

PLAINFIELD TOWN COUNCIL

May 9, 2022

7:00 p.m.

Mr. Brandgard: Good evening. I'd like to welcome everybody to the Plainfield Town Council meeting for Monday, May 9, 2022.

ROLL CALL TO DETERMINE QUORUM

Mr. Brandgard: Let the record show, all members are present, and we have a quorum for conducting business.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mr. Brandgard: We have Drew Robinson before earning his Eagle Scout Badge, will be saying the Pledge of Allegiance. Please come forward.

LIFESAVER AWARD PRESENTATION

Mr. Prewitt: (inaudible) have to resign yourself to the idea that you're going to enter people's lives at the worst moment of their lives. Today we have a special opportunity to recognize – Matt Roberts. Matt and I are going to present awards to the following: Officer Jacob Smith. Jake, would you come on up? Officer Shawn Gruca, Officer Robert Sumner, Cpl. Cole Wuest, and Sgt. Nathan Nolin. The Plainfield Police Department Lifesaving Medal is hereby awarded to Officer Jacob Smith. Committing his actions on March 25, 2022, while responding to the report of a person shot near the I-70 westbound rest stop. He located the victim laying on the side of the road and immediately began assessing his injuries. Locating several gunshot wounds, applying a tourniquet to the victim's left arm to prevent significant blood loss. Officer Smith continued to provide lifesaving measures by removing the victim's clothing and locating additional gunshot wounds. Without hesitation he began packing a chest wound with gauze and maintaining pressure on the wound to prevent further blood loss. While attending to the victim, Officer Smith was able to obtain critical incident details, relayed to responding officers who were searching for the suspect. Due to the direct actions of Officer Smith the victim of this felonious assault survived his injuries and is here with us today. During the time spent assessing and rendering aid to the victim, the armed suspect had not been located and had already shot the civilian victim several times. Officer Smith selflessly placed himself in danger without hesitation and provided lifesaving aid to the victim. Officer Smith's actions reflect highly on himself, the Plainfield Police Department and the public safety agencies serving the Town of Plainfield. It is my honor to allow you to present this.

(Matt Roberts presents Officer Jacob Smith with the Lifesaver Award)

Mr. Prewitt: For officer Gruca, Officer Sumner, Cpl. Wuest, and Sgt. Nolin I present the Certificate of Accommodation for their actions in responding to that incident using their professionalism. Using the information provided not only from the victim himself but also relayed by Officer Smith, they were able to locate the suspect in his vehicle, stop said vehicle, take him into custody, care for his 4-year old child who was in the vehicle, and essentially close that scene so the Indiana State Police, as they responded, had everything that they needed tied up in a nice little package. It was their professionalism, their actions on that day that brought that individual into custody without incident.

(Mr. Prewitt presents the officers with the Certificate of Accommodation)

(Pictures are taken)

Mr. Roberts: I didn't have anything prepared for this evening, but I want to thank you gentlemen from the bottom of my heart. I know each and every one of you would say, "we're just doing our job" but to me and my family, you doing your job to the best of your ability is the reason I stand here tonight. I thank you. I consider you brothers and I can't wait to get back out there with you. Thank you so much, from the bottom of my heart. Stay safe, stay strong. Thank you, gentlemen.

Mr. Brandgard: (Calls Officer Smith forward) On behalf of the town I want to present you with the Community Values Award for your actions on that day, and to let you know that we certainly appreciate the work that you and the other officers do. Thank you.

(Brief recess)

CONSENT AGENDA

Mr. Brandgard: I'd like to thank everybody for being here for the presentations. We'll now move to the consent agenda, which is probably the smallest I can remember seeing, that's mainly because it's been a while since I've seen one this small.

1. Approval of the Minutes of the Town Council meeting of April 25, 2022.
2. Approval of the Accounts Payable Docket of Expenditures and the Affidavit of Payroll, per the Clerk-Treasurer's Report.
3. Approval of the Human Resources Report dated May 6, 2022.
4. Approval to renew the contract with Johnson Melloh for HVAC Preventative Maintenance at the Hendricks County Communication Center Headquarters in the amount of \$2,435, per the Municipal Facilities & Project Manager's Report. (Funded from HCCC)
5. Approval of the of the proposal with Jack Laurie Group to replace the stairway tread at the Carlucci Recreation & Aquatic Center in the amount of \$12,661, per the Parks and Recreation Report. (Funded from Food and Beverage)
6. Approval to partner with Way Maker Inc. for the 4x4x48 for Recovery Run on October 22, 2022, per the Parks and Recreation Report.
7. Approval to partner with Race Maker Productions for the Plainfield Sprint Triathlon on July 17, 2022, per the Parks and Recreation Report.
8. Approval to appoint members to the Park Impact Fee Review Committee, per the Parks and Recreation Report.
9. Approval of a Contract for Professional Services with Eagle Ridge Civil Engineering Services, LLC, for an amount not to exceed \$16,900, to review school pickup/drop-off impacts at Central and Van Buren Elementary Schools, per the Development Services Report. (Funded from General Fund).

