

Minutes August 24, 2011
Board of Public Works and Safety

The Board of Public Works and Safety met for a regular meeting, Wednesday, August 24, 2011, at 9:00 a.m., in the City Chambers, 3rd floor, City Building, Logansport, Indiana.

Silent Roll Call: Those present were Mayor Fincher, Joe Casalini and Linda Klinck. Others present: Code Enforcement Officer Dee Hileman, Street Commissioner Don Crain and Building Commissioner Hostetler. Deputy City Attorney Mark Leeman was present.

Minutes from August 17, 2011, accepted as presented on a vote of 3-0.

Claims of \$142,531.63 approved as presented.

Approved for Electrician's license, Kevin Kranz; Logansport.

Change to the Agenda: Add 4) Street Commissioner D. Crain

Old Business: Board of Works Resolution 2011-04 was taken under advisement for one week.

New Business:

Code Enforcer Officer Hileman delivered her weekly report. The following address (es) is (are) recommended for the Logansport Street Department for cleanup at a rate of \$250.00 per hour, \$75.00 landfill fee, plus a \$50.00 Administration and \$50.00 fine: The finding of facts and entire report were affirmed on a vote of 3-0.

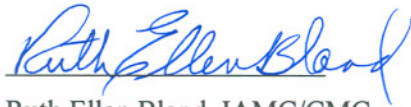
Building Commissioner Hostetler delivered his weekly report. The department has collected \$1,711.00 in various fees during the past week. Condemnation was lifted on property located at 702 N. 3rd Street. Action on property located at 706 13th Street was continued until September 28th. Mr. Hostetler said the Fire Department will inspect and secure unsafe structures in the future. Ms. Klinck requested inspection of rental property located at the corner of Wilkinson and W. Market. The finding of facts and entire report affirmed on a vote of 3-0.

The Cass County Family Y received permission for its 1st Annual Dunn's Fun Run event on Saturday, October 1, 2011. The race will begin at 8:30 a.m. and end by 10:00 a.m. A map of the race route and proof of insurance provided.

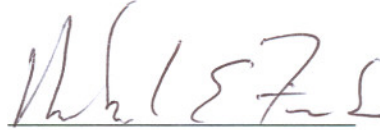
Street Commissioner Don Crain informed board members of a problem with certain tree trimmers companies dumping branches and debris in the street and people's driveways for the street department to pick up. Mr. Crain requested help from the board and Atty. Mark Leeman in addressing this problem. Mayor Fincher moved, seconded by Linda Klinck to send the offending company a letter of explanation and an invoice for payment. The Street Department cannot be used by private companies free of charge.

Motion passed 3-0. Atty. Leeman will review the possibilities of adding tree trimmers to same ordinance as used for Building Contractors.

There being no further business: **Adjournment:** 9:25 a.m.



Ruth Ellen Bland, IAMC/CMC
Clerk Treasurer



Michael Fincher
Mayor of Logansport