Ligonier Common Council Meeting Monday, February 22, 2021 · Ligonier City Hall 301 South Cavin Street · Ligonier, IN – 7:00 pm

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag

Call to order by Council President Ken Schuman

Roll Call

Present: Council President Ken Schuman, Council Members Chris Fought, Doretta Wiegand, and Julia Bell

City Attorney Steve Clouse, and Clerk Treasurer Barb Hawn Absent: Mayor Patty Fisel and Council Member Bill Mills

Minutes from previous meeting of February 8, 2021

Motion to approve: Chris Fought Second: Julia Bell Vote: All Ayes

Citizens Comments

Name & Address: Dale and Susan Boyer -River Street

Recently had water softener rebuilt for what they believe is a problem with the city water and issues with iron. Since this is a matter for the Board of Works, they will return on Wednesday at 10:00 am.

New Business

Riverside Villas - CF1

The CF1 for 2021 was submitted by Riverside Villas for Real Property.

Motion to approve: Chris Fought Second: Julia Bell Vote: All Ayes

Fire Dept. - Request for Volunteers

Chief Weaver asked the council to approve a \$300 One-time COVID Hazard Pay Bonus to six medical first responder volunteers who are not full-time employees but who responded to the majority of calls over the past year. The funding would come from the Fire Relief Wage Budget. He asked that council allow City Attorney Clouse to prepare an amendment to the salary ordinance to allow for the bonus.

Motion to approve: Chris Fought Second: Julia Bell Vote: All Ayes

Claim Registers - APV # 61858-61988

Motion to approve: Chris Fought Second: Julia Bell Vote: All Ayes

Comments by Members of Council and Administration

Fire Chief Jeremy Weaver

Distributed the annual report to members. Went over a few highlights and was available to answer questions.

Street Superintendent Mike Burdette

Thanks to other city departments for assistance with the snowstorm.

Public Safety Director/Police Chief Bryan Shearer

Showed video from the Body Worn Camera System to show the clarity of the video and audio and the different views available.

Water Superintendent Jeff Boyle

Will have his year-end report in March.

Park Director Travis Brimhall

Putting registration together for a disc golf league in March for seven weeks. Our course will be sanctioned.

Council Member Chris Fought

 Fire station committee met last week. Met with Travis. Feels the project will fall best under the park department. Part of the concern is the immediate need of the building – windows especially. Roof is good now.

Clerk-Treasurer Barb Hawn

 AFR will be ready to send this week, after receiving the asset updates. Ken Schuman has reviewed and has approved submission of the report.

Adjournment

Motion to adjourn: Chris Fought Second: Julia Bell

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