

MINUTES OF THE PUBLIC WORKS
COMMITTEE MEETING OF THE
CITY OF HERRIN, ILLINOIS HELD IN THE
COUNCIL CHAMBERS AT CITY HALL ON
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2018 AT 5:15 P.M.

Meeting called to order at 5:20 p.m. Those in attendance were Mayor Steve Frattini, Alderman David Shoemake, Alderman Sheila Ahlgren, Alderman Paul York, Alderman Randy Crompton, Alderman Scott Kinley, Alderman Marilyn Ruppel, Alderman Steve Miller, Alderman Bill Sizemore, Budget Director Carrie Cravens, Treasurer Carl Goodwin, Codes Administrator Robert Craig, Public Works Director Tom Somers and City Clerk Shelly Huggins.

OLMC Request - Everyone is in receipt with some requests from OLMC regarding area of the new school. Mayor believes we need to take a look at the request with our Public Improvement eyes. Mayor wishes to move into a positive direction to see which areas we can be of support in. We will bring back recommendations to the committee in the near future. Alderman York proposed that we give OLMC the property off Cherry Street and they can do what they wish with it. Maybe they then could go to Herrinfesta Italiana for help due to the City's finances. Alderman Kinley stated that he believes we need to help due to the safety of our children. Alderman Sizemore asked about how many vehicles could be placed in the proposed lot. Monseigneur Schafer stated that they would like to purchase the old Napa Building as well as an older home across the Street on Monroe to potentially expand parking efforts as well. He asked that if anyone knows how we may talk to the old Napa owner to let him know they are still interested in acquiring.

Next committee meeting will be March 5 at 2:00 p.m.

Meeting adjourned at 5:42 p.m.