

**Public Health and Safety Committee Meeting
Monday, April 19, 2021
Red Bud City Hall
Council Chambers (2nd Floor)**

Committee Members Present: Bill Hanebutt, Mike Rheinecker, Curt Guebert, Rodney Nevois

Committee Members Absent: Kyle Donjon

Council Members Present: Jeremy DeMond, Susan Harbaugh, Clem Esker

Others Present: Mayor Tim Lowry, City Attorney Paul Ray, City Superintendent Josh Eckart, Code Admin. Jeff Mueller, Police Chief John Brittingham, Admin. Assist. Pam Poetker, City Clerk Joanne Cowell

Committee Chairman Hanebutt called the meeting to order at 6:16 P.M.

Old Business

I. FOP Contract

Recommendation made by Committee Chairman Hanebutt, seconded by Committee Member Guebert, to authorize approval of the "ILLINOIS FOP LABOR COUNCIL AND CITY OF RED BUD CONTRACT." Carried

New Business

I. Approval of Prior Month's Meeting Minutes – March 15, 2021 Meeting

Recommendation made by Committee Chairman Hanebutt, seconded by Committee Member Rheinecker, to approve the minutes from the March 15, 2021 meeting. Carried

II. Departmental Activity Report

The monthly department activity report was included in the packets.

III. Appointment of Josh Wirth at May Council Meeting

Recommendation made by Committee Chairman Hanebutt, seconded by Committee Member Guebert, to approve the appointment of Josh Wirth as part-time patrolman. Carried

IV. Parking on North Main St.

Chief Brittingham brought forth an issue with parking right up to the stop sign at the four way stop intersection. He presented different options: 1. striping the "No Parking" area, which the state did not recommend; 2. repainting the curbs yellow and printing "No Parking" on the curb; 3. placing state provided "No Parking" signs and repainting the curb yellow (IDOT recommendation). The consensus was to repaint the curbing yellow and print "No Parking" on the curb and to leave on the agenda for further evaluation.

V. Public Comments/Anything for the Good of the City

Harbaugh questioned the UTV violations/issues. Chief Brittingham has issued a couple of public awareness statements, there have been a few complaints, but it has diminished since Brittingham made the Facebook post. Committee Chairman Hanebutt clarified that all UTVs operating in Red Bud must have a Red Bud sticker, even if they have a sticker from another community.

Harbaugh also asked Poetker for a report next month on how the city is doing with the tracking of residential rental property information, since it has been collected for about a year.

Meeting was adjourned at 6:30 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted,

Joanne G. Cowell, City Clerk
Red Bud, Illinois