

STREET AND FLOODING COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

MAY 14, 2013

Meeting was called to order at 3:30 pm by Chairman Mark Saulka

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Mark Saulka-Chairman

Lucy Theobald-Secretary

Jerry Sredl-Member

CITY RESIDENTS: None

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The minutes of the April 9, 2013 meeting were approved and submitted to the City Clerk for official stamp.

UPDATES FROM CITY ENGINEER/PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT ON LAST FLOOD EVENT: April, 2013

The City Engineer Jim Johnson has not reported any new information for resident, Bill Koch regarding flooding issues on his property. Steve Skiber-Director of Building & Zoning addressed the committee with an update of the last flood event of April 17—19th, 2013. He stated that Prospect Heights worked with Rolling Meadows and Mt. Prospect in securing large generators to pump rain water from flooded basements and flooded parking lots. There were 22 vehicles that were flooded. He stated that Prospect Heights had less damage than the surrounding communities. This flooding event caused less damage than the 2011 flood event which can be attributed to having no power outage problems with the 2013 flood event.

UPDATES FROM COMMITTEE:

Jerry Sredl stated he visited the Countryside area on April 19 and noted flood waters on either side of Forest St. and many of the East-West streets in the area which receded within 48 hrs. in most areas. Mark Saulka stated that areas south of Willow Rd and east of Elm had some flooding which receded within 24-48 hrs. Since there are old farm tile (12" diameter) flowing into 21" new tile and then into farm tile(12"), there is concern that there could be an obstruction in the flow. He will discuss this with Jim Johnson-City Engineer and request the tiles be televised for possible obstructions.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:30pm. The next meeting will be held at City Hall on June 11, 2013 at 3:00pm.