

Concord Village Voice ♦ March 2024

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Clerk

The Village has hired a new clerk!
Please stop in and meet Christina Niceswander!
Christina joins us with over 20 years of customer service
experience and she will be a great asset to our
community!

No Overnight Parking on Village Streets

November 1st through May 1st.
This is in place so the DPW can plow
and salt our streets.

Community Blessing Box

Concord UMC, 119 S. Main St.
The blessing box is located next to the church parking lot.
Items such as canned goods, mixes, stews, soups, cereal,
peanut butter, personal items, deodorant, toothbrushes,
soap, Kleenex, paper towels, toilet paper, etc. are needed.
Donations can be dropped off at the church office
Mon-Thurs 9-3.
The Blessing Box is a community outreach, and based on
take
what you need and give what you can!!
Thank you!!

Village Meeting Dates and Times

All meetings are held in the Village Commons unless
otherwise noted and are open to the public. Come
participate in your local government!

The Village Council meets one time per month!!

Village Council: March 12th @ 7:00pm

Parks & Recreation: March 5th @ 7:00pm

Planning Commission: March 19th @
6:30pm

Fire Board: March 20th 6:00pm - Meeting at
Fire House

Village Voice—Village of Concord Website

Do you have community information you want
included in the Village Voice or on Village of
Concord Website? Call Village Office. Email:
office@villageofconcord.com. All info. must be
submitted a week or more prior to the beginning of the
month. The submission deadline for the April issue is
March 22nd.

Concord District Library

Concord Branch of the Jackson District Library are back to
their regular hours!

Hours:

Monday and Wednesday 10-6

Tuesday and Friday 1-6

Saturday 10-2

Weekly Take-n-Makes Stop by each week for a new take-
home craft!

Monthly iSpy and Scavenger Hunt activities

Please check the JDL website for updated information.
www.mvjdl.com

GRANGER GARBAGE/RECYCLE INFO

You may have three additional bags of garbage if you have a
90 gal trash bin!

Please place all bags of garbage and recycling in your bin!
**Bags should be no larger than 30 gallon and weighing no
more than 30lbs each**

Garbage Pick Up: At curb by **6am** Tuesday morning.

Village Council Meeting Minutes– January 9, 2024 Absent: View at www.villageofconcord.com or pickup hard copy at Village Office

The Village Council of Concord met on January 9, 2024 at 7:00 pm in the Village Commons Meeting Room.

Council Members Present: Jeremiah Bush, J. Jackson, T. Norris, T. Thurman, A. Meeks, M. Lovitt and K. George.

Council Members Absent: None

Public Present: K. Wyatt, T. Brigham, Township Supervisor D. Saenz, Treasurer J. Lefere and DPW Director J. Blossom.

Motioned by A. Meeks , seconded by J. Jackson to accept the minutes from the 12/12/2023 meeting. Motion approved by all.

Public Comments:

K. Wyatt said that at the Pulaski Township meeting the question came up regarding where to publish legal matters due the sale of The Salesman building and eliminating that paper while moving the Recorder and Morning Star to Concord. He spoke with K. Watson and she was sure those publications could go in the Morning Star.

D. Saenz reported that Concord Township's new sign is up and how nice it looks.

The Payment of Bills in the amount of \$113,062.80 was presented. Motioned by A. Meeks, seconded by K. George, to approve the payment of bills in the amount of \$113,062 80. Motion approved by all.

L. Jacobson was unable to attend the meeting. To view a copy of L. Jacobson's Concord Area Police Blotter, go to the Village website at www.villageofconcord.com look on the home page – Police link. A copy may also be picked up in the Village Office.

J. Blossom talked with Spring Arbor Supervisor D. Herlein about their speed signs. Their signs cost around \$3,000.00 each. L. Jacobson had said he would prefer to invest that money in the Flock camera system. D. Saenz stated that the sheriff's office will be doing a presentation at the township meeting in February. J. Blossom also presented a proposal from Brad's Masonry to tuck point the bricks on the west side of the Village Office at a cost of \$12,000.00 and to install a drop slot on the alley side at a cost of \$250.00.

Motioned by J. Bush, seconded by K. George to hire Brad's Masonry as proposed. All were in favor. Motion approved.

J. Bush discussed the MDOT Allman Road Contract Resolution.

Motioned by J. Bush, seconded by M. Lovitt to approve the MDOT Allman Road Contract Resolution as presented. Roll call vote as follows: J. Bush – aye, J. Jackson – aye, T. Thurman – aye, A. Meeks – aye, M. Lovitt – aye, K. George – aye. Motion approved.

J. Bush discussed the public parking lot behind the buildings on the south west side of the downtown business district. J. Bush will meet with the library officials to discuss. J. Blossom added that village attorney F. Lucas will also be making contact with the library board.

Council Comments: None.