

MINUTES
VILLAGE OF FLAT ROCK AGENDA WORKSHOP
ASSEMBLY ROOM – VIA ZOOM
SEPTEMBER 28, 2020
9:30 AM

Mayor Weedman presided over the September 28, 2020, agenda meeting at 9:30 a.m. Those present in addition to Mayor Weedman were Vice Mayor Jamerson, Council Members Carpenter, Coletta, Dethero, Gooch, Posey, Village Clerk Parker and Village Administrator Christie.

MOMENT OF SILENT MEDITATION/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mayor Weedman led the group in a moment of silent meditation. He then led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Agenda

A draft agenda for the October 8, 2020, council meeting was presented, and the following item was added: Under *New Business – Item #8 – Park Stream Revitalization*. With no further changes, Council Member Carpenter made a motion to approve the agenda as amended, seconded by Council Member Coletta. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

Discussions:

Council Member Posey mentioned Shred Day is scheduled for Saturday, October 10, 2020, 10:00 am – 12:00pm.

Council Member Coletta mentioned NCDOT has not been able to obtain confirmation from the contractor of a completion date, or cleanup of the roundabout on Highway 225.

Council Member Coletta mentioned there have been no additional deaths in Henderson County with the COVID-19 virus.

Council expressed sympathy of the passing of Chris McDonnell, and their appreciation for his volunteerism with the annual ice cream social for many years.

Vice Mayor Jamerson reported on the traffic backed up on Highway 225 past downtown Flat Rock due to the seasonal reopening of Sky Top Orchard. There were concerns of emergency personnel being able to get through the traffic if necessary. Vice Mayor Jamerson contacted Captain Brandon Staton of the Henderson County Sheriff's Department, who stated he would notify Emergency Management and the Fire Marshall. Volunteer fire department personnel was obtained the next weekend to direct traffic.

A Park Workshop meeting will be held after the regular Council meeting on October 8, 2020.

Council Member Posey mentioned she had received concerns from a resident of speeding on Little River Road at the crosswalk from the Flat Rock Playhouse to the Carl Sandburg National Historic Home, and asked if a crosswalk could be installed between the entrances of Village Center Drive and the Flat Rock Playhouse.

Council Member Posey mentioned the sidewalk brick pavers from the Post Office to the Carl Sandburg Home need maintenance repairs. Administrator Christie will notify FitzSimons to do an inspection and make any necessary repairs.

With no further discussions, Council Member Carpenter made a motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Council Member Coletta. The meeting adjourned at 9:45 a.m.

Michelle Parker, CMC
Village Clerk

Nick Weedman
Mayor