

**Richlawn City Commission
Minutes of the Regular Meeting
March 17, 2014**

The regular meeting of the Richlawn City Council was held on Monday, March 17, 2014, at the Old National Bank on Shelbyville Road & Hubbards Lane. Present were Mayor Patrick Coomes, Commissioners Roger Rymarz, Henry Thoben and Rae Taylor, along with Clerk/Treasurer Jeff Barrick and Richlawn Attorney Steve Porter. Commissioner Dirk Gowin was absent. Also in attendance was Richlawn resident Susan Bell.

Mayor Coomes called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

A. Mr. Barrick presented the bills to be paid in March:

Rumpke	ACH	2716.35
LG&E	ACH	436.85
Extra Space Storage	VISA	106.00
Albert Rae Taylor	1973	270.45
Dirk Gowin	1974	270.45
Henry Thoben	1975	270.45
Jeff P Barrick	1976	1081.80
Patrick Coomes	1977	676.13
Roger Rymarz	1978	270.45
Lora Sarver	1979	10.97
Louisville Fence & Deck	1980	175.00
Neighborhood Security & Asset Protection	1981	560.00
Paul's Fruit Market	1982	25.00
Roger Rymarz	1983	23.31
Valley Crest	1984	530.00
Nick DeVore	1965	30.00

- Discussion ensued over the payment to Valley Crest. Commissioner Taylor thought the council would approve the bills that were in question at the last meeting prior to payment being sent. Mr. Barrick stated the payment was sent after Valley Crest and Commissioner Taylor reached an agreement as stated in the February minutes. All agreed.
- Commissioner Rymarz made a motion to pay the bills, Commissioner Thoben seconded the motion and it passed unanimously

B. Minutes from February Meeting

- Commissioner Taylor made a motion to approve the minutes from the February meeting. Commissioner Thoben seconded the motion and it passed unanimously

C. Infrastructure (Hubbards Lane)

- Richlawn resident Susan Bell was curious what the status of the Hubbards Lane project was and wanted to know when the next public meeting will be held.
- The council did not have any updates.
- Ms. Bell asked if the federal funding was tied to putting in bike paths. The council agreed that Commissioner Gowin would be the best individual to ask.
- Ms. Bell wanted to know how Richlawn feels about the Hubbards Lane project and if they treat Hubbard's as a residential street.
- Commissioner Thoben stated another meeting is needed. He has received several calls asking about the next meeting.
- Ms. Bell feels Hubbards will become more commercial. Mr. Porter stated zoning was his specialty and he believes this is very unlikely.

D. Open Forum

- Commissioner Taylor stated he is concerned with trains and how that causes long backups on Hubbards Lane.
- Mr. Porter suggested Richlawn really push for turn-arounds in each lawn
- Commissioner Thoben suggested we cut the police patrols to save money. Discussion ensued and the decision was made not to cut the patrols
- The city's roads are in bad shape after the harsh winter. The city may want to wait until after the Hubbards Lane project in order to minimize further damage.

E. Adjourn

1. Mayor Coomes stated the next meeting will be held on Monday April 21, 2014 at 7:30 PM at Old National Bank on Hubbards Lane
2. Commissioner Rymarz made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:23 PM; it was seconded by Commissioner Thoben and passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted:

Jeff Barrick
Clerk/Treasurer

Patrick Coomes
Mayor