REGULAR MEETING MINUTES VILLAGE OF GOREVILLE

February 3,2025

On February 3, 2025, at 6:00PM, Mayor Pro Tem Jody Johnson called the regular board meeting to order, and the attendees said the Pledge of Allegiance. The village clerk conducted roll call, and the following trustees were present: Trustee Beckmann, Trustee Benard, Trustee Billingsley, Trustee Sullivan and Trustee Trovillion. Mayor Vaughn was absent.

Others present at the meeting were Kyle Schubert, Michelle Maze, Julie Bullock Harrison, Bill Cramer, James McNamara, Austin Neibel, and Elvis Cameron.

Trustee Sullivan motioned approving the minutes of January 13, 2025, regular meeting and executive session, the treasurer report for January 2025, and the paid bills for January 2025 totaling: **Total:** \$127,250.28

General Fund: \$56,294.02 TIF#3: \$28,052.17

TIF#1: \$42,904.09 MFT: \$0

TIF#2: \$0

Trustee Billingsley seconded the motion. All voted yes, and the motion carried.

The Board reviewed the monthly reports submitted by the police department as well as the water, sewer and street departments. Michelle spoke regarding the spending freeze. The finance committee will reevaluate at the March committee meeting.

During the public comment session, A resident thanked the Board for the road services the Village has been working hard to complete. He also thanked them for the roads being plowed quickly and efficiently during the winter storm. He mentioned a woodchipper and asked if that is something we could work towards purchasing.

A resident reported his concerns about the burn pile, culverts being maintained, guard rails, and adjusting the speed limit on Old Marion Road. Mayor Pro Tem/ Trustee Johnson thanked him for his concerns and informed him they will be reaching within 30 days to address the situations he is concerned about.

During the old business session, it was brought to the Boards attention we needed to approve Kaylee Chrisman as the new Village Clerk during the regular meeting. It was originally approved via email and during the executive session during the January 2025 meeting. Trustee Trovillion motioned to approve Kaylee as the new Village Clerk. Trustee Billingsley seconded the motion. All voted yes, and the motion carried.

Trustee Sullivan presented Chapter 3, Animals, Article I- Dogs. He addressed concerns about animal safety. He assured the room we are working through known issues and have partnered with our attorney to come up with an updated solution.

Ms. Chrisman presented getting dumpsters for May clean up. All Trustees agreed to begin accepting bids.

The lot consolidation was tabled until the March meeting.

Trustee Beckmann spoke on May 10th is reserved at the park for the Jordan Davidson Memorial Fun Day. They will be hosting a softball tournament, 3k color run and a silent auction that day in honor of him.

At 6:37 PM Trustee Sullivan motioned to enter the executive session. Trustee Billingsley seconded the motion. All voted yes, and the meeting moved to closed session.

At 7:18 PM Trustee Billingsley motioned to exit the executive session. Trustee Trovillian seconded the motion. All voted yes, and the meeting returned to regular session.

At 7:23 PM Trustee Sullivan motioned to adjourn the meeting. Trustee Billingsley seconded the motion. All voted yes, and the meeting adjourned.

Kaylee A. Chrisman, Village Clerk

Jody A. Johnson, Mayor Pro Tem/Trustee