

**MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE
STORMWATER MANAGEMENT BOARD OF THE CITY OF JASPER
July 8, 2024**

The Stormwater Management Board of the City of Jasper, Indiana, met in regular session on July 8, 2024, in the Council Chambers of City Hall located at 610 Main Street.

CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Roger Messmer, who presided, called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m.

ROLL CALL

Chairman Roger Messmer	present
Vice Chairman Brady Albright	absent
Secretary Greg Kuntz	present

Also, present were City Engineer Chad Hurm, Stormwater Coordinator Chad Mundy, Mayor Dean Vonderheide, Engineering Technician Scott Schnell, City Attorney Renee Kabrick, Legal Administrative Assistant Jane Chambers, Dubois County Free Press Matt Crane, and Intern Kaelinn Sabline.

Chairman Roger Messmer announced that a majority of the board members must be present for a quorum. Two of the members were present; therefore, there was a quorum for the meeting.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Chairman Roger Messmer led the Pledge of Allegiance.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

The Board members examined the minutes of the regular meeting that was held on June 10, 2024. Secretary Greg Kuntz **motioned** to approve the minutes as presented. Chairman Roger Messmer seconded. **Motion** passed 2-0.

CLAIMS

City Engineer Chad Hurm presented claims in the amounts of \$11,465.64 from June 7, 2024, through July 5, 2024. Secretary Greg Kuntz made a **motion** to approve the claims as presented. Chairman Roger Messmer seconded. **Motion** passed 2-0.

STORMWATER DEPARTMENT REPORTS by City Engineer Chad Hurm

Main Street Phase II: City Engineer Chad Hurm stated no project claims yet to share. Currently, preparing for the Community Crossing with some concerns with stormwater pipes in two areas - 6th Street between Mill Street & Jackson Street and on 14th Street between Kundek Street and Newton Street. The Main Street Project will start after Strassenfest, and a completion expected date is September 2025. They will start at the south section of Main Street and make their way to the north side. Will keep the board updated.

STORM WATER DEPARTMENT REPORTS by Stormwater Coordinator Chad Mundy

ERU Update: Stormwater Coordinator Chad Mundy presented to the Board a copy of the June 2024 Building Permits, with a total of two ERUs indicated on the list. Secretary Greg Kuntz made

a **motion** to approve the list as presented with two total ERUs from the Building Permits. Chairman Roger Messmer seconded the motion. **Motion** Passed 2-0.

IDEM Monthly Report: Stormwater Coordinator Chad Mundy stated that the monthly IDEM report has been completed and filed. The report listed 11 open sites that were inspected. There were two rain events over ½” of rain and a total of 2.14” of rain for the month of June.

Site updates: Stormwater Coordinator Chad Mundy updated the Board on several construction sites in the city. He noted progress on each site.

Illicit Discharge & Spills: Stormwater Coordinator Chad Mundy stated two illicit discharges – Construction company owner Tom Jones was notified that one of his employees cut and washed down a concrete job. With doing so, concrete run off was flowing down Baden Strasse. Tom Jones had the employee come back to clean up the area. The second incident was grass clippings gathered up on the parking lot of Showplace Cinemas. The owner, Carol Meyer, was notified to clean up the area. No other spills or discharges to report.

Erosion Control Permits: Stormwater Coordinator Chad Mundy stated that there was no new plans received since the last Stormwater Board meeting. There have been no new permits since the last Stormwater Board meeting.

Southwestern Indiana Stormwater Partnership: Stormwater Coordinator Chad Mundy stated that Southwestern Indiana Stormwater Partnership have met. It was a good meeting; many topics were covered.


IDEM Update: Stormwater Coordinator Chad Mundy stated he has start on the Construction and Post Construction Plan -SOP but was pulled on this project due to other responsibilities.

Training & Conference 2024: Stormwater Coordinator Chad Mundy stated that he met with Jasper Street Department, Paul Giesler & Matt Kiefer, to order the Stormflex inlet filters and have them placed in drains by Strassenfest. The yearly department inspections were completed in June. This is good housekeeping and pollution prevention inspection. Chad Mundy will complete his reports and meet with each department with his inspection form.

Mayor Dean Vonderheide did speak on updates from the storm and concerns with damages to homes and city property. Red Cross and County EMA were called in to help individuals that were evacuated from homes due to flooding. Mayor Dean Vonderheide boasted how great the emergency teams and city departments all came together to help. Urging how important it is to inform the public to keep yards and streets clean, so debris does not clog up storm drains.

There being no further business to come before the Board, a **Motion** was made by Secretary Greg Kuntz, seconded by Chairman Roger Messmer. **Motion** carried 2-0, and the meeting was adjourned at 8:45 a.m.

Attest: 
Secretary Greg Kuntz


Chairman Roger Messmer
Presiding Officer

Jennifer Vonderheide