

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

December 21, 2021

5 PM

The Board of Public Works and Safety of the City of Peru, Indiana, met in regular session at 5:00 pm December 21, 2021, with the following members present: Mayor Miles Hewitt, Board Member Ron Dausch, Board Member Bill Gornto was absent, City Clerk/Treasurer and City Attorney Dustin Kern. Also present were department heads and other interested parties.

Reading & Approving of Minutes: A motion was made by Board Member Dausch, seconded mayor Hewitt, to accept the minutes of the regular meeting on December 7, 2021. All said Aye.

MOTION CARRIED

Motion to accept the payment of claims, in the amount of \$214,647.50 was made by Board Member Dausch, seconded by Mayor Hewitt. All said Aye.

MOTION CARRIED

Motion to accept the payment of Regular Payroll, in the amount of \$182,019.26 was made by Board Member Dausch, seconded by Mayor Hewitt. All said Aye.

MOTION CARRIED

OLD BUSINESS: NONE

NEW BUSINESS:

BIDS SUBMITTED FOR STREET, ROAD, AND ALLEY MATERIALS WERE OPENED AND READ BY THE CLERK/TREASURER AFTER THE MOTION TO OPEN WAS MADE BY BOARD MEMBER DAUSCH, SECONDED BY MAYOR HEWITT. ALL VOTING AYE THE FOLLOWING BIDS WERE OPENED AND READ:

Contractor	Class/item	Unit	Description	Price
E&B Paving	Item #2	Tons	HMA Base 25.0 mm Type B	\$73.04 Per Ton
			HMA Intermediate 19.0 Type B	\$76.36 Per Ton
			HMA Surface 9.5mm Type B	\$86.56 Per Ton

	Item #1	Gallons	20,000 gal. or less, tack coat complying with the 2018 INDOT standard specifications	\$2.50 Per Gallon
Voluntary Alternate Bid	Item #2	Tons	HMA Base 25.0 Type B	\$64.95 Per Ton
	All mixtures contain RAP		HMA Intermediate 19.0mm Type B	\$68.27 Per Ton
			HMA Surface 9.5mm Type B	\$78.45 Per Ton
IMI Peru Quarry	Item #5	Ton	No. 23/24 Washed Sand	\$13.70 Per Ton
		Ton	No. 4, 8, 12 Gravel	\$23.85 Per Ton
	Item #6	Ton	No. 53, 73 Commercial Stone	\$9.30 Per Ton
		Ton	No. 33 Commercial Stone	\$9.80 Per Ton
		Ton	Chips	\$7.85 Per Ton
		Ton	State Rip Rap	\$23.15 Per Ton
Gaunt & Son	Item #1	Gallons	20,000 gal or less Tack Coat Per 2018 Indot Specifications	\$4.00 Per Gallon
	Item #2	Tons	10,000 or less Hot Mix asphalt per 2018 INDOT Specs.	
		Tons	HMA Base 25.0 mm, Type B	\$78.90 Per Ton
		Tons	HMA Intermediate 19.0 mm, Type B	\$78.90 Per Ton
		Tons	HMA Surface 9.5 mm, Type B	\$83.95 Per Ton

After the bids were opened the motion was made by Dausch, seconded by Mayor Hewitt to accept the bids as read to be awarded later. All saying Aye.

MOTION CARRIED

Chief Sofianos, on behalf of the Peru Police Department, requested to accept the resignation of Sergeant Lee Mitchell to patrolman. Dausch made the motion to accept the resignation, seconded by Mayor Hewitt. All saying Aye.

MOTION CARRIED

Chief Sofianos, on behalf of the Peru Police Department requested to promote Zach Adkins to Sergeant. Dausch motioned to accept the promotion, seconded by Mayor Hewitt. All saying Aye.

MOTION CARRIED

The Building Department requested the approval for electrician's license for Nathan Crist of All-In Enterprises, LLC after scoring 83% on his test. Motion to approve the license was made by Dausch, seconded by Mayor Hewitt. All saying Aye.

MOTION CARRIED

During the communications questions on claims was asked and answered.

Two ladies stepped forward to ask permission to place signs in selected parks that stated No Vaping. The women said they would pay the costs of the signs if permitted. They were asked to provide additional information on where they wanted to place the signs and come back another meeting to get final approval.

A local contractor, doing business with the city for demolition, stepped forward to voice his concerns on the bidding process. After a discussion with the Building Commissioner, it was decided that the two would have a meeting together to further discuss the issues brought forward and see how to best resolve them for both the contractor and the City.

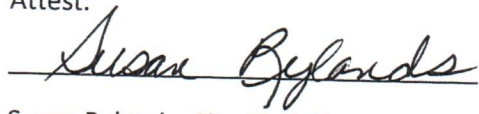
With no further business the motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Dausch, seconded by Mayor Hewitt. All saying Aye.

MEETING ADJOURNED

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Miles Hewitt Mayor of the City of Peru, Indiana

Attest:

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Susan Rylands", written over a horizontal line.

Susan Rylands, City Clerk-Treasurer