

VILLAGE OF RIVERDALE
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
Tuesday March 11, 2025

I. Call To Order: The Special Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Village Of Riverdale was called to order by Mayor Lawrence L. Jackson at the Village Board Chambers located at 157 W. 144th Street Riverdale, IL at 7:02 PM

II. Roll Call: Upon Roll Call, the following Trustees answered present:
Trustees: Rodrick Jefferson, Gregory Lewis, Cassandra Riley-Pinkney, Brenda Williams and Bradley Smith

There being a quorum present the meeting was in order

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

III. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

IV. Correspondence: None

V. Announcements: None

VI. Corporate Bills:

1. APPROVAL OF THE REGULAR CORPORATE BILLS PRIOR TO THE PERIOD ENDING February 21, 2025

Trustee Smith indicated the bill amount was \$973,697.74

Mayor Jackson entertained a motion to approve

Motion by Trustee Smith and seconded by Trustee Lewis

Roll Call:

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

Nays: None

Motion Passed

VII. UNFINISHED BUSINESS - None

VIII. NEW BUSINESS

1. A resolution appointing Lawrence McMahon to fill the vacancy in the Office of Trustee for the Village of Riverdale

Mayor Jackson entertained a motion to adopt

Item failed for lack of a motion

IX. PUBLIC COMMENT –

1. M. Smith expressed concern about Trustee LeVere resigning and his position to be filled by a Mayor appointee.
2. A. Dennis inquired about why there was no notice of Trustee's LeVere's resignation prior to the 2/25 Election. Atty Morton indicated there was no requirement per election law to do so.
3. Mrs. Airhart inquired about the qualifications to become a Trustee. Atty Morton indicated to be a Riverdale resident and be appointed by the Mayor. Also to be elected into the office.
4. Mr. Airhart inquired if Mayor Jackson knew that Chief Darkried came to the park while he was distributing food. Mayor Jackson indicated he would speak to him after the meeting.

X. EXECUTIVE SESSION

XI. ADJOURN

Mayor Jackson entertained a motion to adjourn:

Motion by Trustee Smith and second by Trustee Riley-Pinkney

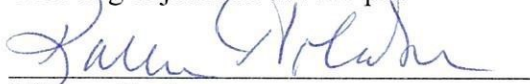
Roll Call:

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

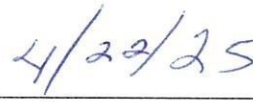
Nays: None

Motion Passed

Meeting adjourned at 7:11 pm



Village Clerk



Date Passed