

**Minutes December 20, 2006**  
**Board of Public Works and Safety**

The Board of Public Works and Safety met for a regular meeting, Wednesday, December 20, 2006, at 5:00 p.m., in the City Chambers, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor, City Building, Logansport, Indiana.

Silent **Roll Call** was taken. Those present were Mayor Fincher, Deputy Mayor Klinck, & Joe Casalini. City Attorney Burns was present.

Others present: Building Commissioner Hostetler, Fire Chief McMinn, Cemetery Sexton Mike Nicoll, and Code Enforcer Officer Hileman.

Media: Dave Kitchell, Pharos Tribune and Zach Enyart, WSAL.

**Minutes** from December 13, 2006, accepted as presented on a vote of 3-0.

**Claims** of **\$246,320.94** were approved 3-0.

**Old Business:**

On a vote of 3-0, an Agreement between American Consulting, Inc. and the City of Logansport was approved and signed. For a sum of \$214,000.00, American Consulting, Inc will design the roads for the new Ivy Tech campus.

**New Business:**

- ❖ Code Enforcer Officer Hileman presented her weekly report. Her recommendation for cleanup at 508 Bates Street, owned by Jeff Murray and 1111 North Street, owned by Jesus Javier, was approved on a vote of 3-0. The Street Department will do the cleanup at \$250.00 per hour, an Administration fee of \$50.00 and Fine of \$50.00 will be the responsibility of property owner.
- ❖ Building Commissioner Hostetler presented his weekly report. His department has collected \$290.00 in various fees during the past week. Phyllis J. Monroe, property owner of 4 3<sup>rd</sup>. Street, was ordered to appear before the Board of Public Works and Safety. Mr. Hostetler submitted, as requested, a proposal from Mattox & Associates for demolition drawings and specifications, framing plans, and roof plans showing the structural repairs and new roof construction. His fees are \$80.00 per hour not to exceed \$6,500.00. In addition, reimbursable expenses for reproduction costs, shipping, and long-distance telephone will be an added charge. Mr. Hostetler was instructed to contact Public Works Committee Chairman to set up a meeting, ASAP. Council's approval will be necessary to obtain the funding. This matter was taken under advisement until determination by council. On a vote of 3-0, this report was accepted.
- ❖ Mayor Fincher announced the continuance of health insurance with Dunn and Associates. The increase in premiums is 3.9% or \$72,491.00 over 2006.

**Comments:**

Mayor Fincher wished everyone a Merry Christmas.

**Visitor Comments:**

There being no other business before The Board of Public Works and Safety.

**Adjournment:** 5:12 p.m.

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Ruth Ellen Bland, IAMC/CMC  
Clerk Treasurer

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Michael Fincher  
Mayor of Logansport

