

VILLAGE OF STICKNEY

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REGULAR MEETING
BOARD OF TRUSTEES
Stickney Village Court Room
6533 W. Pershing Road

Tuesday, June 4, 2024

7:00 p.m.

Meeting Agenda

1. Call to Order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Roll Call
4. Approve Minutes of Previous Regular Meeting
5. Authorize Payment of Bills
6. Pass and Approve Ordinance 2024-07, "An Ordinance Amending Chapter 14, Section 14-108 of the Municipal Code, Village of Stickney, Illinois Regarding Left Turn Regulations"
7. Pass and Approve Ordinance 2024-08, "An Ordinance Amending Chapter 2, Section 2-41 of the Municipal Code, Village of Stickney, Illinois Regarding Electronic Participation at Meetings"
8. Report from the Mayor
9. Report from the Clerk
10. Trustee Reports/Committee Reports
11. Reports from Department Heads
12. Public Comments
13. Adjournment

Posted May 31, 2024

May 21, 2024

**State of Illinois
County of Cook
Village of Stickney**

The Board of Trustees of the Village of Stickney met in regular session on Tuesday, May 21, 2024, at 7:07 p.m. in the boardroom located at 6533 W. Pershing Road, Stickney, Illinois.

**Upon the roll call, the following Trustees were present:
Trustees Savopoulos, Milenkovic, Torres, Kapolnek and Hrejsa
Absent: Trustee White**

Trustee Milenkovich moved, duly seconded by Trustee Kapolnek, to approve the minutes of the regular board meeting held on Tuesday, May 7, 2024.

**Upon the roll call, the following Trustee voted:
Ayes: Trustees Savopoulos, Milenkovic, Torres, Kapolnek and Hrejsa
Absent: Trustee White
Mayor Walik declared the motion carried.**

Trustee Savopoulos moved, duly seconded by Trustee Milenkovic that the bills, approved by the various committees of the Board, be approved for payment, and to approve warrants which authorize the Village Treasurer to draw checks to pay the bills, to be signed by the authorized signers, as provided for by the Ordinances of the Village of Stickney.

**Upon the roll call, the following Trustee voted:
Ayes: Trustees Savopoulos, Milenkovic, Torres, Kapolnek and Hrejsa
Absent: Trustee White
Mayor Walik declared the motion carried.**

At this point Trustee Torres recognized the winners of the Cinco de Mayo coloring contest. These pictures were hung in the lobby of the Village Hall and people voted for the one they liked the best. The first-place winner was Abalene Diaz, age 10. She got a gift card from McDonalds and a bracelet. The second place went to Isaac C. age 6. He was not in attendance. The third-place winner was Denise Perez, age two. She received a necklace and a bracelet. Pictures were taken. The Trustee mentioned that there were so many entry pictures.

Trustee Torres moved, duly seconded by Trustee Hrejsa to Pass and Approve Ordinance 2024-06, "An Ordinance Authorizing and approving the Purchase of certain vehicles for the Police Department of the Village of Stickney, County of Cook, State of Illinois"

**Upon the roll call, the following Trustee voted:
Ayes: Trustees Savopoulos, Milenkovic, Torres, Kapolnek and Hrejsa
Absent: Trustee White
Mayor Walik declared the motion carried.**

Trustee Milenkovic moved, duly seconded by Trustee Savopoulos to Approve Resolution 09-2024, "A Resolution Approving the Purchase and Installation of Speed Bumps from M & J Asphalt Paving Company Inc. for the Village of Stickney, County of Cook, State of Illinois."

Upon the roll call, the following Trustee voted:

Ayes: Trustees Savopoulos, Milenkovic, Torres, Kapolnek and Hrejsa

Absent: Trustee White

Mayor Walik declared the motion carried.

MAYOR'S REPORT: The mayor invited everyone to our Memorial Day program next Monday at 39th and Ridgeland. It is at 11:00 a.m. There will be a hamburger lunch served. On June 10th at 11:30 a.m. is our senior picnic. He thanked Trustee Torres for putting it together as well as the Stickney Family Day.

DEPUTY CLERK'S REPORT: None

TRUSTEE REPORTS:

Trustee Milenkovic: He advised us of the Water Quality notice that people received in the mail. We had no violations. Contact Public Works Director Joe Lopez with any questions. In addition, he presented some new additions to the Stickney Visitors Center. There was a T-shirt, a Century of Progress history book.

