

VILLAGE OF RIVER BEND

Meeting Minutes

Date: September 19, 2023

Time: 5:00 pm

Location: 3725 N. Cobbler Road Independence, MO 64058

Meeting called by: Chairman Alexandra Dockler

Attendees: Trustees: Jess Casswell, James Hoppe, Alexandra "Alex" Dockler
Visitors: Isaac Freestone, Jerry Brant, Lindsay Murray, David Murray, Dan Zima, Adam Diltz, Joe McTaggart, Brandon Decker, Ben Hoffer, Debbie and David Clymore, Drew Hansen, Wilma Larkin and Jeremy Alexander
Staff: Amy Howse

Administrative Items

Alex calls the meeting to order at 5:00 pm.

The clerk called role and passed a sign-in sheet to record attendees.

Reviewed prior meeting minutes from August 15, 2023 and September 7, 2023. Alex made a motion to approve, Jess seconded, motion to approve minutes was passed.

Reviewed month end August 2023 Financial statements, Alex made a motion to approve the financials, Jess seconded the motion, the motion was passed.

The Trustees reviewed August bills. Alex made the motion to pay, Jess seconded the motion, and the motion was passed.

New Business

2023 Property tax Ordinance

The Clerk introduced Ordinance 23-23 an ordinance establishing the 2023 real and personal property tax levy in and for the Village of River Bend, Missouri and declaring the same to be a lien upon the property by different properties for the next year. Copies of the Bill and proposed Ordinance have been provided to the Board members and extra copies have been provided for public inspection prior to this reading. The clerk read the ordinance a second time and called for a vote. The motion was approved as follows:

Alex Dockler	Yes
Jess Casswell	Yes
James Hopee	Yes

Visitors to Speak

Clerk gave Village website update.

Joe McTaggart had a question related to the property tax and if the new rate would replace the old.

David Murray had a question related to the Village trailer.

Questions related to the election board, Jackson County Election Board, accusations made that we lied.

Adam Diltz has a question related to the lawyer fees and pre-funding agreement.

Wilma would like to address the Village building, without having to purchase anyone's building.

Needs some repairs for winter and repairs generator-Dave Obermeyer

Additional Information:

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The next scheduled meeting is tentatively scheduled for October 17th, 2023 at 5:00 pm in the Village trailer at 3725 North Cobbler.

Alex made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Jess seconded the motion, and the motion was passed. The meeting was adjourned at 5:31 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Amy Howse, Clerk

