

November 10, 2021
Special Meeting
Town of Russiaville, Indiana (Town Hall)

Council Present – Jeff Lipinski, Don Parvin, Pat Reel, and Myrna Claar.
Mark Fulk was present from the TIF board.
Jeff Lipinski opened the meeting.

The council present talked to Mark Fulk about possible projects for the TIF funds. Mark said when the TIF board had met they discussed putting some nice “Russiaville” signs at the east and west ends of town. Something substantial that would look nice. Pat Reel said he would like to see them do some smaller signs at the north and south ends of town too.

The council talked about the new lights that are going in on Main Street. There are a few spots that may need to have another light to make it look more aesthetically pleasing. Council asked Mark if they would consider making this one of their projects. Mark said possibly as long as it was a new project and not part of another one already in process.

There were several other things talked about for the future such as sidewalks, retirement living, the interurbans station, and the cloverleaf trail that will hopefully come through in the next few years.

Mark Fulk said he thinks that talking with the local business owners is a good idea to decide on the much-needed things from their standpoints. Maybe we could set up a meeting with them the first part of next year for this. Mark and the TIF board have discussed about beautifying downtown and keeping the focus on the community.

The council asked Mark if he would talk to the TIF board about the signage and lighting projects and this standpoint and see if we could partner together on these, and discuss more in the near future.

Don Parvin made a motion to adjourn. Myrna Claar seconded, and the meeting came to a close.

Jeff Lipinski, President
Megan Reel, Clerk-Treasurer