

**VILLAGE OF RIVERDALE**  
**REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

**Tuesday May 28, 2024**

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**I. Call To Order:** The Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Riverdale was called to order by Mayor Lawrence Jackson at 7:01 pm

**II. Roll Call:**

**Trustees:** Rodrick Jefferson, Cassandra Riley-Pinkney, Greg Lewis, Brenda William, Erik LeVere and Brad Smith  
Quorum was present.

Present: Chief Willie Darkried, Public Works Supt Todd Henning, Michele Ellzey, Village Engineer Chuck Hodges Village Attorney Ryan Morton and Village Clerk Karen Holcomb

**III. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the USA was recited**

**IV. Approval of the Regular Board Meeting Minutes dated March 26, 2024 and Special Meeting Minutes dated May 3, 2024**

Mayor Jackson entertained a motion to adopt.

Motion by Trustee Smith and seconded by Trustee LeVere

Roll Call:

Yeas: Trustee LeVere, Smith, Riley-Pinkney, Jefferson, Lewis & Williams

Nays: None

Motion Passed

**V. Correspondence:** None

**VI. Announcements:** Village Clerk Karen Holcomb indicated the annual Spring Cleanup Day is June 8<sup>th</sup>

**VI. Approval of the Regular Corporate Bills prior to the period ending Friday May 24, 2024**

Trustee Smith indicated the amount was \$1,176,239.19

Mayor Jackson entertained a motion to adopt the Corporate Bills

Motion by Trustee Smith and seconded by Trustee Jefferson

Roll Call:

Yeas: Trustee Jefferson, Smith, Riley-Pinkney, Lewis, Williams and LeVere

Nays: None

Motion Passed

**VII. Unfinished Business - None**

**VIII. New Business**

**A. A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND APPROVING THE PURCHASE OF FIVE PROPERTIES WITHIN THE VILLAGE OF RIVERDALE FROM THE COOK COUNTY LAND BANK AUTHORITY FOR FUTURE DEVELOPMENT**

Mayor Jackson referred to Atty Morton. He indicated there were actually 15 properties. 2 of which the Village already owns and requests an amendment to the Resolution as such.

Mayor Jackson entertained a motion to amend.

Motion by Trustee Smith and seconded by Trustee Williams

By Voice Vote Motion Passed

Mayor Jackson entertained a motion to adopt as amended

Motion by Trustee Smith and seconded by Trustee Williams

Roll Call:

Yeas: Trustee Williams, Smith, Riley-Pinkney, Jefferson, Lewis and LeVere

Nays: None

Motion Passed

**B. AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 10.68 OF THE RIVERDALE MUNICIPAL CODE REGARDING PARKING FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES**

Mayor Jackson referred to Atty Morton. He stated there's language in the Code that indicates the Board of Trustees would be included in the approval of installation of handicap poles. The amendment will state the Chief of Police grants the approval.

Mayor Jackson entertained a motion to adopt

Motion by Trustee LeVere and seconded by Trustee Riley-Pinkney

Motion Passed

**IX. Public Comments: -**

1. Mr. Clark 14101 S. Stewart says there's an abandoned house with broken windowpanes blowing in the wind that he's concerned about being injured. Inspectional Services to inspect.
2. Vickie Williams asked if contractors could burn construction materials. Chief Bruce indicated they couldn't and inspection to be done.

Mayor Jackson entertained a motion to adjourn the Regular Board Meeting

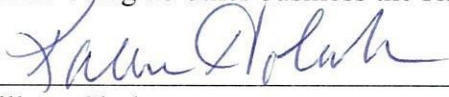
Motion by Trustee Riley-Pinkney and second by Trustee Williams

Roll Call:

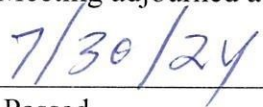
Yeas: Trustee Williams, Riley-Pinkney, Jefferson, Lewis, LeVere and Smith

Nays: None

There being no other business the Regular Board Meeting adjourned at 7:14pm.

  
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Village Clerk

  
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Date Passed