

Minutes February 16, 2011
Board of Public Works and Safety

The Board of Public Works and Safety met for a regular meeting, Wednesday, February 16, 2011, at 5:00 p.m., in the City Chambers, 3rd floor, City Building, Logansport, Indiana.

Silent Roll Call: Those present were Mayor Fincher, Deputy Mayor Klinck and Joe Casalini. Others present: Code Enforcement Officer Dee Hileman, Police Chief A.J. Rozzi, Fire Chief Bernie Mittica, DJ Sommers, and Building Commissioner Hostetler. Deputy City Attorney Mark Leeman was present.

Media: Bob Ehle, WSAL Radio, and Kevin Lilly, Pharos Tribune.

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Minutes from February 09, 2011, accepted as presented on a vote of 3-0.

Claims of \$289,833.70 approved as presented.

Change to the Agenda: 6) Change in meeting schedule.

Old Business: -0-

New Business:

Code Enforcer Officer Hileman presented her department's 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: Summer Baumgart, 314 C Street. 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 \$367.00 in various fees during the past week. Certificate of occupancy allowed for 501 E. Broadway, Logansport Broadwalk Café. The finding of facts and entire report were affirmed on a vote of 3-0.

Proposal between U.S. Cellular and the City of Logansport approved on a vote of 3-0. After taking quotes Police Chief A.J. Rozzi recommended the Board of Works and Public Safety enter into a contract with U.S. Cellular for cell phone services because it provided a unique opportunity for savings and that U.S. Cellular was the only responsive provider that could deliver the quality of service required by the police department. The change away from Sprint will save the city approximately \$400.00 per month.

Fire Chief Bernie Mittica presented the activity report, for the fire department, the month of January.

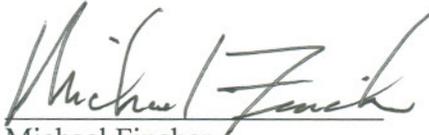
Police Chief A.J. Rozzi recommended DJ Sommers' promotion from patrol officer to 1st Sergeant. The recommendation approved on a vote of 3-0, effective February 16, 2011. Police Chief A.J. Rozzi announced the approval of a 100% Grant for e-tickets from DCJ. Chief Rozzi also mentioned the good work on his departments' drug interventions.

Mayor Fincher announced a change in meeting schedule for the Board of Works and Public Safety. On the first Wednesday of the month, starting March 2, the Board of Works and Public Safety will meet at 5:00 p.m. Otherwise, the Board of Works and Public Safety will meet at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesdays.

Other Business:

There being no further business: **Adjournment:** 5:23 p.m.


Ruth Ellen Bland, IAMC/CMC
Clerk Treasurer


Michael Fincher
Mayor of Logansport

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