

Corydon Town Council
Meeting Minutes
November 16, 2021

The Town Council of the Town of Corydon, Indiana, met in the Town Hall, 219 North Capitol Ave, Corydon, Indiana on the 16th day of November 2021 at the hour of 7:00 p.m., in regular meeting pursuant to call in accordance with the rules of the Council.

The meeting was called to order by Lester Rhoads and Harlan Fisher presided over the pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

On call of the roll, the members of the Council were shown to be present or absent as follows:

Present:	Absent:
Lester Rhoads	
Paul Hamann	
Hope Schneider	
Harlan Fisher	
Doug Castetter	

Town Manager Scott Flickner, Clerk- Treasurer Treggie King, and Town Attorney Chris Byrd attended the meeting.

Harlan Fisher made motion to approve minutes of the November 2nd meeting and Hope Schneider seconded the motion with an approval vote of 5-0.

Harlan Fisher motioned to approve claims and sign bills. Paul Hamann seconded the motion, it carried 5-0.

Chief Matt Kitterman gave 3 quotes to the Council to obtain and purchase a new police vehicle for their fleet.

John Jones	2021 Dodge Charger	\$43,941.00
Heritage Ford	2022 Police Interceptor	\$35,950.00
Heritage Ford	2022 F-150 Police Responder	\$36,815.00

Chief Kitterman stated Dodge has terminated all government incentives and discounts was therefore we received a higher quoted price. The Dodge Charger is a 3.6 V8 with a top speed of 130 MPH and up to 21 MPG. The Chief mentioned the Chargers in the fleet are having electrical issues. The Police Interceptor (Ford Explorer) is a 3.3 V6 AWD hybrid engine with a top speed of 136 MPH and 24 MPG with a six-to-nine-month production time. The F-150 Police Responder 4X4 is a 3.5 V6 Ecoboost with a top speed of 120 MPH and 20 MPG with a 12-month production time. Chief Kitterman stated he would prefer to purchase the 2022 Police Interceptor Hybrid and use 2021 budget to pay for it in advance. Clerk-Treasurer Treggie King stated she needed to check the available funds because one vehicle was in the budget for Chief Kitterman. Harlan Fisher made the motion for Chief Kitterman to order the 2022 Police Interceptor Hybrid for \$35,950.00 with Hope Schneider seconding. The motion passed 5-0.

Main Street representative, Jennie Capelle, told the Council Chestnut Street would not need to be closed for Light Up Corydon on November 27th, which had been discussed at a previous meeting. She requested signage in the crosswalk from Bicentennial Park to Elm Street, if possible. The horse and wagon rides will load in front of the former Bistro restaurant on Chestnut Street. Ms. Capelle mentioned Rosie & the Rockabillies will be on the stage from 7:00 pm to 9:30 pm on the 27th at Bicentennial Park. One merchant attended the meeting and objected to the street closures on Elm and Beaver Streets for the Light Up ceremony. Her concern regarded parking for business customers. Live

reindeer, craft booths, and games for children called Candy Cane Lane on Beaver Street will be available. Food vendors on Elm Street, will set up at 12:00 noon. Mr. Rhoads asked for a motion to close Elm and Beaver Streets for Light up, which Paul Hamann made. The motion was seconded by Doug Castetter, and it carried 5-0. In regard to merchant parking, Ms. Capelle said people would find parking available all over town. Chief Kitterman said he would adapt the schedule of the officers to have additional patrol during the event.

Nathan Blank attended the meeting to ask the Town's permission to have the "The Winter Wine Walk" on December 11th from 2:00 pm to 7:00 pm. Mr. Blank stated there were 11 wineries confirmed and 6 that have not responded. To date, 400 tickets have been purchased for the wine walk and tickets are \$15.00 each. No street closures will be needed for the event.

Lance Teagarden was on the agenda; however, he did not attend the meeting.

Town Manager, Scott Flickner, met with Bart and Christy from Hunger Skate Parks to determine if the Gerdon property would be a good location for the future skate park. The location was a success and Mr. Flickner stated the couple were pleased with the location. The next step will be contacting DNR for permits and Midwestern Engineers to help with the engineering. Consideration of a 7000-8500 square foot park and parking have been discussed. There are possibilities of utilizing the remaining building on the property.

Harlan Fisher made the motion to approve Deirdre Huff's bond #999141798 from 11/5/21 through 11/5/22. Doug Castetter seconded, and motion passed 5-0.

Under old business, Mr. Flickner stated the manhole rehab project has started by cleaning, drying, and installing foam the manhole covers. The generator project for Glidas Booster Station is still on hold and waiting for REMC to obtain parts for the switchgear. The bid opening for the water project on South Harrison Drive was higher than expected, so John Wetzel from Midwestern Engineers and Town Attorney Chris Byrd will be reviewing the bids. Harrison County Township will build restrooms at Fred Cammack's Farmer's Market which will be heated in order to be useable all seasons.

Jill Saegesser reported the Community Crossing Grant was awarded to the Town for \$328,791.75 for drainage on Farquar Avenue and street pavement improvements. Ms. Saegesser asked the Council to make the motion for Mr. Rhoads to electronically sign the agreement and adopt the resolution. Paul Hamann made the motion and Hope Schneider seconded for Mr. Rhoads to electronically sign and adopt the resolution. The motion passed 5-0.

Chris Byrd provided agreements for Main Street and the Parks Board to show how the money is spent from the Town's donations of \$5,000.00 and \$7,500.00, respectively. Doug Castetter made the motion to sign the Agreements, and Les Rhoads seconded, and it passed 5-0. State Board of Accounts auditors requested agreements as to how the monies were to be spent.

There being no further business to come before the Council and upon a motion to adjourn, made by Doug Castetter and seconded by Paul Hamann, the meeting adjourned.

DATED: *December 7, 2021*

SIGNED:



ATTEST:

