

**VILLAGE OF ROUND LAKE HEIGHTS  
619 W. PONTIAC COURT – BOARD ROOM  
BOARD MEETING – NOVEMBER 8, 2005**

**CALL TO ORDER**

The Village of Round Lake Heights Board Meeting was called to order by Mayor Lumpkins at 7:00 p.m.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

The Board said the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

**ROLL CALL**

Trustee Meeks = Present	Trustee Walker = Absent
Trustee Katzel = Present	Trustee Germann = Present
Trustee Mahoney = Present	Trustee Faught = Present
Mayor Lumpkins = Present	Village Clerk Mahoney = Absent

**MINUTES**

The minutes were reviewed by the Board.

**MOTION**

A motion was made by Trustee Faught, Seconded by Trustee Germann and unanimously passed to approve the October 11, 2005 Board minutes, October 18, 2005 Committee Meeting minutes and November 1, 2005 Committee Meeting minutes.

**COLLECTOR'S REPORT**

The October 2005 Collector's Report for the General Fund was reviewed.

**MOTION**

A motion was made by Trustee Meeks, Seconded by Trustee Mahoney and unanimously passed to approve the October 2005 Collector's Report for the General Fund.

**TREASURER'S REPORT**

The Board reviewed the Treasurer's Report for October 2005.

**MOTION**

A motion was made by Trustee Meeks, Seconded by Trustee Mahoney and unanimously passed to approve October 2005 Treasurer's Report as presented.

**ADMINISTRATIVE**

**Mayor's Re-Appointment**

Mayor Lumpkins asked for a motion to re-appoint Don Johnson as Chief of Police from November 8, 2005 to November 8, 2006.

**MOTION**

A motion was made by Trustee Meeks, Seconded by Trustee Mahoney and unanimously passed to re-appoint Don Johnson as Chief of Police from November 8, 2005 to November 8, 2006.

CD Rate Mayor Lumpkins asked for a motion to renew our CD account #00007700401172 for one year at 4.3%.

**MOTION** A motion was made by Trustee Meeks, Seconded by Trustee Mahoney and unanimously passed to renew our CD account #00007700401172 for one year at 4.3%.

2005-R-07 Mayor Lumpkins asked for a motion to pass Resolution 2005-R-07, A Resolution Authorizing the Submittal of a Community Development Block Grant Application for the 2006 Project Year by the Village of Round Lake Heights, IL for Water Main Improvements Within the Village of Round Lake Heights.

**MOTION** A motion was made by Trustee Faught, Seconded by Trustee Mahoney and unanimously passed Resolution 2005-R-07, A Resolution Authorizing the Submittal of a Community Development Block Grant Application for the 2006 Project Year by the Village of Round Lake Heights, IL for Water Main Improvements Within the Village of Round Lake Heights.

#### Water Allocation from Lake Michigan

Mayor Lumpkins stated that there is a public hearing on November 29, 2005 to consider our request for an allocation of water from Lake Michigan. We will need to pass an ordinance for outside water use control at the next Board meeting.

#### **CORRESPONDENCE**

There was nothing to report.

#### **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Public Safety Trustee Meeks reported that violations for the month of October were 206 moving, 38 ordinance, 15 non-traffic and 7 warning citations.

Public Works Mayor Lumpkins stated that there has been a lot of paving projects and they should all be completed by this week.

Building & Zoning There was nothing to report.

Sewer & Water There was nothing to report.

Administration Trustee Faught reported that the Finance Committee reviewed the Warrant List and found everything to be in order.

**MOTION** A motion was made by Trustee Faught, Seconded by Trustee Meeks and

unanimously passed to approve the November 2005 Warrant List and to pay the bills.

Ordinances                    There was nothing to report.

**OLD BUSINESS**            There was nothing to report.

**NEW BUSINESS**          There was nothing to report.

### **AUDIENCE COMMENTS**

Huron Hills Issues        A resident stated that there was a home invasion at her home last Friday night and Officer Crawford responded to the call.

A resident stated that she has a daughter who was walking her kindergartener son to the bus stop today and a red pick up truck stared at her. The truck dropped a man off at the house and the gentleman went inside and then returned back outside with two other friends. These three people then walked to her house and stayed at her house while her daughter was in the home. The resident stated that she did report this incident to the police this evening.

Chief Johnson stated that the man in the pick up had been identified and was involved in three other incidents. This man is in Lake County Jail on a \$150,000.00 bond. He has asked that they do not lower the bond. A court date has not been set yet.

A resident expressed concern and fear about pit bulls in her neighborhood. Mayor Lumpkins stated that he was not sure if we could create an ordinance against pit bulls and stated that there are a lot of owners out there who do believe in pit bulls.

A resident stated that the house with the renters have been outside drinking between houses and urinating on houses repeatedly. The resident stated that the renters stare at everybody and make everyone uncomfortable. The resident stated that there are three sets of adults sharing this house with their children. The resident stated that they were whipping a pit bull around by the leash in front of the house and the dog was attacking kids and the renters thought it was hilarious. The dog continued to bite children and rip their clothes. In the summertime these people kept this dog in their garage that was kept open about three inches and the garage had to be about one hundred and twenty degrees. This resident stated that his wife is afraid to walk around their house now.

A resident stated that the response time for the 9-1-1 call for the home invasion took a long time. Mayor Lumpkins stated that the residents do

need to still call 9-1-1 and we do try our best to get there as soon as possible.

A resident stated that this same man had entered her house before. She stated that this man was sleeping in her bedroom next to her children. She stated that she called 9-1-1 from her cell phone and gave them her address and then she had to call the police again because it took so long. She stated the man was fined one hundred dollars.

Discussion ensued amongst the residents, Chief Johnson and the Board about this house that rents rooms to multiple people and the man that invaded the house. The Board and Chief Johnson encouraged the residents to call the police and to continue working together with the neighbors and the village if there are any problems.

A resident stated that her entire half of the subdivision gets picked up at one bus stop, Lotus and Huron Hills, and it is dangerous for the children. She stated that she has contacted the bus company and they will not change anything. She asked if the village can give advice or do anything to add additional bus stops.

A resident questioned if the village could put speed bumps and Mayor Lumpkins stated that we would not have speed bumps on village streets. There would be a lot of maintenance problems and problems with people coming back at the village due to speed bumps. Mayor Lumpkins encouraged the residents to call when they see speeding vehicles.

Pasquinelli

The two residents from Mohawk stated that the two worst trees are still standing behind their houses and they questioned when the trees would come down. Mayor Lumpkins stated that he would try and find out from Pasquinelli what is going on.

A resident questioned when Pasquinelli would be turning over the subdivision. Mayor Lumpkins stated that we will not accept the subdivision until it is right and hopefully it would be soon.

**MOTION**

A motion was made by Trustee Faught, Seconded by Trustee Germann and unanimously passed to adjourn.

**ADJOURNMENT: 7:55 P.M.**

Respectfully Submitted,

Susan A. Mahoney  
Village Clerk