REGULAR MEETING

CLARK COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

October 10, 2024

The Board of County Commissioners of Clark County, Indiana met in Regular Session on October 10, 2024, at 5:00 p.m. in Room 103, Clark County Government Building, in Jeffersonville, Indiana.

Present at the meeting were Commissioners – Bryan Glover, Connie Sellers and Jack Coffman, Auditor Danny Yost and Commissioners' Assistant Sabrina Corbin.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Bryan Glover. Prayer was led by Jack Coffman.

Approval of the Minutes

Commissioner Sellers motioned to approve the September 12, 2024 and the September 26, 2024 Regular Meeting Minutes. Commissioner Coffman seconded. Motion approved 3-0.

Danny Yost presented the claims and payroll for October 10, 2024. Commissioner Sellers motioned to approve the claims and payroll. Commissioner Coffman seconded. Motion approved 3-0.

Commissioner Glover asked stated that there would be one amendment to the agenda, item E. Road Access Request in Henryville. Commissioner Coffman motioned to approve the agenda as amended. Commissioner Sellers seconded. Motion approved 3-0.

I. Public Comments:

Kelly Khuri- Kelly thanked the Commissioners for their work in getting the light extended at Salem Noble Road. Kelly questioned what the resolution was at the previous night's Plan Commission Meeting. Commissioner Sellers stated that Duke has their own regulations per their Regulatory Commission. For the other one, they said it would be smaller-battery sized for home use. Kelly agreed that Duke cannot be prevented from coming into the county, but she would like the

county to work with them on choosing appropriate sites. She looks forward to seeing the ordinance regarding this.

II. New Business:

- A. Commissioner Glover opened a public hearing regarding Ordinance 21-2024, an ordinance in regards to the Petition to Vacate Portions of a Public Way and Public Easements in Underwood. This is for an unimproved road off of East Street and Smith Road in Underwood, Indiana. Counsel for the petitioner was present to answer questions on their behalf. Notice was published as required by law. The petitioner owns both sides of the road to be vacated. There was no one from the public present to speak for or against the petition. Commissioner Glover closed the public hearing. Commissioner Coffman motioned to approve Ordinance 21-2024, an ordinance in regards to the Petition to Vacate Portions of a Public Way and Public Easements in Underwood. Commissioner Sellers seconded. Motion approved 3-0.
- **B.** Commissioner Glover presented the Charlestown Pike from Salem Noble to SR 62 Improvement Road Plans Approval from United Consulting. There have been no recent changes to the plans. Commissioner Coffman motioned to approve the Charlestown Pike from Salem Noble to SR 62 Improvement Road Plans from United Consulting. Commissioner Sellers seconded. Motion approved 3-0.
- C. Commissioner Glover presented the Autumn on the River Road Closure Request from Dave Abbott, co-chair of the Autumn on the River Festival. They are requesting that 3rd street in its entirety and Main Street from 3rd Street to Schoolhouse Alley in Bethlehem be closed for the duration of the upcoming Autumn on the River Festival. Commissioner Sellers motioned to approve the Road Closure request. Commissioner Coffman seconded. Motion approved 3-0.
- **D.** Commissioner Glover presented the Clark County Trick or Treat Time proposal of October 31, 2024 from 6pm to 8pm. Commissioner Sellers

motioned to approve the 2024 Trick or Treat time on October 31 from 6pm to 8pm. Commissioner Coffman seconded. Motion approved 3-0.

E. Commissioner Glover presented a request form Sheryl Bridges to have a road block at the intersection of Highway 31 and Highway 160 in Henryville on October 11 or October 18th from 4:30-6:30p to raise money for the Alzheimer's Walk. Commissioner Coffman stated that in the future, the Commissioners would need to establish guidelines for these types of requests. Commissioner Coffman motioned to approve a road block at the intersection of Highway 31 and Highway 160 in Henryville October 11, 2024 from 4:30 to 6:30pm. Commissioner Sellers seconded. Motion approved 3-0.

III. Old Business: None.

IV. Reports:

- **A. Auditor**: Auditor Danny Yost presented the Treasurer's Report for the record. Commissioner Sellers motioned to enter the Treasurer's Report into the record. Commissioner Coffman seconded. Motion approved 3-0.
- B. Attorney: None.
- C. Highway Department: County Engineer Brian Dixon presented a striping quote from Atlantic, in the amount of \$16,155 for Salem Noble Road. This would be in addition to the original quote, to add white striping down the edge of the pavement on Salem Noble Road. Brian Dixon stated that there is money in highway fund to cover this. There is not an estimated start date for the project, but it will only take one day. Commissioner Coffman Motioned to approve the striping quote from Atlantic, in the amount of \$16,155 for Salem Noble Road. Commissioner Sellers seconded. Motion approved 3-0.

Brian Dixon stated that the county is wrapping up their current striping projects. If there are any roads that the Commissioners would like to see striping on, please let him know as soon as possible.

Brian Dixon asked if the Commissioners had any suggestions for people to join the Safe Streets for All Group. They would like to get a meeting

scheduled soon. Commissioner Glover stated that there may be an email sent already with the Commissioners recommendations.

Brian Dixon stated that Kapur was the number one selected firm for the Henryville Sidewalk Project. Brian has a meeting scheduled to speak with them. KIPDA has approved the funding for the project. INDOT is in favor of the project due to concerns with the intersection at Highway 31 and Highway 160.

- **D.** Sheriff: Major Nick Mobley stated that the current jail population is 460 and 32 are Federal Inmates.
- E. Elected Officials & Department Heads: None.
- V. Other Business: Commissioner Glover stated that Clark County sent Amir Mousavi and Gavan Hebner to respond to the disaster in North Carolina.
 - VI. Public Comments: None.

VII. Adjournment: Commissioner Glover entertained a motion to adjourn. Commissioner Coffman motioned to adjourn. Commissioner Sellers seconded. Motion approved 3-0.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF

CLARK COUNTY, INDIANA

BRYAN GLOVER, PRESIDENT

CONNIE SELLERS, VICE PRESIDENT

JACK COFFMAN, MEMBER

SIGNED THIS DAY 10/24/24