCOUNTS PAYABLE IN ALL CATEGORIZED FUNDS AS PRESENTED. WICKER, ECKMAN, REICHERT, AND FORSYTHE VOTING AYE; MOTION CARRIED.

**PAYROLL & ACCOUNTS
PAYABLE**

PUBLIC COMMENT - MARGE BROOKE INQUIRED ABOUT THE SIGN ORDINANCE AND WHETHER SIGNS WERE ALLOWED IN THE PARKWAY. IT WAS EXPLAINED THAT NO SIGNS WERE ALLOWED IN THE PARKWAY.

PUBLIC COMMENT

THE CLERK / COLLECTOR REPORT AND THE TREASURER REPORT WERE PRESENTED TO THE BOARD.

C/C & TREAS REPORTS

ENGINEER KONING REPORTED THAT HE HAS AGAIN BEEN IN CONTACT WITH IDOT REGARDING THE TRAFFIC SIGNAL. THE VILLAGE PRESIDENT HAS WRITTEN A LETTER AFFIRMING THE ORIGINAL INFORMATION RECEIVED FROM IDOT REGARDING THE TURN LANE COSTS.

ENGINEER REPORT

CHIEF MORT HAD NO REPORT.

POLICE CHIEF REPORT

PRESIDENT DURAN MADE A PRESENTATION OF AN APPRECIATION CERTIFICATE AND COVETED BLUE VILLAGE PINS TO REVEREND REIGLE AND CLYDE LOVE FOR THEIR PARTICIPATION AND THE PARTICIPATION OF THE VOLUNTEERS AT THE EMERGENCY SHELTER OPENED AT THE IMMANUEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST DURING THE BLIZZARD.

**CERTIFICATE
PRESENTATION
IMMANUEL CHURCH**

THE PRESIDENT COMMENTED ON THE WONDERFUL JOB DONE BY THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT AND THE POLICE DEPARTMENT DURING THE BLIZZARD. CHIEF MORT STATED THAT ADMINISTRATOR GRAY SHOULD BE RECOGNIZED AS AN INTEGRAL PART OF THE OPERATION.

THE PEOTONE PARK DISTRICT HAS REQUESTED PERMISSION FOR A SPECIAL EVENT FUND-RAISER WITH ALCOHOL. THE FUND-RAISER IS PLANNED FOR FEBRUARY 26, 2011, FROM 7:00 P.M. TO MIDNIGHT AND WILL BE HELD AT THE PEARL DODGE DEALERSHIP. THE ALCOHOL WILL BE SOLD BY LUANN AND DENNIS SOUCIE WHO OWN THROWBACK II.

**PARK DISTRICT
FUND-RAISER**

MOTION BY FORSYTHE, SECONDED BY ECKMAN, TO APPROVE THE PEOTONE PARK DISTRICT SPECIAL EVENT FUND-RAISER TO BE HELD AT 701 GOVERNORS HIGHWAY ON FEBRUARY 26, 2011, FROM 7:00 P.M. TO MIDNIGHT. FORSYTHE, ECKMAN, REICHERT, AND WICKER VOTING AYE; MOTION CARRIED.

C-2 LIQUOR LICENSE

MOTION BY FORSYTHE, SECONDED BY WICKER, TO APPROVE THE ONE DAY C-2 LIQUOR LICENSE FOR LUANN AND DENNIS SOUCIE d/b/a THROWBACK II TO SELL LIQUOR AT THE PARK DISTRICT FUND-RAISER TO BE HELD ON FEBRUARY 26, 2011, AT 701 GOVERNORS HIGHWAY FROM 7:00 P.M. TO MIDNIGHT.

THE FRIENDS OF MUSIC HAVE REQUESTED A SPECIAL EVENT PERMIT FOR A 5K FUN RUN TO BE HELD MAY 15, 2011. THE EVENT WILL BENEFIT MUSIC, ART, AND DRAMA AT THE SCHOOL. THE EVENT IS SCHEDULED FOR 9:00 A.M., HOWEVER THE TIME AND ROUTE MAY BE ADJUSTED TO ACCOMMODATE THE SERVICE SCHEDULES OF THE CHURCHES ON THE ROUTE.

**FRIENDS OF MUSIC
5 K FUN RUN**

MOTION BY ECKMAN, SECONDED BY WICKER, TO APPROVE THE SPECIAL EVENT REQUEST OF THE FRIENDS OF MUSIC FOR A 5K FUN RUN ON MAY 15, 2011. THE TIME AND ROUTE MAY BE ADJUSTED TO ACCOMMODATE THE AREA CHURCHES SERVICE SCHEDULES. ECKMAN, FORSYTHE, WICKER, AND REICHERT VOTING AYE; MOTION CARRIED.

PRESIDENT DURAN ANNOUNCED THAT COMCAST WILL BE ADDING A MISSING KIDS ON DEMAND OR ONLINE PROGRAM. IT IS A PUBLIC SERVICE PROGRAM, IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE NATIONAL CENTER FOR MISSING & EXPLOITED CHILDREN, TO MAKE INFORMATION REGARDING MISSING CHILDREN AVAILABLE ACROSS THE UNITED STATES.

CORRESPONDENCE

A CARD OF THANKS WAS RECEIVED FROM MR. AND MRS. ANDREWS FOR THE HELP AND KINDNESS THEY RECEIVED REGARDING THEIR STAY IN THE VILLAGE DURING THE BLIZZARD.

TRUSTEE ECKMAN INQUIRED ABOUT BACK UP POWER FOR THE RAILROAD CROSSING GATES. STAFF WILL RESEARCH THE TOPIC.

MOTION BY ECKMAN, SECONDED BY REICHERT, TO ADJOURN THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE PEOTONE VILLAGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES AT 7:41 P.M. ECKMAN, REICHERT, WICKER, AND FORSYTHE VOTING AYE; MOTION CARRIED.

ADJOURNMENT



Donna Werner
Village Clerk