

Village of Iola
Regular Meeting
April , 2022 6:30 P.M.

Meeting called to order by Victor Mitchell

Trustees attended:

Chirs Scott

Chad Smith

Kevin Horath

Absent

Lloyd Weidner

Michael Butts

Village Clerk Carol Oestreich and Treasurer Elise Budde Present

Meeting was called to order. Due to not enough trustees present, Mayor stepped down to trustee position and Clerk ran the meeting.

Eric Bailey with Larkinsburg township was present to express his interest in taking over Mockingbird Rd if the Village de-annex this from Village limits. Also discussed the removal of an old water meter located at the township building.

Reading of minutes of the regular meeting March 7, 2022 Motion was made to approve by Kevin Horath and Chris Scott 2nd . All in favor.

Treasury report was read and passed around. Motion was made to approve by Chris Scott and Chad Smith 2nd

Old Business

Discussed the de-annexing of Mockingbird Rd. After reviewing the maintenance cost the Village spent last year, taking in consideration the rock and labor, motion was made to de-annex Mockingbird road by Kevin Horath and 2nd by Victor Mitchell.

Update from the clerk on the replacement pump house door that was being considered. It is high quality door that should last several years. The last door has been in place for 25 yrs. It was decided to go ahead and get the door ordered and Tom Butcher has agreed to install. Motion was made by Chris Scott and 2nd Victor Mitchell.

Report from the clerk on the cost from Ameren to put an additional street light on West Elm and Church St. The Village would be responsible for the extension to the nearest pole which would be \$747.50. (\$6.50 a foot for 115'. It was decided not to pursue that at this time. Motion was made by Kevin Horath and 2nd by Chad Smith.

It was reported that new findings on the pond request on Pine Street. Landowner will have to apply for a permit with Army Core of engineers and get approval before moving forward. This is due to possibility contamination of water.

New Business

Clerk reported that Medicom are in the process of applying for a grant to bring fiber to the Village of Iola.

The 2022 road maintenance program was reviewed and approved. Plans are to try to do some oil and chip this year . Motion to approve was made by Kevin Horath and Victor Mitchell 2nd .

There was discussion regarding whether a property owner should have to pay for sewer taps that are not being used but are on their property. Clerk will report at next meeting on the number of customers this would apply to.

Motion was made to pay monthly bills by Chris Scott and Chad Smith 2nd.

Motion to adjourn was made by Chis Scott and Chad Smith 2nd.

Village Clerk

Carol Oestreich