

BOARD OF WORKS

May 6, 2024 at 10:00 a.m.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor York

Present: Mayor York, Attorney Harvey

Absent: Director Barker

**CITIZENS APPEARING:**

- Kelly Gardner and Zed Leath presented Lexie Taylor a plaque for completing her apprenticeship and Class 2 certification for sewer department while utilizing a grant with Alliance of Indiana Rural Water.
- Tim Welch requested the Plaza on 9/28 from 2pm to 10pm for a Festival
- Needing road closure for training for upcoming Monday. 1 block on 12<sup>th</sup>. Mayor made a motion and Harvey second.
- Tyler Cooper (Whittier Lane Baptist Church) requested Baker Park field for June 8<sup>th</sup> and Aug. 24<sup>th</sup>. Mayor made a motion and Attorney Harvey seconded.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Harvest (Getting ahead program) requested use of the Plaza for a 3:30pm Graduation on June 4<sup>th</sup>. Mayor made a motion and Attorney seconded.
- Chief Schofield stated that the hospital is paying \$85,000 for security from New Castle Police this year. They will pay \$10,000 now and the rest at the end of the year.
- A food truck will be set up on 12<sup>th</sup> on Friday- cones will be set up.

**ORDER OF BUSINESS:**


- Mayor York moved to suspend the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting. Attorney Harvey seconded. Motion carried 2-0.
- Mayor York moved to approve the Payroll, Water, Wastewater and General Fund claims Monday April 16 , 2024 to Monday May 6, 2024. Attorney Harvey seconded. Motion carried 2-0.
- Mayor York moved to approve a MOU for 11 city reserve officers at the hospital security. Attorney Harvey seconded. Motion carried 2 – 0.
- Mayor York made a motion to approve payment to United Consulting for invoices . Attorney Harvey seconded. Motion carried 2 – 0.


**DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS:**


- Chief Schofield stated Zach Lee was promoted to 1<sup>st</sup> class Patrolman and graduated top of his class. Mayor York made a motion to promote him and Attorney Harvey seconded.. Motion carried 2-0.


**ADJOURN**

Mayor York moved to Adjourn

  
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Presiding Officer of the Board of Works and Safety

ATTEST:  
  
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Ashley Huffman, Clerk Treasurer  
Approved by me this **6th day of May, 2024.**

  
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Greg York, Mayor

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