

## City of Bellewood

Commission Meeting Minutes -April 14th, 2020

Special Meeting was called to order at 6:37pm by Mayor M. Klein

**\*\* Due to COVID-19 the meeting was held via Zoom call. The meetings will continue to be held this way until further notice\*\***

Present: Mark Klein (Mayor), Bruce Gale (Commissioner), Steve Dougherty (Commissioner), Doug DeMoss (Commissioner), Amanda DeMoss (clerk)

Guest: Finn Cato (City of Bellewood lawyer)

### **New business:**

1) Review of the March meeting minutes

- Motion to approve by Austin K, seconded by Bruce G.

2) Sidewalk repair

- Doug D. has two quotes for the sidewalk. It is around \$500 for the whole thing and \$300 for a small fix.
- One of the companies contacted was 502 Construction & Concrete

3) Finances for March

- Several refunds are being issued to neighbors for over paying taxes.
- 80% of the budget is spent
- At the May meeting we will discuss the fiscal budget for 20/21
- We spent \$375 for the tree clean up from the storms
- Motion to approve by Doug D. seconded by Bruce G.

4) Website Update

- The website update is going well and should be done by the end of April

5) Newsletter

- We will add a special note on COVID-19 and social distancing in the neighborhood
- The May yard sale is still up in air due to COVID-19
- The city directory is complete and will be sent out

6) Ordinance decisions

- the commission will look at the ones we have and either keep or amend them
- First we are going to delete the ordinances we don't want for the neighborhood
- Second, we are going to put them in writing

- We can't publish a link in the Courier Journal anymore
- The commission is still investigating whether or not any of the ordinances are valid.
- Hill Harcourt can't find any of the old ordinances.
- We will reach out to Madge for copies of the old ordinances.
- We can look at other cities ordinances to see the framework they used. We can see what we like and do not like
- If we cannot find any of the old ordinances, then we will need to create new ones with a 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> reading of all of them. The next step will be to publish a summary of the ordinances in the newsletter and send it out First class mail.

**Motion to Adjourn by Mark K. at 7:24pm, seconded by Doug D.**