

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS & SAFETY

VALPARAISO, INDIANA

May 23, 2014

The Board of Public Works & Safety of Valparaiso, Indiana met May 23, 2014, at 10:00 a.m. in City Hall. Present were Mayor Costas, Bill Oeding, Matt Murphy and Ethan Lowe. Mayor Costas called the meeting to order and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Bill Oeding moved that the minutes of the May 9, 2014 meeting be approved, seconded by Matt Murphy and so approved. Bill Oeding moved that the claims be approved for payment and subject to appropriation balances, seconded by Matt Murphy and so approved.

Copier Lease

Chief Brickner requested approval for Valparaiso Police Department to enter into a new copier lease. Matt Murphy moved to approve, Seconded by Bill Oeding and so approved.

2015 Plow/Dump Trucks

Matt Evans recommended the award for the Eight (8) 2015 Plow/Dump Trucks to Pozzo (with Lindco).

Pozzo was the Third lowest bidder, but the most responsive. Expected delivery will be December 1, 2014. Total award is in the amount of \$1,132,741.70.

Lowest Bidder was Rush; rejected for the following reasons:

- Delivery Date to late
- Axel Challenge to Mechanics
- Co-Pilot Maintenance System

2nd Lowest bidder was Pozzo (with W. A. Jones); rejected for the following reasons:

- Hydraulic Pump has known failure
- Salt Spreader functionality

Mayor Costas moved to approve, Seconded by Matt Murphy and so approved.

Public Works Sign Management Plan

Matt Evans recommended the adoption of the Public Works Sign Management Plan. This is a requirement of the Federal Highway Guidelines. A NIRPC grant has been filed. Mayor Costas moved to approve, Seconded by Matt Murphy and so approved.

Valpo Velvet Right of Way

Taylor Wegrzyn requested Valpo Velvet be authorized to place a sign in the Right of Way. Variances were granted by the BZA. Mayor Costas moved to approve, Seconded by Bill Oeding and so approved.

Outdoor dining

Tyler Kent requested approval for outdoor dining for the following; Valpo Velvet, Main and Lincoln, and Good to Go. Mayor Costas moved to approve, Seconded by Bill Oeding and so approved.

Citizen Request

Requested approval for a block party with street closure (at Cul De Sac at Shannon and Somerset) on Saturday, May 24, 2014 from 2pm-midnight. Mayor Costas moved to approve, Seconded by Bill Oeding and so approved.

There was no further business and the meeting was adjourned.