Trustee Torres: She thanked everyone who volunteered with the Cinco De Mayo event on May 5. Everyone stepped up on the occasion. The weather was beautiful. The people loved the food, and the kids loved the little animals. It was a great event. They then recognized our Public Works Department on this "Public Works Week." This included Public Works Director Joe Lopez and the men of the department. They work very hard to keep our streets and parks clean and everything else running smoothly in our Village.

The mayor thanked Trustee Hrejsa for co-chairing the Cinco de Mayo event.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS:

Police Chief Jim Sasseti: He thanked the Mayor and the Board for the approval of the purchase of two new squad cars. The Calls for Service April 2024: 2622 calls for service.

Public Works Director Joe Lopez: He reminded us that water testing is still going on. He advised us of the water conditions that may be seen. He suggested running the water for one or two minutes until it is clear. You can clean out the screens as well. The Director thanked everyone for recognizing them on this "Public Works Week." If it was not for the leadership and the help of the Police Chief and Fire Chief to recognize things to help him out. He thanked the Trustees for all the equipment they have supplied them to keep the Village nice and clean. He appreciates everyone including the residents.

Public Comment: The Stickney-Forest View Director, Tammy Sheedy thanked the Mayor and the Trustee for approving their request for their Block Party on June 1st from 11:00 to 1:00. She thanked Public Works, the Police Department, and the Fire Department for their assistance. They are looking for volunteers. The mayor hoped there would be good weather. The Fire Department will be there with their sprinklers in case it is needed.

There being no further business, Trustee Savopoulos moved, duly seconded by Trustee Kapolnek that the meeting be adjourned. Upon which the Board adopted the motion to adjourn at 7:23 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Beth Lukas, Deputy Village Clerk

Approved by me this ____ of _____, 2024

Jeff Walik, President

Village of Stickney
Warrant Number 24-25-03

EXPENDITURE APPROVAL LIST
FOR VILLAGE COUNCIL MEETING ON
June 4, 2024

Approval is hereby given to have the Village Treasurer of Stickney, Illinois pay to the officers, employees, independent contractors, vendors and other providers of goods and services in the indicated amounts as set forth.

A summary indicating the source of funds used to pay the above is as follows:

01 CORPORATE FUND		249,127.86
02 WATER FUND		79,220.26
03 MOTOR FUEL TAX FUND		8,847.48
05 1505 FUND		-
07 POLICE REVENUE SHARING FUND		-
08 CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND		
09 BOND & INTEREST FUND		
	Subtotal:	337,195.60
General Fund Payroll	5/30/2024	254,339.04
Water Fund Payroll	5/30/2024	19,937.50
	Subtotal:	274,276.54
Total to be Approved by Village Council		611,472.14

Approvals:

Jeff Walik, Mayor

Audrey McAdams, Village Clerk

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Check/Voucher Register - Check Register
01 - General Fund
From 5/16/2024 Through 5/30/2024

