

**Meeting Minutes for Street Lighting & Code Committee**  
**313 Eiler Road, Belleville IL**  
**Wednesday, May 29, 2024**

Meeting commenced at 7:00 p.m. Members in attendance: Allen Scharf, Rob Phillips, Linda Jones, Barb Johansson, and Barbara Baldrige. Jim Lougeay was resident guest.

Meeting minutes of last meeting were approved.

Code Enforcement

Tom Jackson has been getting good results for the problem properties that have been forwarded to him. Annie Markezich would like to hire a replacement for him who is deputized and can carry a gun. This would negate needing a deputy to accompany his replacement to problem properties.

A motion was made and seconded for Mark Bagby to negotiate with Sheriff Watson to set up a schedule for the daytime deputy to look at properties with Tom. We would like to either move the night deputy to daytime or reappropriate money in the budget to add that position. Linda will reach out to MSgt. Sean McPeak to discuss what he can do to grease the wheels for this.

Linda will also ask her husband to define exactly what the law is concerning towing derelict cars.

600 N. 74<sup>th</sup> Street is a problem that needs more attention from the County.

33 Sherwood Forest is vacant and a disaster. There are trees growing all around and through it. Ameren only trims primary lines, so this would be homeowner responsibility. Desperately needs to be demolished.

Street Lighting

No requests

Stookey Standout

Committee voted to allow unlimited Stookey Standout winners during the summer. June nominations are: Sunset Gardens of Memory, 3230 Cemetery Road, Kenneth Fults, 3520 Bridge Lane; Jennifer Bieber, 104 S. Fairway Drive; Terry & Dawn Miller, 8639 State Route 163; Keith & Kimberly Mesey, 8745 State Route 163; Jeff & Tracy Dell, 216 Eiler Road.

Other Discussions

Linda brought forth an issue on Concordia Church Road. Beachcomber LLC is requesting a variance to change the 100' setback along CC Road to allow for the construction of two additional homes. The Quail Club and Roy-El Catering are going to the County zoning meeting to protest this request as they don't want a precedent set along the entire road which would impact their respective properties. Bob Jones will attend the Stookey Township meeting Monday night to clarify.

A motion was made and seconded for the Township to consider a new business item to consider a position on the setback variance on Concordia Church Road.

Meeting adjourned at 7:26 p.m. Next meeting will be Wednesday, June 26<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.