

Ripley County Council Meeting

July 16, 2018

The Ripley County Council met on Monday, July 16, 2018 at the Ripley County Annex in Versailles, Indiana.

Council President Brenda Wetzler opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag. Council Members Ron Decker, Mark Horstman, Ed Armbrrecht, Dephane Smith, Bill Warren, Brenda Wetzler, and Steve Gloyd were in attendance as well as Auditor Bill Wagner and County Attorney John Ertel.

Approval of June 18, 2018 minutes:

Council Member Horstman moved to approve the minutes of the June 18, 2018 with a second from Council Member Warren. Motion passed with 6 yes and 1 abstaining (Gloyd)

Additional Appropriations			
Circuit Court	\$10,000.00	1001-36800-000-0020 Pauper Transcript	This account has a current balance of \$6,450.25. Transcripts being prepared are St Vs. Ed Sizemore - Estimated cost of \$500; State Vs. Timmy Bowman (attempted murder) - Estimated cost of \$8000. There are upcoming trials that could possibly go into appeal as well, two murders and two child molesting cases.
	\$10,000.00	1213-37805-000-0268 GAL/CASA	This account has a current appropriated balances of \$6,203.36. The state has granted the county \$27,368.27 in GAL/CASA funds this year. The court only has an appropriation to spend \$20000. Therefore, the court asks for an additional \$10000 appropriation so that Voices can spend the monies granted by the state.
Council Member Decker moved to approve the first request with a second from Council Member Warren. Motion passed with 7 yes. Council Member Smith moved to approve the second request with a second from Council Member Horstman. Motion passed with 7 yes.			
Court Services	\$2,300.00	4960-12600-000-0000 Community Corrections Project Income - Social Security	In order to remain in compliance with the IDOC State Grant Salary and fringe cap, the above appropriations are requested.
	\$5,410.00	4960.13300.000.0000 Community Corrections Project Income - Group Insurance	
	\$640.00	4960.18100.000.0000 Community Corrections Project income - PERF	
	\$380.00	4960.11330.000.0000 Community Corrections Project Income - Field Person	
	\$1,350.00	4960.18504.000.0000 Community Corrections Project Income - Adult PO/Asst. Director	

	\$2,250.00	4960.18510.000.0000 Community Corrections Project Income - Case Manager/Probation Officer	
	\$600.00	4960.11600.000.0000 Community Corrections Project Income -	Community Clerical
	\$15.00	4960.19500.000.0000 Community Corrections Project Income - Bookkeeper	

Council Member Decker moved to approval requests with a second from Council Member Warren. Motion passed with 7 yes.

Highway	\$25,000.00	1176.19700.000.0026 Truck Drivers	Due to current SBOA regulations, we have to pay Bridge crew working on chip and seal out of highway. Earlier we transferred \$25000 out of Truck Driver - Highway to Bridge Crew - Highway so we need to replace money transferred.
	\$300,000.00	1176.352520.000.0026 Highway Bituminous	Due to winter road deterioration we are requesting \$300000 (\$100000 per district) for grader patching. We are requesting so will be no delay in chip and sealing season.

Council Member Smith moved to approve the first request with a second from Council Member Warren. Motion passed with 6 yes.and 1 No (Armbrecht). Council Member Horstman moved to approve the second request with a second from Council Member Warren. Motion passed with 6 yes and 1 abstaining(Gloyd)

Reduction of Appropriations

Court Services	\$14.00	1122.19500.000.0000 Community Corrections State Grant Bookkeeper	In order to remain in compliance with the IDOC State Grant Salary and fringe cap, the above appropriations are requested.
	\$600.00	1122.11600.000.0000 Community Corrections State Grant Clerical	
	\$2,000.00	1122.18510.000.0000 Community Corrections State Grant Case Manager/Probation Officer	
	\$1,300.00	1122.18504.000.0000 Community Corrections State Grant Adult PO/Asst. Director	
	\$5,000.00	1122.13300.000.0000 Community Corrections State Grant Group Insurance	
	\$1,000.00	1122.12600.000.0000 Community Corrections State Grant Social Security	

Council Member Smith moved to approve all requests with a second from Council Member Horstman. Motion passed with 7 yes.

Transfer of funds

		From	To	
Court Services	\$940.00	1122.13300.000.0000 Comm Corrections State Grant Group Insurance	1122.18100.000.0000 Comm Corrections State Grant PERF	In order to remain in compliance with the IDOC State Grant Salary and fringe cap, the above appropriations are requested.
	\$380.00	1122.18510.000.0000 Comm Corrections Case Manager/Probation Officer	1122.11330.000.0000 Comm Corrections Field Person	
Council Member Horstman moved to approve all requests with a second from Council Member Decker. Motion passed with 7 yes.				

Old Business: NONE

New Business:

EMS—Mr. Scott Huffman

Mr. Huffman presented the Council with an amended Salary Ordinance to take effect 7/16/2018 adding two additional pay levels. Council Member Smith moved to approve the request with a second from Council Member Decker. Motion passed with 6 yes and 1 abstaining (Gloyd)

OTHER INFORMATION:

Clerk Ginger Bradford advised she had received notice that the Versailles Town Court would be closing and the hearings would transfer to Judge Sharp in Superior Court. Date of closing is still not advised.

PUBLIC COMMENT: NONE

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT: Mr. Gary Norman—Absent

TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE: Mr. Edward Armbrrecht—None

E911 ADVISORY BOARD: Mr. Mark Horstman —None

SEI REGIONAL PLANNING COMM: Ms. Dephane Smith—None

GRANTS COMMITTEE: Ms. Dephane Smith – None

SOUTHEAST INDIANA RECYCLING: Mr. Bill Warren—None

With no further business to attend, Council Member Warren moved to adjourn with a second from Council Member Horstman. Motion passed with 7 yes.

“ AYE “

“NAY”

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Steve Gloyd

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Bill Warren

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Mark Horstman

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Ron Decker, President Pro Tem

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Edward Armbrecht

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ATTEST:

William Lee Wagner Auditor, Ripley County

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