
PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF CICERO

The Board of Trustees of the Town of Cicero met Tuesday, July 13, 2021 at 10:00 A.M., in the Town Hall Council Chambers, Town of Cicero.

On roll call there were present:

President: Dominick
Clerk: Punzo-Arias
Trustees: Cava, Cundari, Garcia, Porod, Reitz, Virruso.
Absent: Trustee Banks - Excused

Thereupon, President Dominick declared a quorum present and the meeting duly convened and requested that all present in attendance stand and join in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

On motion of Trustee Porod seconded by Trustee Cava, the minutes of the Regular Meeting held Tuesday, June 22, 2021 at 10:00 o'clock A.M., were approved, the reading being dispensed with, each member having received a copy.

APPROVAL OF BILLS

(80-21)

On motion of Trustee Virruso seconded by Trustee Cava, the list of bills itemized in Warrant #13, dated July 8, 2021, in the total amount of \$3,393,461.74, were accepted, placed on file and approved for payment; action taken by the following vote:

Ayes: Cava, Cundari, Garcia, Porod, Reitz, Virruso.

Nays: None.

(81-21)

On motion of Trustee Garcia seconded by Trustee Cava, payroll (*Estimated Corporate \$1,556,654.54 & Library \$25,881.13*) was approved for the active employees listed on the printout dated 07-08-21; action taken by the following vote:

Ayes: Cava, Cundari, Garcia, Porod, Reitz, Virruso.

Nays: None.

PERMITS

(82-21)

On motion of Trustee Garcia seconded by Trustee Porod, permission was granted the Office of 24th District State Representative Elizabeth “Lisa” Hernandez and State Senator Michael Zalewski to host a Shred Day in the “EL” Strip parking lot located behind 2137 S. Lombard Avenue on Saturday, July 24th from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM (Noon); approval contingent upon adhering to the CDC guidelines.

(83-21)

On motion of Trustee Cava seconded by Trustee Garcia, permission was granted Church on Fire International Church to host their “Royal Back-to-School Bash” event on Saturday, August 14th from 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM in their parking lot; approval contingent upon adhering to the CDC guidelines.

(84-21)

On motion of Trustee Porod seconded by Trustee Cava, permission was granted K.C. Hughes Council 1005 to hold their “Knights of Columbus Fundraiser” on Wednesday, September 8th, from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM at the Town of Cicero Municipal Complex; approval contingent upon adhering to the CDC guidelines.

(85-21)

On motion of Trustee Virruso seconded by Trustee Garcia, permission was granted Life Midwest Church to host their “Back-to-School Bash” event on Saturday, August 7th from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM in their parking lot; approval contingent upon adhering to the CDC guidelines.

(86-21)

On motion of Trustee Garcia seconded by Trustee Cava, permission was granted Our Lady of the Mount Parish to conduct a religious procession on Friday, August 13th from 6:00 PM on route outlined in their request; approval contingent upon adhering to the CDC guidelines.

(87-21)

On motion of Trustee Garcia seconded by Trustee Cava, permission was granted Our Lady of the Mount Parish to conduct their Parish Festival, which includes blocking of streets surrounding the church (*24th Street between 61st Avenue and 61st Court*); approval contingent upon adhering to the CDC guidelines:

Starting:	Saturday	August 21 st	10:00 AM	to	10:00 PM
Ending	Sunday	August 22 nd	10:00 AM	to	10:00 PM

(Set up may begin Friday, August 20th at 5PM. All festival activities will stop and close by 10PM; streets will remain close until Midnight for shutting down and clean up only.)

(88-21)

On motion of Trustee Cava seconded by Trustee Garcia, permission was granted Our Lady of the Mount Parish to apply for a liquor license for alcoholic beverage sales during their Parish Festival on Saturday, August 20th & Sunday, August 21st from 12:00 PM (Noon) to 10:00 PM; approval is contingent upon that all liquor sales end at 10:00 PM.

(89-21)

On motion of Trustee Virruso seconded by Trustee Porod, permission was granted The Children’s Center of Cicero-Berwyn to host its “Open House / Outdoor Recruitment” event on Wednesday, August 18th from 9:30 AM to 1:30 PM in their parking lot; approval contingent upon adhering to the CDC guidelines.

(90-21)

On motion of Trustee Garcia seconded by Trustee Porod, permission was granted The Children’s Center of Cicero-Berwyn to conduct outdoor activities for children at the Cicero Community Park located at 35th Street & Laramie Avenue on Friday, August 13th from 2:00 PM to 5:00 PM in their parking lot; approval contingent upon a copy of insurance policy naming the Town of Cicero as additional insured is provide prior to the event. Approval is also contingent upon adhering to the CDC guidelines.

