

## **MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS & SAFETY**

### **VALPARAISO, INDIANA**

**April 24, 2015**

The Board of Public Works & Safety of Valparaiso, Indiana met April 24, 2015, at 10:00 a.m. in City Hall. Present were Mayor Costas, Bill Oeding, Matt Murphy and Attorney Ethan Lowe. Mayor Costas called the meeting to order and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mayor Costas moved that the minutes of the April 10, 2015 meeting be approved, seconded by Bill Oeding and so approved. Mayor Costas moved that the claims be approved for payment and subject to appropriation balances, seconded by Bill Oeding and so approved.

#### **Outdoor Dining- Good to Go**

Tyler Kent requested approval of an outdoor dining application for Lucrezia's Good to Go on Lincolnway. Good to Go has already gained authorization from Gil's Drugs. Mayor Costas moved to approve, Seconded by Matt Murphy and so approved.

#### **Hot Dog Stand Request**

Vic Mercado, a resident of Valparaiso, has requested authorization to place a hot dog stand downtown. Mayor Costas stated the City will take his request under advisement. However, he encouraged Mr. Mercado to place his request with the Valparaiso Community Festivals and Events for the farmer's market and downtown events.

#### **Traffic & Safety Recommendation**

Tim Burkman requested approval for a NIPSCO Light to be placed on the South Side of Harrison Blvd and Williams Drive (Manchester Meadows). Matt Murphy moved to approve, Seconded by Bill Oeding and so approved.

#### **US 30 Corridor**

Tim Burkman requested approval of a Maintenance agreement with INDOT and a Construction Observation Agreement with Beam, Longest and Neff for the Landscaping Project on US 30. Mayor Costas moved to approve, Seconded Matt Murphy and so approved.

#### **Citizen Requests**

- Approval requested for the use of three parking spaces in front of City Hall for the Bloodmobile Blood Drive on Monday, July 6, 2015 from 8am-2pm
- Approval requested for the 2015 Triathlon taking place Saturday, July 11, 2015 beginning at 8am

Mayor Costas moved to approve, Seconded by Matt Murphy and so approved.

### **Extra Business**

Attorney Ethan Lowe recommended starting legal proceedings against Free Enterprises (The former operators of the ChicagoDash). Mayor Costas moved to approve with conditions, Seconded by Matt Murphy and so approved.

There was no further business and the meeting was adjourned.