

VILLAGE OF ROBBINS
REGULAR MEETING OF THE
MAYOR AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES
November 28, 2023 7:00 P.M.
3323 W. 137th St. Robbins, IL
Robbins Courtroom, 2nd Floor

MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER (Time): 7:06 PM

BY: Mayor Darren E. Bryant

Pledge of Allegiance and Lord's Prayer said in Unison

ROLL CALL (TRUSTEES)

P David R. Dyson

P Ernest Maxey Jr.

P Thomas Harper Jr.

P Tiffany S. Robinson

P Gregory N. Jackson

P Michael Collier Sr.

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

P Mayor Darren E. Bryant

P Village Clerk Sharon Dyson

P Village Admin Shuntai Sykes

QUORUM ESTABLISHED? Yes

- I. It was moved by Trustee Jackson and seconded by Trustees Harper and Collier to approve the Regular Minutes Nov. 14, 2023, and Special Minutes Nov. 20, 2023.
Roll call: Dyson, Maxey, Harper, Robinson, Jackson, Collier
Motion carried.
- II. Communications/Announcements
The Robbins Fire Department will be able to assist residents with getting free smoke detectors installed in their homes. Please contact the building dept or fire department for assistance.
Robbins Police Department 1st annual toy drive, is accepting donations of new toys to give children a better holiday this year until Dec. 20th, Drop time 9am-7pm
Photos with Santa, Thursday December 21st from 5pm-7pm at the Robbins Police Dept, 3323 W 137th Street. Come join our elves to write a letter to Santa and send it to the north pole.
LIHEAP is now open for households with a senior age of 60 and over, persons with a disability and families with children under the age of 6. Also, qualified homeowners can receive vouchers for repairing or replacing their heating systems, such as furnaces and boilers. Call 800-571-2332.
The mayor's 3rd Annual Senior Christmas Party will be held on Saturday, Dec. 9th from 2-6 pm at the Community Center, 13800 Trumbull Ave. Please RSVP either by phone or text to 708-470-9873 by Dec 6th.
Village stickers will go on sale December 18th.
Robbins Park District in partnership with United Way will have a food distribution on Friday, December 1 at 4PM, 13650 S. Claire Blvd. Robbins residents only and must bring valid photo ID.
Chat with the Chief, January 16, 2024, at 6PM, Robbins Police Department, 3323 W. 137th St. Open discussion on safety, statistics, community collaboration, and quality of life.

- III. A. Mayor's report: The stars of the community today are the Robbins Eagles Football Team and the cheerleaders who support them. For the first time in 40 years, they are heading to Naples, Florida for the national championship. All the news channels came out tonight to film the celebration at the Community Center. Glad to have something positive to report about and not the water issues. They raised \$13,000 to help in their efforts. The village hall will have some disruptions over the next several months as the renovations of the village hall begin. Please be patient during this time.

Administrator's report: Team building event for department heads on Nov. 7th, working with temporary financial staff to provide budget reporting current and future. Coordinating grant compliance, status updates and bank accounts set up for each grant.

B. Clerk's report: None.

C. Treasurer's report.

It was moved by Trustee Jackson and seconded by Trustee Dyson to approve the treasurer's report for October in the amount of \$512,544.04.

Roll call: Dyson, Maxey, Harper, Robinson, Jackson, Collier

Motion carried.

IV. ORDINANCES, RESOLUTIONS, CONTRACTS, AGREEMENTS

A. It was moved by Trustee Harper and seconded by Trustee Dyson to repeal Resolution 11-20-23, a Resolution approving Robbins 2 Round 3_23 Forty-Eight Pins.

Roll call: Dyson, Maxey, Harper, Robinson, Jackson, Collier

Motion carried.

B. It was moved by Trustee Robinson and seconded by Trustee Dyson to approve Resolution 11-28-23 R, a Resolution approving Robbins 2 Round 3_23 Fifty-One Pins.

Roll call: Dyson, Maxey, Harper, Robinson, Jackson, Collier

Motion carried.

C. It was moved by Trustee Jackson and seconded by Trustee Harper to approve Resolution 11-28-23 A, a resolution celebrating the Robbins Eagles. Resolution read by Mayor Bryant.

Roll call: Dyson, Maxey, Harper, Robinson, Jackson, Collier

Motion carried.

V. STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Trustee Robinson – Congratulations to the Robbins Eagles and the cheerleaders.

Chit, Chat and Chew with Trustee Robinson went well, and she was able to speak to some of the business owners about their safety concerns. The next coffee with the trustee has not been determined, it will probably be after the first of the year.

Public safety – Presentation tonight from Mr. Murdock from Flock Safety about possible additional cameras, will move to public safety committee meeting.

License & Ordinance-thank you to the trustees who helped with the meeting on our ordinances. The ordinances are on the village website, thank you to Ricky for keeping that up. Provided her phone # and email.

Trustee Collier-Water, thank you to Emani who's been doing a fantastic job with all the water main breaks. Reports are in the back for review.

VI. NEW BUSINESS-

- A. It was moved by Trustee Jackson and seconded by Trustee Harper to approve new business MK Bros. Tire.
Roll Call: Dyson, Maxey, Harper, Robinson, Jackson, Collier
Motion carried.
- B. It was moved by Trustee Collier and seconded by Trustee Robinson to approve the Scotland Development Project on Springfield Ave.
Roll call: Dyson, Maxey, Harper, Robinson, Jackson, Collier
Motion carried.
- C. It was moved by Trustee Jackson and seconded by Trustee Dyson to approve the warrant list is the among of \$131,629.37 (general \$74,220.17, water \$57,409.20)
Roll call: Dyson, Maxey, Harper, Robinson, Jackson, Collier
Motion carried.

VII. CITIZENS COMMENTS

Mr. Ward asked what is being built on the Scotland project on Springfield Ave.

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

It was moved by Trustee Robinson and seconded by Trustee Dyson to adjourn.
Upon unanimous vote in the affirmative, the meeting adjourned at 7:42 PM.

Sharon Dyson/Village Clerk

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