<u>Check Number</u>	<u>Vendor Name</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>	<u>Check Amount</u>
508636	Aftermath	5/20/2024	300.00
508637	Airgas USA LLC	5/20/2024	934.41
508638	CDW Government	5/20/2024	74.20
508639	Cedar Path Nurseries LLC	5/20/2024	620.00
508640	Citizens Bank	5/20/2024	3,820.32
508641	Municipal Emergency Services	5/20/2024	191.62
508643	Northwestern University Center for Pu...	5/20/2024	4,500.00
508644	RAY O'HERRON CO. INC.	5/20/2024	909.30
508645	VERIZON	5/20/2024	2,617.32
508646	Aladtec, Inc.	5/20/2024	4,554.00
508648	ANDERSON PEST SOLUTIONS	5/20/2024	57.40
508649	Artistic Engraving	5/20/2024	180.00
508650	Art-Flo Screen Printing & Embroidery	5/20/2024	1,572.50
508651	Bell Fuels, Inc.	5/20/2024	2,347.46
508652	Berwyn ACE Hardware	5/20/2024	47.98
508653	CINTAS	5/20/2024	413.73
508654	College of DuPage	5/20/2024	225.00
508655	ESO Solutions, Inc.	5/20/2024	2,703.75
508657	Infinity Signs	5/20/2024	400.00
508658	Lenny's Gas N Wash Cicero and Pershi...	5/20/2024	646.20
508659	Progressive Microtechnology, Inc.	5/20/2024	695.00
508660	Secretary of State	5/20/2024	151.00
508661	Standard Equipment Company	5/20/2024	7,417.45
508662	TARGET SOLUTIONS LEARNING	5/20/2024	5,708.50
508663	The Eagle Uniform Co.	5/20/2024	173.00
508664	Webmarc Doors	5/20/2024	1,606.00
508665	Major Case Assistance Team	5/23/2024	1,250.00
508666	Administrative Consulting Specialist, LLC	5/28/2024	7,500.00
508667	Advocate Christ Medical Center	5/28/2024	875.00
508668	Air One Equipment, Inc.	5/28/2024	185.00
508669	ANDERSON PEST SOLUTIONS	5/28/2024	77.95
508670	Bell Fuels, Inc.	5/28/2024	2,830.78
508671	Bluders Tree Service & Landscaping	5/28/2024	1,600.00
508672	Canon Financial Services, Inc.	5/28/2024	2,881.09
508673	Consolidated Fleet Services, Inc.	5/28/2024	1,360.00
508674	Town of Cicero	5/28/2024	171,744.50
508675	CPURX, Inc.	5/28/2024	1,700.05
508676	Cummins Sales and Service	5/28/2024	1,063.81
508679	Illinois State Police	5/28/2024	84.75
508680	Intergovernmental Risk Management ...	5/28/2024	4,081.80
508681	J. Sterling Morton High School #201	5/28/2024	342.50
508682	Konica Minolta Business Solutions U.S....	5/28/2024	150.15
508683	Lynn Lupo	5/28/2024	400.00
508684	Mitchell Wido Investigative Consulting ...	5/28/2024	1,750.00
508685	Municipal Emergency Services	5/28/2024	2,236.41
508686	Municipal Web Services	5/28/2024	270.00
508687	Occupational Health Centers of Illinois,...	5/28/2024	1,192.00
508688	RAY O'HERRON CO. INC.	5/28/2024	2,285.93
508693	Steve Kopsis	5/28/2024	400.00
Total 01 - General Fund			249,127.86

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 Check/Voucher Register - Check Register
 02 - Water Fund
 From 5/16/2024 Through 5/30/2024

<u>Check Number</u>	<u>Vendor Name</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>	<u>Check Amount</u>
508642	NICOR GAS	5/20/2024	285.05
508647	Ampstun Corporation	5/20/2024	4,655.00
508651	Bell Fuels, Inc.	5/20/2024	1,173.75
508656	Ferguson Waterworks	5/20/2024	2,309.00
508670	Bell Fuels, Inc.	5/28/2024	1,415.39
508677	Ferguson Waterworks	5/28/2024	12,246.00
508678	Heidelberg Materials	5/28/2024	2,924.27
508689	Riccio Construction Corporation	5/28/2024	51,922.20
508690	Sanchez Construction Services	5/28/2024	2,094.24
508692	Standard Equipment Company	5/28/2024	195.36
	Total 02 - Water Fund		79,220.26

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Check/Voucher Register - Check Register
03 - Motor Fuel Tax Fund
From 5/16/2024 Through 5/30/2024

<u>Check Number</u>	<u>Vendor Name</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>	<u>Check Amount</u>
508691	SealMaster	5/28/2024	5,636.33
508694	Traffic Control & Protection Inc	5/28/2024	<u>3,211.15</u>
	Total 03 - Motor Fuel Tax Fund		8,847.48
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Report Total			337,195.60
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ORDINANCE NO. 2024-07

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 14, SECTION 14-108 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE, VILLAGE OF STICKNEY, ILLINOIS REGARDING LEFT TURN REGULATIONS.

WHEREAS, the Village of Stickney (the "Village") is a home rule municipal corporation in accordance with Article VII, Section 6(a) of the Constitution of the State of Illinois of 1970; and

WHEREAS, the Village has the authority to adopt ordinances and to promulgate rules and regulations that pertain to its government and affairs, and to review, interpret and amend its ordinances, rules and regulations; and

WHEREAS, the Village President (the "President") and the Board of Trustees of the Village (the "Village Board" and with the President, the "Corporate Authorities") are committed to ensuring the health, safety and welfare of Village residents; and

WHEREAS, the Corporate Authorities have determined that Chapter 14, Section 14-108 of the Municipal Code, Village of Stickney (the "Village Code") should be amended regarding hours during which left turns shall be prohibited on certain streets; and

WHEREAS, traffic enforcement on Village streets is a valid exercise of the police powers held by the Village; and

WHEREAS, the Corporate Authorities desire to exercise their home rule authority in implementing the regulations contemplated herein (the "Regulations"); and

WHEREAS, based upon the foregoing, the Corporate Authorities have determined that it is necessary, advisable and in the best interests of the Village and its residents to amend Chapter 14, Section 14-108 of the Village Code regarding hours during which left turns shall be prohibited on certain streets during certain hours, as set forth below;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF STICKNEY, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS, as follows:

**ARTICLE I.
IN GENERAL**

SECTION 1. INCORPORATION CLAUSE.

