

CITY OF GOSHEN COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES
May 15, 2023

The regular meeting of the City of Goshen Commission was called to order at 7:00 PM by Mayor Bobby Thacker at North Oldham Fire Station, 1660 Hwy 1793, Goshen, KY with the following members present:

Bobby Thacker	Mayor	1014 Rollingwood Lane
Doug Morales	Commissioner	1014 Club Drive
Jeff Mangan	Commissioner	1101 Meadowridge Trail
Bill Rolfes	Commissioner	1042 Rolling wood Lane
Traci Hargrove	Commissioner	1100 Crestview Way
Joyce Morpew	City Clerk/ Treasurer	1102 Meadowridge Trail

Welcome – Bobby Thacker called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance

Minutes of April 17, 2023, Mangan made a motion to approve the minutes as presented Rolfes seconded the motion. All voted aye to approve the April 17, 2023, minutes.

Minutes of April 18, 2023, Hargrove motioned to approve the special meeting minutes of April 18, 2023. Mangan seconded the motion, all voted aye to approve.

The committee heads gave the following updates.:

Budget Committee- Jeff Mangan

Mangan reported he reviewed the April financials. Mangan motioned to approve the April financial reports. Rolfes seconded the motion. All voted aye.

Ordinance Enforcement – Jeff Mangan

Street and yard parking continues to be a problem. Violation notices and citations have been sent.

Street and Public Works – Bill Rolfes

Striping of speed humps and repair of two potholes not completed.

Sanitation – Bill Rolfes

Extension of Republic Services contract has been received. The renewal calls for a .99 cent per house increase. Rates through June 30, 2025 will be \$13.36 per month. Rates will increase to \$14.42 on July 1, 2025.

Newsletter – Traci Hargrove

The next newsletter should be published in July.

Website – Traci Hargrove

Outdated information to be removed.

Drainage/ Stormwater –Doug Morales

The owner of 1023 Harmony Landing will wait until winter to have the city replace trees in his yard.

Morales stated he received a complaint from the new owner of 1018 Harmony Landing regarding water washing out his yard during heavy rains. Morales will meet with the homeowner.

Architectural Control – Doug Morales

Driveway extension was denied at 1107 Crestview Way. The owner was informed more information is required before the driveway and retaining wall could be considered.

Public Protection/ Health & Safety – Bobby Thacker

Thacker reported the hourly rate for sheriff deputies will increase by 25% on July 1st. The current rate is \$40 per hour, the new rate will be \$50. Patrols will have to be decreased to stay on budget. Morales motioned to approve a contract with OC Sheriff's Office, Mangan seconded the motion. All voted aye.

Parks – Bobby Thacker

The sports courts have been completed. Netting from the grass mat had to be cut out as it was getting tangled up in the lawn mower. The Wi-Fi is up and running. Security cameras have been installed.

The remaining benches have been installed by the scouts. Some of the benches need to be leveled.

Beautification – Bobby Thacker

Several dead shrubs were replaced at the front entrances. Several more may have to be replaced in the fall.

The entrance wall at Club Drive is almost complete, waiting on the top cap and center banner. The electricity has been repaired.

Administrative Issues

None

New Business

First reading of Ordinance 1, 2023, an ordinance amending the fiscal 2022/2023 budget.

First reading of Ordinance 2, 2023, an ordinance adopting the 2023/2024 property tax rate.

First reading of Ordinance 3, 2023, an ordinance adopting a budget for fiscal year 2023/2024

Introduction and first reading of Ordinance 4, 2023, an ordinance amending Ordinance 1, 2016, compensation of Mayor and Commissioners. The amended ordinance removes the stipulation that members must attend the monthly meeting to be paid.

Code board members Frank Rose and Robert Underwood terms have expired.

Old Business –

None

Public Comment –

None

Adjourn – Rolfes motioned to adjourn, Mangan seconded the motion. All voted aye to adjourn. The meeting adjourned at 7:36 pm.

Attest:

Joyce Morpew
City Clerk/ Treasurer
5/15/2023

Bobby Thacker
Mayor