

Rocky Ripple Town Council Meeting  
June 12, 2018

Rocky Ripple Town Board Chair Carla Gaff Clark called the meeting to order at 7:31 p.m. Town board member Jill Morris was in attendance as well as clerk-treasurer Kandy Kendall.

#### Secretary Report

Jill made a motion to accept the secretary's report. Carla seconded it.

#### Treasurer Report

Jill made a motion to accept the treasurer report. Carla seconded it.

Kandy indicated she has an appointment with the Department of Local Finance on August 24<sup>th</sup> for our Town's budget meeting and that the Board needs to set a pre-budget meeting prior to this date. It was decided the Board will meet on July 31<sup>st</sup> at 7:00 p.m. for our first budget meeting.

#### Old Business

Carla reported that on July 24 at 7 :00 p.m. AECOM will present final options for the Rocky Ripple flood wall. The meeting will be held on the Butler Campus in the pharmacy building. The Board will do an email blast and hand out flyers to each house prior to the meeting so that residents will have time to plan on attending. The AECOM report is not ready at this time but as soon as it is, Carla indicated Mandy will send out an email blast directing residents to go to the Department of Public Works webpage in order to review and formulate any questions residents may have prior to the public meeting.

#### Tree Cutting

A report was made to the Board concerning the tree overhanging the street at 52<sup>nd</sup> & Riverview. It is in the right away but according to the Town's attorney, the property owner is responsible for the right of way. Marshal Mike will talk to the homeowner concerning this. Marshal Mike will again be going around town to remind people to cut back the brush in their right of way.

#### Paving

Carla reported the Town still has not heard about the Indianapolis DPW Grant the Community Association applied for in February. Kandy indicated the INDOT grant can be submitted August 6. A discussion was held by the Board concerning how much money the Town will allocate towards the INDOT grant; which is a 25%/75% split.

Jill moved the Board allocate \$30,000.00 for the INDOT grant and Carla seconded it. The grant will ask for paving the same streets from the 2017 grant, which was not awarded to the Town, and add more after Marshal Mike reviews the streets. Marshal Mike asked that if anyone knows of an area needing attention, to let him know.

## New Business

There was no new business to address.

## Committee Reports

### RREM

RREM will offer a course titled "Stop the Bleed", which will teach persons how to stop wounds and apply tourniquets. This class is above and beyond an introductory first aid class. The class is open to the public and will be held July 14<sup>th</sup> 9-10:30 at the townhall. The class will be presented by the Hamilton County Health Department.

### RRCA

Dhyana reported the Art Festival is going along pretty well. Currently forty artists have sent in their application fees as well as one sponsor. The food vendors are all lined and have their permits.

### Marshal

Marshal Mike reported that he has gotten the new phone account set up with Verizon and is waiting on the equipment to come in. He will have an IPHONE 6, which can send mass text. This will be helpful for working with RREM.

The Butler camps have started so the streets leading into the field are now busy from 800 to 2100.

Mike reported that after last month's citizen's concern, he spoke to the rooster owner and the problem seems to be resolved.

The police car seems to be fine and nothing other than regular maintenance is required at this time.

## Community Concerns

A resident asked why there are no minutes for 2018 on line. Carla will check with Mandy. Julie Bleakley indicated her father, Wiley Dummich, who is an artist at our annual art festival, will be honored July 28<sup>th</sup> in DC as a veteran who gave service to his country. Julie asked if everyone would send a letter thanking him for his service. These letters will be given to the veterans on the plane trip home. Please send your letter to Julie's home and she will get them to the congressman. Julie asked the Board if they would send out an e-blast with her request.

With no further business, Jill moved the meeting be adjourned and Carla seconded it. Carla called the meeting adjourned at 8:13.

Respectfully submitted,

Kandy Kendall  
Clerk Treasurer