

MINUTES
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING
13800 S. CICERO AVE., CRESTWOOD, IL 60418
September 3, 2024

CALL TO
ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Klein at 7:00 p.m.

ROLL
CALL

Present: Mayor Kenneth Klein
Trustees Anthony Benigno, Linda Madlener, Kevin Wasag, Frank Caldario, Brian Skala
and Denise Pietrucha

Also present: Village Clerk Cathy Johnson and Attorney Lauren DaValle

DISCUSSION
ITEMS

1. None

VILLAGE
SERVICES
DIRECTOR

1. No Report

COMPTROLLER

1. No Report

HUMAN
RESOURCES/
FINANCE
COORDINATOR

1. None

VILLAGE
CLERK'S
REPORT

1. Board packet for the September 5, 2024 Board meeting was distributed.
2. Report on surplus refund program.

MAYOR'S
REPORT

1. 3 Shootings in the Robbins neighborhood over the weekend. No suspects caught as of this meeting.
2. On Saturday a Com Ed pole was hit and broken in half just South of 127th & Central Ave., causing a short power outage for some. The police, fire and Com Ed responded quickly. No injuries reported.
3. The Cannabis dispensary on Cicero Ave. is close to opening, they will be having their Final State inspection this upcoming Tuesday.
4. The empty business at 5445 W. 127th St. is finally being demolished inside and will be remodeled for a new business going in.
5. The new business opening up at 5419 W. 135th St. (Bold Age Pace) is just about complete, waiting on sliding front door and some signage.
6. People interested in property in Crestwood, calling frequently. Mayor and Bill have spent time showing them what is available.
7. Farnsworth submitted final plans for 13301-03 S. Cicero Ave..

8. Cicero Ave. and Cal Sag Rd. intersection finally 95% complete. One sidewalk missed and the striping is not done.
9. The red light camera case has been postponed to November 1, 2024. We are still expecting it to be dismissed.
10. Mayor will be having a mini-golf outing with the Seniors at Hollywood Park on September 9th. This event is well attended and a big hit every year.
11. The IML conference will be held on September 20th and 21st.
12. The Mayor will be having a meeting on September 12th at the township.
13. There is interest by Harbor Freight for the unit next to At Home at 13206 S. Cicero Ave.
14. We have seen no significant movement at the Tony's Fresh Market that is supposed to go in at the old Best Buy.

VILLAGE
ATTORNEY

1. No Report

UNFINISHED
BUSINESS

1. Trustee Benigno asked regarding the street lights that are still out on Cicero Ave.
2. Trustee Madlener asked why we are purchasing 14156 S. LaVergne Ave.
3. Trustee Wasag mentioned that there are still containers on the grass at the back of Pass It On Thrift store.

NEW
BUSINESS

1. None

AUDIENCE
PARTICIPATION

1. None

EXECUTIVE
SESSION

1. None

ADJOURN
MENT

There being no further business the Committee of the Whole meeting was adjourned at 7:29 p.m.. The Motion was made by Trustee Caldario and seconded by Trustee Benigno All in favor. Motion carried.