

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS AND SAFETY MINUTES OF JUNE 16, 2022

The regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of Public Works and Safety convened at 9:03 a.m. on Thursday, June 16, 2022, in the Council Chambers of Hammond City Hall. A roll call was taken: Mr. Margraf – present; Mr. Long – present; Mr. Perez – present.

Motion by Mr. Long to approve the Minutes of the meeting of June 9, 2022; seconded by Mr. Perez. AYES ALL. Motion carried.

Under Quote Opening, Hammond French Drain Project – 6th District.

Grimmer Construction, Inc.	\$97,650.00
Salzer Plumbing, Inc.	\$70,000.00

Motion by Mr. Long to refer to Engineering for review and recommendation; seconded by Mr. Perez. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 22-366)

Under Matters from Department Heads/Their Representatives, Mr. Button recommends approval for the request of Grimmer Construction to close eastbound Michigan at Hohman with lane restriction on right-hand northbound Hohman beginning Tuesday June 21, 2022. Motion by Mr. Long to approve; seconded by Mr. Perez. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 22-367)

Under Correspondence, request for advertising dates for June 23, 2022 and June 30, 2022 with a bid opening date of July 21, 2022 for the Hammond Fire Station #2 Project. Motion by Mr. Long to approve; seconded by Mr. Perez. AYES ALL. Motion carried. Res. No. 2858

Correspondence received from City Engineer, Dean Button requesting the approval and electronic signatures of the INDOT-LPA Agreement - Des. No. 1901900 - for the Marquette Greenway – Kennedy to Cline, Right-of-Way Services Agreement. Motion by Mr. Long to approve; seconded by Mr. Perez. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 22-368)

Correspondence received from Milestone requesting permission to restrict and switch traffic back and forth while milling and paving on 165th Street – from Columbia to Summer Street beginning on or after June 22, 2022 for approximately 2-3 weeks. Motion by Mr. Long to approve; seconded by Mr. Perez. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 22-369)

Correspondence received from Grimmer Construction requesting road closure at Detroit from June 20, 2022 through July 8, 2022 for the water main utility relocation. Motion by Mr. Long to approve; seconded by Mr. Perez. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 22-370)

Correspondence received from Councilman Mark Kalwinski requesting the intersection of Hohman Avenue and Huehn Street become a 4-way stop due to numerous collisions, near

misses and recent accidents. Motion by Mr. Long to refer to Engineering for evaluation; seconded by Mr. Perez. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 22-371)

Correspondence received from Calumet College of St. Joseph requesting permission to close Gaspar Avenue on July 21, 2022 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. for their Annual Pierogi 5K Stumble on July 21, 2022. They have obtained permission from the Hammond Port Authority, will contact Polyjohn and no other residents or companies will be impacted by the closure. Motion by Mr. Long to approve; seconded by Mr. Perez. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 22-372)

Correspondence received from resident Felix Reyes requesting permission to hold a block party on the 200 block of Doty on July 4, 2022 from 3:00 p.m. until 10:00 p.m. with signatures attached. Motion by Mr. Long to approve; seconded by Mr. Perez. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 22-373)

Correspondence received from resident Michelle Reynolds requesting permission to hold a block party at on Howard from Michigan Street to Wilcox Street on July 4, 2022 from 8:00 a.m. until 11:00 p.m. with signatures attached. Motion by Mr. Long to approve; seconded by Mr. Perez. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 22-374)

Under New Business, Addendum to the 2022 City-Wide Roadway Lighting Project changing the bid opening date from June 16, 2022 to June 23, 2022. The Board acknowledged. (Ins. No. 22-375)

Commercial Propane Gas Sales Agreement with Suburban Propane, L.P. Motion by Mr. Long to approve; seconded by Mr. Perez. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 22-376)

Billing received from Axis Architecture for Hammond Fire Station No. 2 for the State Review Fees submitted for approval. Motion by Mr. Long to approve and forward to Port Authority for payment; seconded by Mr. Perez. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 22-377)

Disposal Authorizations submitted from the Hammond Police Department. Motion by Mr. Long to approve; seconded by Mr. Perez. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 22-378)

Right of Way Permits (6) submitted for approval from Engineering Department. PH Pashen Ragnar Benson requesting a temporary closure Hohman Avenue. Motion by Mr. Long to approve; seconded by Mr. Perez. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 22-379)

Amusement Devices for the week of June 13, 2022 submitted for approval from Controller's Office. Motion by Mr. Long to approve; seconded by Mr. Perez. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 22-380)

Garage Sale Permits submitted for approval. Motion by Mr. Long to approve; seconded by Mr. Perez. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 22-381)

Under Rental Registration Hearings, 651 114th St. (front and back). Motion by Mr. Long to waive the late fees; seconded by Mr. Perez. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 22-382)

7119 Harrison. Motion by Mr. Long to waive the late fees; seconded by Mr. Perez. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 22-382)

7616 McCook Ave. Motion by Mr. Long to waive the late fees; seconded by Mr. Perez. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 22-382)

826 Merrill St. Motion by Mr. Long to waive the late fees; seconded by Mr. Perez. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 22-382)

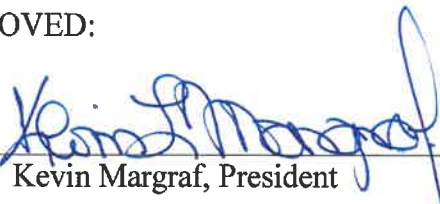
7112 California Ave. Motion by Mr. Long to waive the late fees contingent to filling out the affidavit and homestead exemption; seconded by Mr. Perez. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 22-382)

6838 Kansas. Motion by Mr. Long to waive the late fees; seconded by Mr. Perez. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 22-382)

There being no further business to come before the Board, motion by Mr. Long to adjourn; seconded by Mr. Perez. The regularly scheduled meeting adjourned at 9:34 a.m.

APPROVED:

BY:


Kevin Margraf, President

ATTEST:


Linda Norville-Moles, Board Secretary