The Fairland Town Council met for a special meeting on Monday, June 16, 2010, at 6:00 P.M. The meeting was held in the Fairland Volunteer Fire Department located at 106 S. Walnut St., Fairland, Indiana.

The following board members were present: Richard Daily, Jeremy Creech and John Hanson.

Also present was Attorney, John Merlau, and 6 others including Craig Larkey, Mike Bowman, Keith Fisher, Chuck Brinson. Clerk-Treasurer, Christine Brinson, was absent. Her daughter, Elizabeth, recorded the minutes for the meeting.

President, Richard Daily, called the meeting to order at 6:01 P.M. The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

## **BUSINESS:**

Roads: The Council discussed proposals for patching areas on Walnut Street and West Main Street including types of patches and constructing patches. Proposals were submitted by Brookfield Sand & Gravel and Wallace Construction. Brookfield Sand and Gravel doing more residential type work and Wallace Construction doing more heavy highway work.

Brookfield Sand & Gravel quoted:

Walnut St.

\$13,280.00

\$16,880.00 with milling

W. Main St.

\$4,125.00

Wallace Construction quoted:

Walnut St.

\$15,480.00

W. Main St.

\$10,619.00 for 9 surface mix patch

\$11,500.00

Attorney Merlau advised he got a response back from Calumet, denying liability for damage to streets. Will continue to pursue.

Craig Larkey advised that a patch of the railroad crossing was done today, possibly railroad will replace crossing next yet. President Daily encouraged residents to continue to contact the railroad regarding the poor condition of the crossings in the Town.

President Daily indicated he would contact Commissioner Mohr about getting some patching done where the parade route will be. Jeremy Creech voiced his opinion that he wanted to proceed to get West Main Street done. Attorney Merlau advised the Town should get pictures before roads are patched prior to clearing up who's response for the damage. Keith Fisher voiced concern about paving over drainage and suggested an engineering analysis. John Hanson voiced he would like to do all paving at once, but if Councilman Creech feels the need to do Main Street, he's okay with that due to the parade Saturday.

Jeremy Creech questioned how long quote good for. Mike Bowman indicated proposal good for 30 days, however after that price would probably increase due to price of materials increasing. In addition to the material and labor quote there is a \$500.00 mobilization fee. Guaranteed Brookfield Sand and Gravel could have West Main Street patched by Friday at 5:00 p.m.

After discussion, Jeremy Creech made a motion to accept the portion of Brookfield Sand and Gravel to repair West Main Street for the sum of \$4,125.00, plus the mobilization fee. John Hanson seconded the motion. Motion passed by a vote of 3-0.

President Daily opened the meeting for Public Comments:

Inquiry made over soliciting bid from Milestone. President Daily advised no, Town is just starting to get funding, and Town has to accumulate funds before getting into major projects. Advised seeking assistance for repair to roads will continue. Attorney Merlau added it worth exploring. Councilman Creech advised no closing doors by any means.

John Hanson made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Jeremy Creech seconded the motion. Motion passed by a vote of 3-0 and the meeting was adjourned.

These minutes were approved: July 6, 2010

Richard Paily, President

Jeremy Creech, Vice-President

John Hanson, Secretary