

Clerk's Office
Village of Westmont

MINUTES OF THE BOARD MEETING HELD **Thursday, July 25, 2013.**

Mayor Gunter called the meeting to order at **7:00 PM.**

WESTMONT VILLAGE BOARD MEETING ROLL CALL:

PRESENT: Mayor Gunter P Clerk Szymiski P

TRUSTEES: Addington P Barker P
Barry P Nero P
Scott P Senicka P

STAFF:

Searl P

(Village Manager)

Parker P

(Finance Director)

Carlson A

(Staff Accountant)

Skala A

(Fire Dept. Administration)

Dep. Chief Brenza A

(Police Dept.)

Liljeberg P

(I.T. Manager)

Chief Weiss A

(Fire Dept.)

Chief Mulhearn P

(Police Dept.)

Malik P

(Acting Community Devl. Dir)

Casey A

(H.R. Director)

Ramsey A

(Water Dept. Supervisor)

Dep. Chief Gunther A

(Police Dept.)

McIntyre A

(Communication Coordinator)

Ziegler P

(Village Planner)

May P

(Public Works Director & Asst. Village Mgr)

Dep. Chief Connolly P

(Fire Dept.)

ATTORNEY: Perez P

A QUORUM WAS PRESENT TO TRANSACT BUSINESS.

PRESS: Suburban Life Newspapers A Chicago Tribune Local P

VISITORS:

THOSE PRESENT RECITED THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE.

OPEN FORUM:

Westmont Special Event Corporation's Kristine Turano provided a recap of this year's Taste of Westmont and described tonight's Fire Truck and Military Night.

VOTING KEY: A=ABSENT AB=ABSTAIN N=NO W=Withdrawn
 P=PRESENT Y=YES V=VACATION

Note: *The items listed in these minutes are summaries only and are not meant to be a direct transcript of the Mayor's, Manager's, Clerk's and Trustees' comments. For actual quotes of the referenced items please refer to the Archival video copy of this meeting.*

	<u>VOTING SUMMARY</u>						
	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>
TRUSTEE ADDINGTON	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>
TRUSTEE BARKER	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>
TRUSTEE BARRY	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>
TRUSTEE NERO	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>
TRUSTEE SCOTT	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>
TRUSTEE SENICKA	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>
	<u>8</u>	<u>9a</u>	<u>9b</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>13</u>
TRUSTEE ADDINGTON	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>
TRUSTEE BARKER	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>
TRUSTEE BARRY	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>
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TRUSTEE SENICKA	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>Y</u>

REPORTS

Mayor Gunter

- Highly commended the Taste of Westmont.
- Asked Chief Mulhearn to report on the procedure for Thursday Night events involving liquor sales from the downtown businesses serving food.

Clerk Szymski

- Told everyone to turn off their TVs and go to the tonight's Fire Truck and Military Night in downtown Westmont.
- Congratulated Natalie (the Mayor's daughter) and Jason on their marriage last Saturday.

Attorney Perez

- Changed Bond Agenda items from Resolutions to Ordinances.

Manager Searl

- Requested an Executive Session concerning pending litigation with Alarm Detection Systems, threatened litigation from owners of 312-316 North Warwick Ave. and to establish a sale price for a land sale.
- Cautioned residents concerning an electric company soliciting without a permit. Also informed residents that the Village already has an aggregate provider.

Trustee Senicka

- Mentioned she along with Jim and Jinny were happy to serve ice cream at the Mays Lake Ice Cream Social last week.
- Wished Trustee Nero a happy birthday and to Clerk Szymski who has a birthday coming soon.

Trustee Barker

- Ask residents to participate in Westmont First. Information and registration can be found on the Village website.

Trustee Nero

- Read a letter addressed to the Flag Creek Water Reclamation District (FCWRD) thanking them for participating in the Village's Flood concern meeting. The letter also updated FCWRD of the creation of a Stormwater Committee and a recap of their initial meeting. Request FCWRD to develop and implement an overhead sewer program to help prevent re-occurrence of the problems recently experienced.
- Reminded everyone the Stormwater Committee will meet on July 29th at 7:00 PM in Village Hall.

Trustee Scott

- Nothing this evening.

Trustee Addington

- Mentioned August 14th, the Westmont Lion's Club will bring a bus to the Village to provide participants a series of tests to help detect hearing, diabetic or vision problems.

Trustee Barry

- Said he attended the Mayors and Managers Conference for newly elected officials on July 13th.

