MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE STORMWATER MANAGEMENT BOARD OF THE CITY OF JASPER April 7, 2025

The Stormwater Management Board of the City of Jasper, Indiana, met in regular session on April 7, 2025, in the Council Chambers of City Hall located at 610 Main Street.

CALL TO ORDER

Secretary Greg Kuntz, who presided, called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m.

ROLL CALL

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

Also, present were City Engineer Chad Hurm, Stormwater Coordinator Chad Mundy, City Attorney Renee Kabrick, Engineering Technician Scott Schnell, and Legal Administrative Assistant Jane Chambers.

Secretary Greg Kuntz announced that a majority of the board members must be present for a quorum. Two of the three members were present; therefore, there was a quorum for the meeting.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Secretary Greg Kuntz led the Pledge of Allegiance.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

The Board members examined the minutes of the regular meeting that was held on March 10, 2025. Secretary Greg Kuntz **motioned** to approve the minutes as presented. Vice Chairman Brady Albright seconded. **Motion** passed 2-0.

CLAIMS

City Engineer Chad Hurm presented claims in the amounts of \$12,234.37 from March 8, 2025, through April 4, 2025. Secretary Greg Kuntz made a **motion** to approve the claims as presented. Vice Chairman Brady Albright seconded. **Motion** passed 2-0.

STORMWATER DEPARTMENT REPORTS by City Engineer Chad Hurm

Main Street - South Update: City Engineer Chad Hurm stated that the storm sewers on 6th Street between Jackson Street to Mill Street has been installed.

Main Street - North Update: City Engineer Chad Hurm stated that Ragle Construction has moved on to the north half of Main Street between 7th-9th Street. Currently stormwater 2/3 up the street on the East side with drainage. Then they will start work on the West side of the road.

14th Street & Newton Street Project: City Engineer Chad Hurm stated the storm sewers on 14th Street between Newton Street and Kundeck Street are completed. Steps will be placed soon. Knies Construction has started on Poplar Lane laying down storm sewer.

STORM WATER DEPARTMENT REPORTS by Stormwater Coordinator Chad Mundy

ERU Update: Stormwater Coordinator Chad Mundy presented to the Board a copy of the March 2025 Building Permits, with a total of nine ERUs indicated on the list. Secretary Greg Kuntz made a **motion** to approve the lists as presented with nine total ERUs from the building permits. Vice Chairman Brady Albright 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 6 open sites that were inspected. There were four rain events over ½" of rain and a total of 6.07" of rain for the month of March.

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 there are six illicit discharge updates to report.

- Scooters Coffee Shop on Birk Drive had a flowable fill overflow. They used a vac-truck to clean up the spill. The contactor that over filled the pit with flowable fill was Bayer Plumbing.
- A bucket of oil was located on 231 right outside of Rural King. The bucket may have fallen off a truck. The container did remain closed and there was no spillage on the road.
- At the Jasper Swimming Pool site, a concrete pump washed out on the ground, not in a washout. Chad Mundy contacted Tom Moorman (Parks Dept. Director) due to this being a City of Jasper project.
- Trash from Schnitzelbank Restaurant blown by wind into neighbor's yard and into the creek. Chad Mundy did talk to Schnitzelbank's managers about correctly disposing of trash and grease into grease traps. Schnitzelbank will also be cleaning up the spill.
- At the Main Street Project, a contactor was saw cutting which caused sediment to flow down the drain. Chad Mundy explained the proper ways to handle this situation.
- A follow up on Walmart's trash flowing down into Home Depot's property. Chad Mundy has communication now with Corporate Manager and she is handling the situation.

Erosion Control Permits: Stormwater Coordinator Chad Mundy stated that there was one new plan received since the last Stormwater Board meeting. The new plan for Archangel Addition is on hold. There have been no new permits since the last Stormwater Board meeting.

IDEM Update: Stormwater Coordinator Chad Mundy stated that the Annual Report is now completed and did receive confirmation that the report was adequate.

Southwestern Indiana Stormwater Partnership: Stormwater Coordinator Chad Mundy stated that at the last meeting the group discussed the IDEM annual report. The next meeting will be on April 16, 2025.

2025 Dubois County Free Press Update: Stormwater Coordinator Chad Mundy that this partnership with Dubois County Soil & Water will continue with the public educational program with Dubois County Free Press.

Stormwater Training: Stormwater Coordinator Chad Mundy stated this past conference was on March 25th at Chandler, IN. Burke Engineering & IDEM presented with good lectures.

2025 Strassenfest Booth Meeting: Stormwater Coordinator Chad Mundy stated that they had a meeting on April 3rd to go over guidelines and to prepare the booths for compliance to minimize any risk of illicit discharges. Inlet filters will also be placed to reduce the risk.

Earth Day: Stormwater Coordinator Chad Mundy stated that this event will be on April 22nd at Memorial Hospital and stated this is a wonderful public education project.

There being no further business to come before the Board, a **Motion** was made by Secretary Greg Kuntz, seconded by Vice Chairman Brady Albright, **Motion** carried 2-0, and the meeting was adjourned at 9:00 a.m.

Secretary Greg Kuntz Presiding Officer

Attest:

Vice Chairman Brady Albright

Jennifer Vonderheide