

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

**Tuesday May 25, 2021**

---

**I. Call To Order:** The Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Riverdale was called to order by Mayor Lawrence L. Jackson via telephone conference at 7:32 P.M.

**II. Roll Call:** Trustees: Rodrick Jefferson, Cassandra Riley-Pinkney, Greg Lewis, Brenda Williams and Bradley Smith

Department Heads attending:  
Police Chief Dave DeMik, Fire Chief Mick Smith, Supt of Public Works Jerome Russell, Finance Director David Gonzalez, Village Engineer Chuck Hodges, Village Attorney Rich Bruen and Village Clerk Karen Holcomb

There being a quorum present the meeting was in order.

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

**IV. Approval of the Regular Board Meeting Minutes dated April 27, 2021**

Mayor Jackson entertained a motion to adopt.

Motion by Trustee Smith and second by Trustee Jefferson

Roll Call:

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

Nays: None

Motion Passed

**V. Corporate Bills**

Approval of the Regular Corporate Bills for the Period ending Friday May 21, 2021

Mayor Jackson entertained a motion to approve

Motion by Trustee Smith and second by Trustee Jefferson to approve the Regular Corporate Bills in the amount of \$941,078.62

Roll Call:

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

Nays: None

Motion Passed

**VI. Correspondence - None**

**VII. Announcements** – Village Clerk Holcomb stated Principal Montgomery from Riverdale School would like to have an ice cream truck come out for 5/27 & 5/28 as school ends. Mayor Jackson asks that Ms. Montgomery reach out to Chief Smith.

**VIII. Unfinished Business – None**

**IX. New Business**

1. AN ORDINANCE OF THE VILLAGE OF RIVERDALE, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS, GRANTING A CONDITIONAL USE TO ALLOW A “CARTAGE AND EXPRESS FACILITIES” USE WITHIN THE I-1 RESTRICTED INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT (610 W. 138<sup>TH</sup> STREET)

Mayor Jackson referred to the Zoning Board Hearing that had just taken place.

Mayor Jackson entertained a motion to adopt.

Motion by Trustee Jefferson and second by Trustee Williams

Roll Call:

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

Nays: None

Motion Passed

2. A RESOLUTION OF THE VILLAGE OF RIVERDALE, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS, AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF AN AGREEMENT FOR POLICE AND FIRE ENTRY LEVEL TESTING SERVICES.

Mayor Jackson referred to Chief Smith. He stated this to do entry fire testing. Chief Smith stated currently we are down 2 members. We will be down a total of 4 members in the next 2 months. Through the testing process we hope to hire some entry level people

Mayor Jackson entertained a motion to adopt.

Motion by Trustee Smith and second by Trustee LeVere

Roll Call:

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

Nays: None

Motion Passed

Mayor Jackson mentioned we would probably be going back to in person meetings since Gov. Pritzker has opened things up. The Trustees were polled and all agreed.

**X. Public Comment:**

**XI. Adjournment:**

Mayor Lawrence Jackson entertained a motion to adjourn the Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees

Motion by Trustee Jefferson and second by Trustee Williams

Roll Call:

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

Motion Passed

There being no other business the Regular Board Meeting adjourned at 8:02pm.

Karen Holuh  
Village Clerk

6/22/21  
Date Passed