ITEMS TO BE REMOVED FROM CONSENT AGENDA: No request to remove Items from the Consent Agenda. No motion is required.

(1) CONSENT AGENDA [Omnibus Vote]: Motion by **Trustee Addington** to approve the Consent Agenda Items (A), (B) and (C).

(A) VILLAGE BOARD MINUTES: Minutes of the Village Board Meeting held on **July 11, 2013**.

(B) FINANCE ORDINANCE #7: Dated **July 25, 2013**, in the amount of \$ **756,688.26**.

(C) PURCHASE ORDERS

11031442	Burns & McDonnell Stormwater reviews/engineering expense.	\$ 5,054.25
11031539	Solar Winds.Net, Inc. Log & event management software.	\$ 5,340.00
11031538	Robert Blair Services Emergency repair - Streets A/C.	\$ 5,491.00
11031409	Traffic Control Replace in-pavement markers.	\$ 6,557.00
11031458	Baker Tilly Virchow Krause LLP April 30, 2013 Audit services.	\$ 6,625.00
11031419	Don Morris Architect PC June 2013 Building reviews & inspections	\$ 12,752.68
11031368	Nettle Creek Nursery 60th St. Streambank stabilization.	\$ 31,570.00
	Total of Purchase Orders	\$ 73,389.93

Seconded by **Trustee Scott** and the motion passed.

VOTE ON MOTION #1 Ayes: Addington, Barker, Barry, Nero, Scott and Senicka.
Nays: None.
Absent: None.
Present: None.

PUBLIC HEARING

Board conducted a public hearing for the Fiscal Year 2013-2014 Appropriations Ordinance.

Finance Director Parker addressed the Board on this agenda item.

No questions or comments from the public.

(2) MOTION TO CLOSE THE PUBLIC HEARING: Motion by **Trustee Scott** to close the Public Hearing. Seconded by **Trustee Addington** and the motion passed.

VOTE ON MOTION #2 Ayes: Addington, Barker, Barry, Nero, Scott and Senicka.
Nays: None.
Absent: None.
Present: None.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

(3) EMERGENCY TELEPHONE SYSTEM BOARD OF DUPAGE COUNTY - INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT:

Manager Searl and Deputy Chief Connolly addressed the Board on this agenda item.

No questions or comments from the public.

Motion by **Trustee Senicka** to consider an ordinance approving a revised intergovernmental agreement (IGA) with DuPage County for reimbursement of Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) consolidation costs with the Village of Downers Grove. Seconded by **Trustee Scott** and the motion passed.

VOTE ON MOTION #3 Ayes: Addington, Barker, Barry, Nero, Scott and Senicka.
Nays: None.
Absent: None.

Present: None.

NEW BUSINESS

(4) 136 N. CASS AVENUE, DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT GRANT REQUEST:

Community Development Director Malik and Sharon M. Luckhardt addressed the Board on this agenda item.

No questions or comments from the public.

Motion by **Trustee Addington** to consider an ordinance approving a Downtown Development Grant Request from Sharon M. Luckhardt, in the amount of \$3,038.00. Seconded by **Trustee Nero** and the motion passed.

VOTE ON MOTION #4 Ayes: Addington, Barker, Barry, Nero, Scott and Senicka.
 Nays: None.
 Absent: None.
 Present: None.

(5) 206 N. CASS AVENUE, DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT GRANT REQUEST:

Community Development Director Malik and property owner Milan Chlupacek addressed the Board on this agenda item.

No questions or comments from the public.

Motion by **Trustee Addington** to consider an ordinance approving a Downtown Development Grant Request from Milan Chlupacek, property owner, in the amount of \$1,995.00. Seconded by **Trustee Barker** and the motion passed.

VOTE ON MOTION #5 Ayes: Addington, Barker, Barry, Nero, Scott and Senicka.
 Nays: None.
 Absent: None.
 Present: None.

(6) 999 OAKMONT PLAZA DRIVE, SUNLIFE ASSURANCE CO. OF CANADA:

Village Planner Ziegler and property representative Mike Quaid addressed the Board on

this agenda item.

No questions or comments from the public.

Motion by **Trustee Senicka** to consider an ordinance approving the following requests from Sunlife Assurance Co. of Canada for an office building in the O/R Office/Research District:

1. Zoning code variance to increase the number of allowable signs.
2. Zoning code variance to increase the maximum gross square footage of signage.

Seconded by **Trustee Addington** and the motion passed.

VOTE ON MOTION #6 Ayes: Addington, Barker, Barry, Nero, Scott and Senicka.
Nays: None.
Absent: None.
Present: None.

