

VILLAGE OF CRESTWOOD  
13840 S. CICERO AVE.  
CRESTWOOD, IL 60445

**CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Louis Presta at 7:00 pm.

**ROLL CALL**

Present and responding to roll call were the following:

Mayor	Louis Presta
Trustees:	Theresa Patricia Flynn
	John Z. Toscas
	Daniel Jurka, Sr
	Anthony Benigno
	William Pieroth
	Linda Madlener

Present on behalf of the Village:

Village Services Director	William Graffeo
Village Clerk	Jeannette O'Donnell

**1. DISCUSSION ITEMS**

A. Tim Rowe of PFS Investments made a presentation of the benefits of a payroll deduction plan for employees at no cost to the village.

**2. REPORT OF VILLAGE SERVICES DIRECTOR ON PENDING MATTERS**

- A. Work has been started on the concession stand at Walker Park.
- B. Jim Orange is making good progress on networking.
- C. There were lots of angry people at the Adjudication last Thursday.
- D. There were 50 man hours used on the Click It or Ticket program.
- E. Jerry Armstrong Ent. has been booked for the Biela Center on 11/13/13 from 1-2 p.m.
- F. 3 tazers and 8 vests will be purchased with the IMRF grant money that is left.
- G. Have started work on the seized pickup truck.
- H. Public Works along with Brian Seavers, a Chemistry/Physics teacher at Shepard H.S will be making bio diesel fuel at the Public Works Bldg. Beggars is supplying the grease.
- I. Looking for tractors for next year in order to cut our own grass.
- J. Village will keep 1 Jeep for Public Works and is looking for a Ford Escape for the Community Service Officer.

**REPORT OF MAYOR ON PENDING MATTERS**

- A. Has met with Engineers and is looking for grant money for the Playfield water project. Phase 1 would be 131st St north to 127th Street.
- B. Will know in a couple weeks if we get the grant money for the dike project on on 135th & Central.
- C. Talked with Sports Authority on grant for scoreboard.
- D. Will meet with Federal lobbyists on Thursday regarding dirt hill.
- E. Several grants are being worked on for the Village.
- F. There was a meeting last week on soil testing on the dirt hill, now to decide who will pay to move it.
- G. Two buyers are looking at House of Hughes property.

**4. REPORT OF VILLAGE ATTORNEY AND PRESENTATION OF ORDINANCES FOR REVIEW**

None

**5. UNFINISHED BUSINESS****Trustee Madlener:**

A property at 13700 S. Lawler is in disrepair. The Village offered a dumpster on weekends and volunteers to help clean it up.

Discussed the major problem with Ash trees.

**Trustee Flynn:**

Discussed when/how to implement Crime Reports off of the CAD system.

Questioned status on Caesar Park bid. Was informed there is a State Purchase website that needs to be looked at.

There are huge rocks on the corner of 131st & Central that need to be removed.

Recycling bins will be placed at the Civic Center and Recreation Center.

**Trustee Pieroth:**

Suggested that Jim Smaron review the Retirement Plans presented to the Board, the Board agreed.

**Trustee Benigno:**

Talked about the WAY Foundation

Questioned if retired Police Officer ID's can be made. Was told to go to the Police Department on Sunday for them to be made.

There is an apartment building on Walter being condemned.

Questions about the house on Springfield, was informed it has been condemned.

There have been complaints about the smell coming from Kildare. Asked if street sweepers from Allied go down Kildare 2 times a week.

**6. NEW BUSINESS****Trustee Flynn:**

SDS, Safety Data Sheets

Suggested investing in a portable microphone system for \$1200.00, the Board agreed to the purchase.

**Trustee Benigno:**

Suggested a "Buddy Pass" for the Wellness Center, bring a friend for a month or some type of Christmas special.

Ingall's open house is 10/1/13 from 5-7 p.m.

Ambulance demonstration at the Firehouse on 10/3/13.

**7. AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION**

Questions on the Rec Center rate per day and how much it cost to advertise on the Biela Center page in the Adviser.

**8. ADJOURNMENT**

Trustee Pieroth moved, Trustee Jurka seconded to adjourn at 8:15 pm.

VOICE VOTE. ALL VOTED AYE. MOTION PASSED.