Are there any additions or corrections to the consent agenda?

(Brief pause)

Mr. Brandgard: If not, I'd entertain a motion to approve.

Mr. Angle: I'll move to approve.

there and he already answered, so sorry, I forgot to take those out. This is the first location right here. I'm sure most of you guys know where that is just from the picture. I just thought it would be a good spot since it's at the start of a neighborhood and there hadn't already been one right there. The second location would be right there at the roundabout, and I also have provided a satellite picture. This would be at the intersection of the trails from Hadley Road and the trails on Moon Road. The third location is right there by Guilford Elementary School along that little corner, and again, I have provided the satellite image. It's a good length away from the school and it's a good length away from the roundabout as well, so I feel like it would be good for like parents picking up their kids, and maybe they have a dog that they don't want to poop in their car, just a thought. The fourth location would be right there at the entrance to Glen Haven; not much more to be said there. And then the fifth location is right there along that bridge, also close to Glen Haven but also pretty spread out. These are just questions that I've talked with Brent about, and we've already decided on. These are descriptions of the stations that we will be using. Each one would cost \$250 because of a quantity discount, and it ships the day of, so we wouldn't have to wait that long. These are all the features. I also would need concrete for this project and currently it's going for \$7 to \$10 each. We were just discussing earlier today that I might need 1-1 ½ bags for each station. Once you make your decision on this I will take it to the Scouts to get approved, and then start as soon as possible. My 18th birthday is on June 13th, and it should be done by June 1st at the latest. It has been requested that Parks provide the containers and tools. And that's it.

Mr. Brandgard: Thank you. The first thing I wanted to tell you, excellent presentation. You've done a good job and I think – do we have consent to move forward?

(Consent is given)

Mr. Angle: Great project, thank you.

Mr. Robinson: Thank you so much, I appreciate it.

Mr. Angle: Thank you

STAFF REPORTS

Mr. Brandgard: We'll now go to staff reports. Kevin, anything from Planning? Doug, anything from Communications Center? Steve, anything from Finance? Chief Prewitt, anything else from the Police Department?

Mr. Prewitt: As all of you may know, and hopefully you have in your calendars, June 11th is Public Safety Day at the Al and Jan Barker Sports Complex. This year we're hoping to make the event a little larger than what it was last year because of COVID restrictions. The good news is last year we had a helicopter land (inaudible) flight but this year the National Guard would like to bring a Blackhawk in and land it in the grass there for the event. In order to do so – because it's government, right – they say that they need consent. So, I'm asking for consent from the board tonight for the National Guard to land a Blackhawk on the grass that day, and respectfully request President Brandgard to sign this document allowing that to happen.

Mr. Brandgard: Do we have consent?

(Consent is given)

Mr. Prewitt: I'll get that together.

Mr. Brandgard: Okay, thank you. Do we have anything additional from the Fire Department? Transportation?

(inaudible)

Mr. Brandgard: It can't be a Blackhawk; we can try and get a drone or something. Todd? Jason, anything from Public Works? Brent, anything from Parks and Rec? Al? Stephanie? Anything from, does Mr. McKee have anything for us? Nate?

Mr. Thorne: (Not at microphone) All I have is, Bill Castetter couldn't be here tonight because he's very happy in the basement.

Mr. Brandgard: He likes to be in the basement. He has good surroundings down there.

Mr. Thorne: (inaudible)

Mr. Brandgard: That's good. Good news. Mel?

Mr. Daniel: Not tonight, thank you.

Mr. Brandgard: Mark?

Mr. Todisco: Mr. President, I failed to mention in my report about the retention and microfilming payroll, that we date back to 1839, that I have to research on. So, I just wanted to mention that.

Mr. Brandgard: Do we have somebody on board to do that?

Mr. Todisco: I need to put together a plan. Right now, we're going to organize it and then we have to go back – I need to find some money to at least start a program. I want to start budgeting and put it in the budget for next year for sure.

Mr. Brandgard: Okay, thank you. Brad, anything from the Chamber? I think I have covered everybody. I see no hands going up.

TOWN MANAGER'S REPORT

Mr. Brandgard: Andrew, Town Manager's report.

Mr. Klinger: Yeah, so I have three items from the Plan Commission, certifications that I need to report to you on. First of all,

In my capacity as Secretary of the Plainfield Plan Commission, I hereby certify that the Plan Commission held a public hearing on May 2, 2022, on petition RZ-22-018 as filed by Verizon Wireless requesting a zone map amendment of 17.58 acres +/- acres from General Commercial and Tri-L PUD to GC: General Commercial. Upon conclusion of the public hearing the plan Commission voted 7 in favor; 0 in opposition to forward a favorable recommendation to the Town of Plainfield Town Council to amend the zone map property described in Exhibit A.