(7) 237 N. CASS AVENUE - OAKWOOD LIGHTING ELECTRIC SERVICE, INC.:

Village Planner Ziegler and applicants Robert and Rebecca Rheintgen addressed the Board on this agenda item.

No questions or comments from the public.

Motion by **Trustee Addington** to consider an ordinance approving a Development Permit request from Robert and Rebecca Rheintgen to operate Oakwood Lighting Electric Service at 237 North Cass Avenue. Seconded by **Trustee Barry** and the motion passed.

VOTE ON MOTION #7 Ayes: Addington, Barker, Barry, Nero, Scott and Senicka.
Nays: None.
Absent: None.
Present: None.

(8) 222 NORTH CASS AVENUE - WESTMONT DENTAL SALON SPECIAL USE AND VARIATION:

Village Planner Ziegler and applicant Wesley Campin addressed the Board on this agenda item.

No questions or comments from the public.

Motion by **Trustee Scott** to consider an ordinance approving the following requests from Majid Mike Khakbaz (owner) and Wesley Campin (tenant) to allow for the operation of a dentist office on the ground floor in the B-1 Limited Business District:

1. Special Use Permit.

2. Zoning code variance to reduce the number of required off-street parking stalls and a waiver from the cash-in-lieu for B-1 parking spaces.

3. Development permit.

Seconded by **Trustee Addington** and the motion passed.

VOTE ON MOTION #8 Ayes: Addington, Barker, Barry, Nero, Scott and Senicka.
Nays: None.
Absent: None.
Present: None.

(9) INTENT TO ISSUE ALTERNATIVE REVENUE BONDS:

Manager Searl, Finance Director Parker and Tom Chapman addressed the Board on this agenda item.

(9a) INTENT TO ISSUE \$9.5 MILLION ALTERNATIVE REVENUE BONDS:

No questions or comments from the public.

Motion by **Trustee Scott** to consider an ordinance to issue \$9.5 in alternative revenue bonds.
Seconded by **Trustee Nero** and the motion passed.

VOTE ON MOTION #9a Ayes: Addington, Barker, Barry, Nero, Scott and Senicka.
Nays: None.
Absent: None.
Present: None.

(9b) INTENT TO ISSUE \$1.5 MILLION ALTERNATIVE REVENUE BONDS:

No questions or comments from the public.

Motion by **Trustee Senicka** to consider an ordinance to issue \$1.5 in alternative revenue bonds.
Seconded by **Trustee Nero** and the motion passed.

VOTE ON MOTION #9b Ayes: Addington, Barker, Barry, Nero, Scott and Senicka.
Nays: None.
Absent: None.
Present: None.

(10) FY 2013-2014 APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE:

Manager Searl and Finance Director Parker addressed the Board on this agenda item.

No questions or comments from the public.

Motion by **Trustee Addington** to consider an ordinance adopting the Fiscal Year 2013-2014 Appropriation Ordinance. Seconded by **Trustee Nero** and the motion passed.

VOTE ON MOTION #10 Ayes: Addington, Barker, Barry, Nero, Scott and Senicka.
Nays: None.
Absent: None.
Present: None.

(11) CLOSED SESSION: As requested by **Manager Searl** a motion was made by **Trustee Scott** to move into Executive Session at **8:11 PM** to discuss **pending litigation, threatened litigation and to establish a sale price of Village owned property**. Seconded by **Trustee Senicka** and the motion passed.

VOTE ON MOTION #11 Ayes: Addington, Barker, Barry, Nero, Scott and Senicka.
Nays: None.
Absent: None.
Present: None.

(12) RECONVENE REGULAR BOARD MEETING: Motion by **Trustee Barker** to move out of Executive Session and reconvene the regular Board meeting at **9:09 PM**. Seconded by **Trustee Nero** and the motion passed.

VOTE ON MOTION #12 Ayes: Addington, Barker, Barry, Nero, Scott and Senicka.
Nays: None.
Absent: None.
Present: None.

(13) ADJOURNMENT: Motion by **Trustee Addington** to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by **Trustee Scott** and the motion passed.

VOTE ON MOTION #13 Ayes: Addington, Barker, Barry, Nero, Scott and Senicka.
Nays: None.
Absent: None.
Present: None.

MEETING ADJOURNED AT 9:10 PM
ATTEST:

APPROVED:

Virginia Szymiski, Village Clerk

Ronald J. Gunter, Mayor



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Dated this 8th day of August 2013.