REGULAR MEETING -MONDAY AT 5:00 P.M.

The Switzerland County Board of Commissioners met in regular session pursuant to law and by being duly advertised.

Those present – Commissioners: Grant Dean, Jerry Monjar and Jamie Peters. Auditor: Gayle Sullivan, Highway superintendent: Anthony Thomas. HR Director: LeeAnne Howe

Grant called the meeting to order and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Approval of Minutes from the regular meeting on May 1, 2023. Jamie made a motion to approve minutes as written and Jerry second. All in favor.

The claims were approved as presented on a motion by Jamie, second by Jerry. All in favor.

#1 Highway Superintendent – Anthony Thomas

Anthony gave the following updates:

- Repairing wash outs on Chapel Ridge, Levi Bliss, Worth Cole and Lievy Road.
- Mowing road side and clean out ditches and culverts.
- Engineering estimates for Plum Creek slide.
- Engineering proposal for bridge #13 on Lower Dugan. BLN and PB&H get possible other quotes for steel bridge. Tabled
- #11 could possibly get equipment and fix ourselves
- Aaron Road bad shape/possibly go back to state for help

#2 Old Business

Jamie gave update about engineering should be complete by end of June for bridges that are out.

#3 New Business

- **John Kniola**: Park business-Town of Patriot meeting they will not be paying the electric bill for the park so the Park Board will be taking that over. Also, will not be maintaining the flower beds but was able to find volunteers to help with that. Zoning news-Patriot now has their own enforce officer to take care of unsafe buildings and will be in effect on June 2nd. Town of Vevay continues to do nothing with complaints.
- **b.** Emily Miller: Emily was not present so LeeAnne spoke on her behalf. She is asking for increases for the EMT Basic from \$15.72-\$18.00, EMT Advanced \$17.49-\$20.50 and Paramedic \$18.37-\$24.00. Discussion was had about the SCER's budget. Grant makes a motion to approve raises from Emily upon approval from council with a effective date on June 5th and Jerry makes a second. All in favor.
- **c.** <u>Leeanne Howe-</u> discussion about ADP presentation. Grant made a motion to use ADP as our payroll system with Jamie second. All in favor.

#3 Board Reports

None

4 Announcement

Jamie gave update about courthouse. Benches should be in next week with a hopeful go live day of June 1st.

With no further business to come before the board, Jamie made a motion to adjourn, second by Jerry. All in favor. Meeting ended @6:28pm.

Attest:

Gayle Syllivan, Auditor

Switzerland County, Indiana