

December 16, 2019
RICHWOOD VILLAGE COUNCIL

Following the Pledge of Allegiance, the regular meeting of the Richwood Village Council was called to order by Council President, Reddy Brown, December 16, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

Council President Brown called for attendance, Council members present: George Showalter, Von Beal, Laurie Eliot-Shea, Donald Ridgeway, and Pat Morse. Police Chief / Village Administrator Monte Asher, Solicitor Alison Boggs, Fiscal Officer Sarah Sellers, Zoning Officer Marion Bump and other residents were present.

Pat Morse moved and George Showalter seconded a motion to approve the meeting minutes from 12/09/2019. The minutes were approved unanimously.

George Showalter moved and Donald Ridgeway seconded a motion to approve the warrants as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

Visitors from Boy Scout Club 109 were present with Leader Kevin Hillyard, Traven Reber, and RJ Hillyard. The Boys Scouts requested to ask some questions to Council once the meeting adjourns.

Pat Morse moved and George Showalter seconded the 2020 meeting dates with changes to March 23 and December 21. The motion passed unanimously.

Von Beal moved and Donald Ridgeway seconded the approval for the temporary budget for 2020. Motion passed unanimously.

Mayor's report was presented to council. President of Council stated that Mayor Jerew is at the School Board meeting tonight to get a decision on the Resilience Center. The approving of the meeting dates for 2020 was approved in legislation.

Administration Report was presented to Council. Lighting update; will be four weeks before lights are installed and burning. Police update: Officer Crees went to additional training for report writing. Shop with a cop was Saturday December 14.

Finance Report was presented to Council. The temporary budget will be submitted to Union County Auditor before January 1. Working on a list of legislation that has been passed for Walter Drane.

Old Business presented to council; Monte Asher discussed the Franklin Street improvement payout that is included in the packet. This information may change the budget.

Laurie Eliot-Shea presented a proposal for tree regulations in the tree lawn. After discussion, it was decided that more information was needed and the subject was tabled until next meeting.

New Business; Marion Bump, zoning officer asked if a business owner would be sited or penalized if snow was not removed from their property. Council stated that it is requested that the snow be removed. There is no penalty. However, the business owner would be held responsible if there were an injury.

Von Beal moved and Pat Morse seconded a motion to adjourn and Council approved the motion unanimously. Council President Brown adjourned the meeting at 8:04 PM.

Mayor

Fiscal Officer