I believe there's an ordinance on the agenda.

Mr. Brandgard: Yeah

Mr. Klinger: Ordinance No. 24-2022

Mr. Brandgard: Do we have a motion to approve the Plan Commission?

Mr. Bridget: So moved

Mr. McPhail: Second

been difficult to work with. Everything has to go through (inaudible) request (inaudible) Duke (inaudible), I think her name is Sheryl (inaudible).

Mr. Brandgard: Contact Jean Renk.

Mr. Castetter: That's where I started in September.

Mr. Brandgard: Okay, well let her know that you submitted this and you're not getting a response.

Mr. Castetter: Well, I mean, what's challenging is I guess I didn't read the fine print early enough on, that all 33 poles that we're trying to do, from White Lick to Moon Road/Saratoga area, both sides, every one of those poles have to be identified and have a separate application and documentation for each pole. So, what I was trying to do is highlight the beacon map on both sides of the road, and I even gave Duke their pole numbers and said these are your pole numbers, this is the area I want to put flags on, and it wasn't enough information. They had to have latitude and longitude and addresses for each one. So, I think we're there, it's been submitted, so hopefully we'll get something back. So, the goal here – I don't know if you remember John, you may not remember, but last year, the last couple of events we did get some flags placed east of Dan Jones Road on U.S. 40. The idea is there's going to be flags west of White Lick Creek, then we have the flag banners and the soldier banners downtown, then we have the vet banners from Carr Road, just past Dan Jones – and maybe even next year it might be a little bit further – and then we have flags again. So, we have something different (inaudible). The poles downtown are the fluted poles, they're green fluted, and I don't know how well we can get those bands, and how well those bands will look on those poles hanging off of them. And then the other concern is some of those poles downtown are short. I think etiquette on hanging flags is they must point away from the building, so you can't put the flags on the back side away from traffic because the semi's (inaudible). The banners are on the sidewalk side but if we put the flags on the street side, they might get wiped out. I think that was the idea years ago was to put flag banners, not flags in the downtown area, on the short poles. I hope that answers your question. We're trying to move this along as quick as we can, but it has been a little challenging. We've made progress, I hope.

Mr. Angle: Yeah, thank you for the update. I know Mr. Hardin will appreciate it too.

Mr. Klinger: Yeah – and just real quick, back on the drainage issue. I do know that staff has been monitoring that, and Al's been working with staff and Mr. Hardin on that. As Jason said, they'll be meeting with him to give him an update.

Mr. Angle: Okay. Thanks again guys. That was the only item I had, thank you.

Mr. Brandgard: Okay

Mr. Bridget: No

NEW BUSINESS

Mr. Brandgard: Kent, any new business?

Mr. McPhail: No

Mr. Angle: None from me.

Mr. Bridget: No

Mr. Brandgard: Thank you

Mr. Todisco: Mr. Bridget – yes
Mr. Angle – yes
Mr. Kirchoff – yes
Mr. McPhail – yes
Mr. Brandgard – yes

Plainfield Town Council Resolution No. 2022-28 is adopted and approved.

Mr. Brandgard: Thank you

ORDINANCES

Mr. Brandgard: We also have an ordinance for a Single Reading. Ordinance No. 19-2022 – An Ordinance Authorizing an Additional Appropriation (DOJ Equitable Sharing Program Fund / Treasury Equitable Sharing Program Fund / Criminal Investigation Fund).

Mr. Angle: Move to approve.

Mr. Kirchoff: Second

Mr. Brandgard: We have a motion and a second to approve the Single Reading of Ordinance No. 19-2022. If there's no further discussion, roll call vote please.

Mr. Todisco: Mr. Bridget – yes
Mr. Angle – yes
Mr. Kirchoff – yes
Mr. McPhail – yes
Mr. Brandgard – yes

Single Reading of Plainfield Town Council Ordinance No. 19-2022 is approved and adopted.

Mr. Brandgard: We also have several ordinances for their First Reading. First is Ordinance No. 20-2022 – An Ordinance Annexing and Making a Part of the Town of Plainfield, Indiana, Certain Described Territory Contiguous to the Corporate Limits to the Town of Plainfield and Adding Said Territory to Council District Number 2 (Daugherty, 5613 E County Rd 350 S).

Mr. Kirchoff: So moved

Mr. Bridget: Second

Mr. Brandgard: We have a motion and a second to approve the First Reading of Ordinance No. 20-2022. If there's no further discussion, roll call vote please.

Mr. Todisco: Mr. Bridget – yes
Mr. Angle – yes
Mr. Kirchoff – yes