The Corporate Authorities hereby find that all of the recitals hereinbefore stated as contained in the preambles to this Ordinance are full, true and correct and do hereby, by reference, incorporate and make them part of this Ordinance as legislative findings.

SECTION 2. PURPOSE.

The purpose of this Ordinance is to amend Chapter 14, Section 14-108 of the Village Code regarding hours during which left turns shall be prohibited on certain streets during certain hours as provided for herein and to authorize the President or his designee to take all action necessary to carry out the intent of this Ordinance, including the installation of necessary street signs.

**ARTICLE II.
AMENDMENT OF CHAPTER 14, SECTION 14-108 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE, VILLAGE
OF STICKNEY, ILLINOIS**

SECTION 3.0. AMENDMENT OF CHAPTER 14, SECTION 14-108.

That the Village Code is hereby amended, notwithstanding any provision, ordinance, resolution or Village Code section to the contrary, by amending Chapter 14, Section 14-108 as follows:

Sec. 14-108. - No left turn, ~~4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.~~ during specified hours.

- (a) It shall be unlawful for the operator of any motor vehicle to turn left from a westbound direction along Pershing Road at the intersection of Home Avenue between the hours of 4:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.
- (b) It shall be unlawful for the operator of any motor vehicle to turn left from an eastbound direction along 45th Street at the intersections of Maple Avenue, Wenonah Avenue, Clinton Avenue and Kenilworth Avenue between the hours of 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. Notwithstanding the foregoing, residents living at or near these intersections and any Village authorized vehicle shall be permitted to make left turns at such locations.

SECTION 3.1. OTHER ACTIONS AUTHORIZED.

The officers, employees and/or agents of the Village shall take all action necessary or reasonably required to carry out, give effect to and consummate the amendments contemplated by this Ordinance, and shall take all action necessary in conformity therewith. The officers, employees and/or agents of the Village are specifically authorized and directed to draft and disseminate any and all necessary forms or notices to be utilized in connection with the intent of this Ordinance and to install any necessary signage in accordance with this Ordinance.

**ARTICLE III.
HEADINGS, SAVINGS CLAUSES, PUBLICATION,
EFFECTIVE DATE**

SECTION 4. HEADINGS.

The headings of the articles, sections, paragraphs and subparagraphs of this Ordinance are inserted solely for the convenience of reference and form no substantive part of this Ordinance nor should they be used in any interpretation or construction of any substantive provision of this Ordinance.

SECTION 5. SEVERABILITY.

The provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable and should any provision of this Ordinance be determined to be in conflict with any law, statute or regulation by a court of competent jurisdiction, said provision shall be excluded and deemed inoperative,

unenforceable and as though not provided for herein and all other provisions shall remain unaffected, unimpaired, valid and in full force and effect.

SECTION 6. SUPERSEDER.

All code provisions, ordinances, resolutions, rules and orders, or parts thereof, in conflict herewith are, to the extent of such conflict, hereby superseded.

SECTION 7. PUBLICATION.

A full, true and complete copy of this Ordinance shall be published in pamphlet form or in a newspaper published and of general circulation within the Village as provided by the Illinois Municipal Code, as amended.

SECTION 8. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This Ordinance shall be effective ten (10) days after its passage and approval in accordance with Illinois law.

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PASSED this ____ day of _____, 2024.

AYES:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

ABSTENTION:

APPROVED by me this ____ day of _____, 2024.

Jeff Walik, President

ATTESTED AND FILED in my
office this ____ day of _____, 2024.

