

City of Gilman
Regular Meeting
August 1,11

7:00PM

The Regular meeting of the City of Gilman was called to order by Mayor Theesfeld, council responding to roll call were: McGehee aye, Hari aye, Strohschein absent, Hilgert aye, Tammen aye, Hartke aye.

Moved by McGehee

Seconded by Hari

To approve the minutes of the regular meeting on July 5, 2011. All aye.

The Treasurer's Report on funds were as follows:

General	386,094.60	IMRF	48,557.90
R&B	5,539.89	MFT	289,750.31
W&S	-60,351.40	TIF #1	297,202.48
Sanitary Sewer	-3,296.71	TIF #2	906.59
Tourism	18,383.06	"2002" Bond Fund	57,649.13

Moved by McGehee

Seconded by Tammen

To transfer \$61,000.00 from General Checking to W&S Checking.

To transfer \$ 4,000.00 from General Checking to Sanitary Sewer Checking

McGehee aye, Hari aye, Hilgert aye, Tammen aye, Hartke aye.

Pat Roberts representing Summer in the Park reported on activities and attendance for the program which was held in Onarga for 5 weeks in June/July. This will probably be the last year for this program due to funding.

Moved by McGehee

Seconded by Hartke

To approve a donation of \$500.00 to the Summer in the Park program. All aye.

Bob Kraft representing the Gilman Chamber of Commerce. Asked the council for a donation to the Chamber for the Super Saturday-Car/Tractor/Motorcycle show held on September 10,11. Discussion was had in regards to the purpose, cost and participation in this show.

Moved by McGehee

Seconded by Hartke

To approve a \$2,100.00 donation from the Tourism fund to the Gilman Chamber for Super Saturday Car/Tractor show. All aye.

Resident Fred Fender reported that he had asked for the last three years to have tree's cut down in front of the apt. building located at Elm & Thomas which is causing the sidewalk to buckle from the roots. Council will look into and get some estimates.

Moved by Hari

Seconded by Hilgert

Adoption of ordinance #11-12-04 authorizing the issuance of General Obligation refunding bonds (Alternate Revenue Source), Series 2011, of the City of Gilman, Iroquois County, Illinois providing the details of such bonds and for an alternate revenue source and the levy of direct annual taxes sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on such bonds, and related matters. McGehee aye, Hari aye, Strohschein absent, Hilgert aye, Tammen aye, Hartke aye.

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Moved by McGehee

Seconded by Hari

To approve Ordinance #11-12-05 amending vehicles & traffic(stop intersections designated) N Main & E Third, N Thomas & E Third and the corner of E Third and N Maple heading east. All aye.

Attorney Simutis reviewed the Flood Plain ordinance with the council

Moved by McGehee

Seconded by Hilgert

To approve Ordinance #11-12-06 Flood Plain. All aye.

Resident Vicki Neveau asked the council if there were going to be any changes made in the truck parking ordinance in residential areas. Mayor reported to Neveu that a meeting had been set to discuss a possible solution to the problem in regards to parking semi-trailers in residential areas.

Farnsworth Group sent an estimate of the cost of replacing the bridge on N Maple street for \$140,000.00 This bridge is not able to be fixed it has to be replaced because of the condition. Mayor Theesfeld reported that it could be a 50/50 split with the county. Mayor will inquire with Joel Moore.

Alderman Tammen would like to have a Building and grounds committee meeting on Monday August 22,11 at 7:00PM at the Gilman City Hall.

Alderman Hari discussed getting an estimate from Larsons Tree Service on some tree removal and tree trimming. Table until next meeting until estimate is turned in from Larsons.

Moved by Hari

Seconded by Hilgert

To approve the recommendation of the finance committee for raises for the following employees: Addison Brown .31, Kaleb Kraft 1.00, Jim Lehmkuhl 1.05, Fred Voigt .80 effective the next payroll. All aye.

Mayor Theesfeld reported on the leak near Elm & Rt 24, H the Hansen property at W 3rd & Chamberlain has gone into legal proceedings.

Moved by Hari

Seconded by Hilgert

To approve the Class F liquor license for Inside Out. All aye.

Mayor Theesfeld asked if the council would consider giving Gilman Fertilizer 1/2 off of the building permit fee for the building which will be located at the corner of Crescent St and S Thomas St considering they purchased the property from the city with no incentives asked.

Moved by Hartke

Seconded by McGehee

To approve giving Gilman Fertilizer 1/2 off of the building permit fee for the building located at E Crescent St & S Thomas. McGehee aye, Hari present, Hilgert aye, Tammen aye, Hartke aye.

Moved by McGehee

Seconded by Tammen

To pay the bills as they were presented. All aye

Moved by Hari

Seconded by McGehee

To adjourn the regular meeting at 7:45PM All aye.