

**BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS
OCTOBER 5, 2020**

The Board of Public Works and Safety, City of Madison, Indiana, met in regular session at 11:30 AM in the Council Chamber, City Hall. Present: Eaglin, Courtney and Carlow. (3-0).

Eaglin made a motion to approve the September 21, 2020 minutes, seconded by Carlow. All in favor, motion carried (3-0).

NEW BUSINESS:

**RESOLUTION NO. 55-2020
A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS
AND SAFETY OF THE CITY OF MADISON, INDIANA
REGARDING A STREET CLOSING FOR PUBLIC SAFETY DAY**

Eaglin made a motion to approve Resolution No. 55-2020, seconded by Carlow. All in favor, motion carried (3-0).

Citizen Bob VanVleet came before the board to request a no-thru traffic sign for an alley at 214 E. First Street. Eaglin made a motion to approve the sign, seconded by Carlow. Discussion ensued.

Charlie Rohfling spoke in defense of keeping the alley's open and that they are all still being used in some manner. He feels we should embrace the alleys and clean them up.

Attorney Jenner said he feels a no-thru sign means no motorized traffic driving through. The current signs do say no-thru traffic which can be ambiguous and maybe needs to be more specific.

Mayor Courtney stated he does not want the signs to restrict pedestrian traffic.

Eaglin suggested possibly a pedestrian only sign.

Carlow withdrew his second for a motion to approve and Eaglin withdrew his motion to approve.

Carlow then made a motion to table the sign for further study into the issue, seconded by Eaglin. All in favor, motion carried (3-0). The move for a sign has been tabled.

Charlie Rohfling came before the board to request a street closing for Mulberry Street south of Main Street to the alley for Saturday, October 10th from noon until midnight for a music festival.

Courtney made a motion to approve the street closing, seconded by Carlow. All in favor, motion carried (3-0). A resolution will be drawn up.

Nicole Schell presented some PACE final request payment reports. The first is for 202 W. Main Street for \$2,700.00, 310 W. Third Street for \$7,500.00, 111 Walnut Street for \$3,750.00, 113 Walnut Street for \$3,750 and 207 E Main Street for \$5,000.00.

Eaglin made a motion to approve the five requests, seconded by Carlow. All in favor, motion carried (3-0).

Carlow made a motion to approve the claims as submitted, seconded by Eaglin. All in favor, motion carried (3-0).

Mayor's Comment:

Mayor Courtney reported that City Council will meet the following evening. The Redevelopment Commission will also meet on Tuesday afternoon. He stated that there is a lot for the community to look forward to and festival planning and structuring is ongoing.

Next meeting is Monday, October 19, 2020 at 11:30 AM.

Courtney made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Eaglin. All in favor, motion carried (3-0).

Meeting adjourned at 12:00 noon.

Mayor Bob Courtney

David Carlow

Karl Eaglin

ATTEST

Rick Berry, Clerk Treasurer