

CITY OF GOSHEN COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES
September 15, 2021

The meeting of the City of Goshen Commission was called to order at 7:00 PM by Mayor Bobby Thacker via Zoom with the following members present:

Bobby Thacker	Mayor	1014 Rollingwood Lane
Bill Rolfes	Commissioner	1042 Rollingwood Lane
Doug Morales	Commissioner	1014 Club Drive
Todd Hall	Commissioner	1111 Crestview Way
Jeff Mangan	Commissioner	1101 Meadowridge Trail
Joyce Morphew	City Clerk/ Treasurer	1102 Meadowridge Trail

Guest: Steve Emly, OHM Advisors

Minutes

Commissioner Rolfes motioned to approve the August 16, 2021 meeting minutes. Commissioner Morales seconded the motion. All voted aye. Minutes were approved.

Stormwater Mitigation/ Drainage – Todd Hall

City Clerk, Joyce Morphew reported the city did not receive any bids for the Harmony Landing drainage project. The commission discussed with Steve Emly how to rework the bid specifications to get contractors to bid. The project will be advertised for bid as lump sum project.

Budget and Finance – Bill Rolfes

Rolfes stated he reviewed the August 2021 financials and motioned to approve. Hall seconded the motion. All voted aye. Rolfes reported two road aid certificates of deposit have matured and been rolled into one 13 month no penalty certificate of deposit. Rolfes stated he is still looking into investment options for city funds.

Parks – Bill Rolfes

Rolfes reported LG&E has made the final connection and the electric is working at Springmeadow Park.

Beautification – Bill Rolfes

Rolfes reported the new irrigation company completed the backflow test on the irrigation system. The street banners will be changed by the end of the month.

Special Events – Bill Rolfes

Rolfes reported North Oldham fire personnel will judge the holiday lighting contest. Judging will take place the evening of December 10th.

Rolfes stated Santa has been booked for the December 11th holiday event. Santa will arrive by firetruck. Stockings and crafts have been received. Rolfes stated he's working on food and a DJ. Thacker asked if there is a contingency plan for rain or snow. Rolfes stated no contingency plan.

Website- Todd Hall

Hall stated he has added the city’s open records policy to the website.

Architectural Control – Doug Morales

No report.

Street and Public Works – Doug Morales

Morales reported stop and children at play signs have been installed. Morales reported a bid of \$3200 has been received to clear the overgrowth from along Hollendale and Valley and to trim all low limbs from over city streets. Chipping service will also be provided to residents. Morales motioned to approve bid of \$3200 for trimming and up to \$250 per hour for chipping services. Mangan seconded the motion. Morales, Mangan, Rolfes and Hall voted aye. Thacker voted nay.

Morales stated Louisville Water still has not responded to city regarding the hole in the road at 1002 Club Drive. Morales is also trying to get in touch with ATT regarding the hole as it appeared after ATT installed fiber at that location.

Ordinance Enforcement – Jeff Mangan

Mangan reported 8-10 letters were sent out last month.

Public Safety – Jeff Mangan

Mangan reported no unusual activity last month.

Sanitation/ Snow Removal –Bobby Thacker

Semi-annual junk pickup is scheduled for November 8th.

Newsletter – Bobby Thacker

Thacker stated a newsletter will go out soon.

Administrative Issues – Bobby Thacker

Thacker asked everyone to run updates on there city iPad.

Old Business

None

New Business

None

Public Comment

Gary Smith gave public comment.

Hall motioned to adjourn; Morales seconded the motion. All voted aye.

Respectfully submitted:

Joyce Morphew
Clerk/ Treasurer
10/18/2021

Approved:

Bobby Thacker
Mayor