

# Ripley County Council Meeting

June 20, 2022

Councilman President, Ron Decker, opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Roll Call. Present:** Ron Decker, President, Steve Gloyd, Peggy Ehlers, Stan Wiedeman, David Tebbing Andrew Decker, Katie Bailey, Amy Copeland; Auditor & John Ertel; Attorney.

**Motion:** Council member Ehlers made the motion to approve the May 16, 2022 minutes, **Action:** Approve, **Moved by** Peggy Ehlers, **Seconded by** David Tebbing. Motion passed 7 yes.

**Motion:** Council member A. Decker made the motion to approve the May 16, 2022 Joint meeting minutes, **Action:** Approve, **Moved by** Andrew Decker, **Seconded by** David Tebbing. Motion passed 7 yes.

<b>Additional Appropriations</b>			
Health Department	\$1,000.00	8254.378000.000.0000 Cooperative Agreement/Contractual Services	The ISDH has awarded this grant for completion of the IDOH annual LHD survey
<b>Note:</b>	<b>Motion:</b> Council member A. Decker made the motion to approve the above additional appropriation, <b>Action:</b> Approve, <b>Moved by</b> Andrew Decker, <b>Seconded by</b> Stan Wiedeman. Motion passed 7 yes.		
Highway	\$3,221.68	1176.25700.000.0027 Highway/Garage & Motors	Overpayment requesting to put back into garage & motors
<b>Note:</b>	<b>Motion:</b> Council member Tebbing made the motion to approve the above additional appropriation, <b>Action:</b> Approve, <b>Moved by</b> David Tebbing, <b>Seconded by</b> Andrew Decker. Motion passed 7 yes.		
Commissioners	\$937,000.00	8950.49000.000.0000 Coronavirus State & Local (ARP)/Equipment	To help REMC put fiber internet in Ripley County
<b>Note:</b>	<b>Motion:</b> Council member A. Decker made the motion to approve the above additional appropriation, <b>Action:</b> Approve, <b>Moved by</b> Andrew Decker, <b>Seconded by</b> David Tebbing. Motion passed 7 yes.		

Southeastern IN Recycling District	\$123,000.00	General Fund	*Roof re-build *To help match a grant for a new shredder *Leaking roof *Building repairs
<b>Note:</b>	<b>Motion:</b> Council member A. Decker made the motion to approve the above additional appropriation, <b>Action:</b> Approve, <b>Moved by</b> Andrew Decker, <b>Seconded by</b> David Tebbing. Motion passed 7 yes.		

**New Business:**

\*Rick Anderson was in from Veregy to discuss the court house renovation. He told the council that the Commissioners are hiring an architect to go over the structure of the building.

\*Leah Hildebrand was in from 911 Communication Center about the Radio Tower Project. This was discussed, and the Council has given their blessing on the project. This will be funded out of the ARP federal money.

**Old Business:**

Bryan Miller was in to discuss the funding for the fiber optic internet out of ARP money. They are going to do service in the Batesville area instead of the Holton area.

**Committee Reports:**

**Technology Committee** – Katie Bailey - none

**Solid Waste District** – David Tebbing - none

**Grants Committee** – Stan Wiedeman - none

**SEI Regional Planning Committee** – Andrew Decker – none

**Soil & Water Board** – Peggy Ehlers – None

**Motion:** Council member Ehlers made the motion to Adjourn, **Action:** Adjourn, **Moved by** Peggy Ehlers, **Seconded by** Andrew Decker. Motion passed 7 yes.

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Ron Decker, Council President



Stan Wiedeman



Katie Bailey




Andrew Decker

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Ron Decker, Council President




Stan Wiedeman




Katie Bailey



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Amy Copeland                      Auditor, Ripley County

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