

**REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS
AND SAFETY OF THE CITY OF PERU, INDIANA**

January 17th, 2017

The Board of Public Works and Safety of the City of Peru, Indiana met in regular session at 5:00pm January 17, 2017 with the following members present: Mayor Gabriel Greer, Board Member Kristin Funk, Board Member Steve Anderson and City Clerk Treasurer Tanisha Soldi and City Attorney Dustin Kern. Also present were department heads and other interested parties.

Motion was made by Board Member Anderson, seconded by Board Member Funk to suspend the rules and dispense with the reading and correcting of Journal of minutes of regular meeting on January 3rd, 2017.

MOTION CARRIED

Motion was made by Board Member Funk, seconded by Board Member Anderson to pay claims submitted on January 17th, 2017.

MOTION CARRIED

COMMUNICATIONS:

No City Attorney Report

OLD BUSINESS:

Although there was no old business on the agenda, Jason Carter of 208 W. 7th Street attended the meeting to speak with the Board about the perceived traffic issues at the corner of 7th and Fremont. Chief Meeks asked Mr. Carter to come back to the next meeting to give more time to gather more information.

NEW BUSINESS:

A request from Anita Day of the Salvation Army to install a No Dumping sign in front of the business. Motion was made by Board Member Anderson, seconded by Board Member Funk to table the request so that Chief Meeks could speak to the business manager.

MOTION CARRIED

NEW BUSINESS:

A request was made by Phillip Sirmons to install new sidewalks in front of Mt. Hermon church. A motion to deny the request was made by Board Member Funk, seconded by Board Member Anderson.

MOTION CARRIED

Mr. Sirmons also spoke to the board about the need for sidewalks on Bobtail Pike, an ice skating rink, tennis courts and an automotive hobby shop.

NEW BUSINESS:

Fire Chief Betzner submitted the inter local agreements between the Peru Fire Department and Mexico and Denver for Board approval. The inter locals have been in place since 2007.

Chief Betzner stated the agreements had been approved by the City Attorney.

A motion to accept the inter locals was made by Board Member Anderson, seconded by Board Member Funk.

MOTION CARRIED

With nothing further to come before this board, Board Member Anderson made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Board Member Funk.

MOTION CARRIED

Gabriel Greer, Mayor

Attest:

Tanisha Soldi, City Clerk Treasurer