Audrey McAdams, Village Clerk

ORDINANCE No. 2024-08

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 2, SECTION 2-41 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE,
VILLAGE OF STICKNEY, ILLINOIS REGARDING ELECTRONIC PARTICIPATION AT
MEETINGS**

WHEREAS, the Village of Stickney (the "Village") is a home rule municipal corporation in accordance with Article VII, Section 6(a) of the Constitution of the State of Illinois of 1970; and

WHEREAS, the Village has the authority to adopt ordinances and to promulgate rules and regulations that pertain to its government and affairs, and to review, interpret and amend its ordinances, rules and regulations; and

WHEREAS, the Village President (the "President") and the Board of Trustees of the Village (the "Village Board" and with the President, the "Corporate Authorities") are committed to ensuring the health, safety and welfare of Village residents and to the efficient operation of the Village; and

WHEREAS, the Municipal Code, Village of Stickney (the "Village Code") is silent regarding the electronic participation of the Corporate Authorities at public meetings; and

WHEREAS, the Corporate Authorities have determined that it is in the best interests of the Village and its residents to adopt rules to allow members of the Corporate Authorities to participate through electronic means at open or closed meetings, as authorized pursuant to the Illinois Open Meetings Act (5 ILCS 120/7); and

WHEREAS, based upon the foregoing, the Corporate Authorities have determined that it is necessary, advisable and in the best interests of the Village and its residents to amend Chapter 2, Section 2-41 of the Village Code as set forth herein;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF STICKNEY, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS, as follows:

**ARTICLE I.
IN GENERAL**

SECTION 1. INCORPORATION CLAUSE.

The Corporate Authorities hereby find that all of the recitals hereinbefore stated as contained in the preambles to this Ordinance are full, true and correct and do hereby, by reference, incorporate and make them part of this Ordinance as legislative findings.

SECTION 2. PURPOSE.

The purpose of this Ordinance is to amend Chapter 2, Section 2-41 of the Village Code, as set forth herein, and to authorize the President or his designee to take all action necessary to carry out the intent of this Ordinance.

ARTICLE II.
**AMENDMENT OF CHAPTER 2, SECTION 2-41 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE, VILLAGE OF
STICKNEY, ILLINOIS**

SECTION 3.0. AMENDMENT OF CHAPTER 2, SECTION 2-41.

That the Village Code is hereby amended, notwithstanding any provision, ordinance, resolution or Village Code section to the contrary, by amending Chapter 2, Section 2-41 as follows:

Sec. 2-41. - Regular meetings; electronic attendance.

(a) The regular meetings of the board of trustees shall be held on the first and third Tuesday of each month beginning at 7:00 p.m. The meeting place of the board shall be at the Village Hall, 6533 W. Pershing Road, Stickney, Illinois, unless otherwise ordered by the board; provided, however, that if such meeting date should fall on a legal holiday the meeting shall be held on the following Wednesday.

(b) Electronic attendance at Village Board Meetings

1. A majority of the trustees must be physically present at the meeting in order to achieve a quorum.
2. A member of the Corporate Authorities wishing to attend a regular or special meeting of the Village Board by telephonic or video means must notify the Mayor not less than twenty-four (24) hours before the meeting. Such notice for an emergency meeting shall be given as early as possible. Attendance by telephonic or video means is only permitted in cases of:
 - a. personal illness or disability;
 - b. employment purposes or other public business;
 - c. unexpected childcare obligations; or
 - d. a family or other emergency.
3. After a roll call establishing that a quorum of the trustees is physically present, any member physically present may make a motion to permit another member to attend by telephonic or video means. All members physically present are permitted to vote on whether such attendance will be allowed and the motion must be approved by a vote of a majority of those members physically present.

SECTION 3.1. OTHER ACTIONS AUTHORIZED.

The officers, employees and/or agents of the Village shall take all action necessary or reasonably required to carry out, give effect to and consummate the amendments contemplated by this Ordinance, and shall take all action necessary in conformity therewith. The officers, employees and/or agents of the Village are specifically authorized and directed to draft and disseminate any and all necessary forms or notices to be utilized in connection with the intent of this Ordinance.

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SECTION 6. SUPERSEDER.

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SECTION 7. PUBLICATION.

A full, true and complete copy of this Ordinance shall be published in pamphlet form or in a newspaper published and of general circulation within the Village as provided by the Illinois Municipal Code, as amended.

SECTION 8. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This Ordinance shall be effective immediately upon its passage.

PASSED this ____ day of _____, 2024.

AYES:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

ABSTENTION:

APPROVED by me this ____ day of _____, 2024.

Jeff Walik, President

**ATTESTED AND FILED in my
office this ____ day of _____, 2024.**

Audrey McAdams, Village Clerk