REPORT

(91-21)

On motion of Trustee Virruso seconded by Trustee Cava, the Collector’s Office Report (*\$209,922.01*) and the Revenue Summary Report (*\$2,091,716.06*) for the month of

June/2021, submitted by Fran Reitz, Collector, was accepted and placed on file; action taken by the following vote:

Ayes: Cava, Cundari, Garcia, Porod, Reitz, Virruso.

Nays: None.

ORDINANCES

(“O” 40-21)

On motion of Trustee Garcia seconded by Trustee Reitz, the Ordinance authorizing and approving an intergovernmental agreement between the Board of Education of Cicero School District 99 and the Town of Cicero (*Effectuating the transfer for the administration and funding of the School Crossing Guard Program to the District*), was accepted, placed on file and approved for passage by the following vote:

Ayes: Cava, Cundari, Garcia, Porod, Reitz, Virruso.

Nays: None.

(“O” 41-21)

On motion of Trustee Virruso seconded by Trustee Porod, the Ordinance authorizing and approving the purchase of vehicles for the Cicero Water Department (*One (1) 2021 Ford Transit Connect Cargo Van, One (1) 2021 Ford Transit Full Side Van and One (1) S76 T4 Bobcat Skid Steert Loader from Currie Commercial Center for the total amount of \$114,249.00*) was accepted, placed on file and approved for passage by the following vote:

Ayes: Cava, Cundari, Garcia, Porod, Reitz, Virruso.

Nays: None.

(“O” 42-21)

On motion of Trustee Virruso seconded by Trustee Garcia, the Ordinance referring and returning the special use permit and parking variance application and findings of fact for 5408 W. 25th Street to the Town of Cicero’s Zoning Board of Appeals for additional findings of fact was accepted, placed on file and approved for passage by the following vote:

Ayes: Cava, Cundari, Garcia, Porod, Reitz, Virruso.

Nays: None.

RESOLUTIONS

("R" 68-21)

On motion of Trustee Cava seconded by Trustee Porod, the Resolution authorizing the Town President to enter into agreements with American Mobile Staging, Inc. to provide services to the Town (*Staging equipment for the American/Mexican Fest 2021 (August 5 thru August 8, 2021), Mexican Independence Day (September 16 thru September 19, 2021) and Houby Fest (October 8 thru October 10, 2021)*), was accepted, placed on file and approved for adoption by the following vote:

Ayes: Cava, Cundari, Garcia, Porod, Reitz, Virruso.

Nays: None.

("R" 69-21)

On motion of Trustee Garcia seconded by Trustee Porod, the Resolution authorizing and approving an invoice from Computer Information Systems Inc. for equipment and services provided to the Town (*CAD and Records Management System upgrade for the total amount of \$13,961.89*), was accepted, placed on file and approved for adoption by the following vote:

Ayes: Cava, Cundari, Garcia, Porod, Reitz, Virruso.

Nays: None.

("R" 70-21)

On motion of Trustee Virruso seconded by Trustee Cava, the Resolution authorizing the Town President to enter into an agreement with Tai Ginsberg & Associates, LLC to provide consulting services to the Town (*To provide consulting services to aid in advocacy at the federal and state levels*) was accepted, placed on file and approved for adoption by the following vote:

Ayes: Cava, Cundari, Garcia, Porod, Reitz, Virruso.

Nays: None.

NEW BUSINESS

(92-21)

On motion of Trustee Porod seconded by Trustee Cava, the Board concurred with the recommendation of Board of Fire, Police and Public Safety Commissioners for the promotion of Officer Paul Koc to the rank of Sergeant in the Cicero Police Department; action taken by the following vote:

Ayes: Cava, Cundari, Garcia, Porod, Reitz, Virruso.
Nays: None.

Police Superintendent Chlada administered the oath of office to the newly promoted Sergeant Paul Koc.

President Dominick opened the meeting to the public for their comments.

Superintendent Jerry Chlada provided a brief report for the 782 calls received over the Fourth of July holiday weekend by the Police Department; 76 violations were issued for fireworks.

On motion of Trustee Virruso seconded by Trustee Garcia, the board then stood adjourned at 10:18 A.M. to meet on Tuesday, July 27, 2021 at 10:00 A.M., in the Town Hall, Town of Cicero.

MARIA A. PUNZO-ARIAS, TOWN CLERK