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Trustees decline to approve additions to seizure ordinance

ROSSVILLE—Proposed additions to a newly-passed ordinance giving police the authority to seize vehicles under some circumstances failed to come to a vote Monday.

Last month, village trustees approved an ordinance outlining when, because of nuisance conditions, a vehicle may be seized by the village. At Monday's regular meeting, additions to the ordinance were discussed but trustees refused to second a motion to pass them.

Trustee Dick Queen questioned police Chief Bill Shannon about the planned additions, including seizures for improper mufflers and for holding a driver responsible if a passenger assaults a police officer.

Shannon told the board that a driver is responsible for everyone in his car.

Queen questioned whether a driver would be held responsible for "a car full of rowdies." When Shannon said yes, Queen responded with "God, I'll never vote for that."

Mayor Terry Prillaman told trustees that the police committee approved the changes, but when Trustee Nancy Null made a motion to approve, neither Queen nor Chuck Cornell would second. Cornell said he had questions about the additions and Queen said, flat-out, "I won't second it."

Trustees Tom Gregory, Mary Beth Rhodes and Bunny Tweedy were absent.

Trustees did accept a proposed ordinance regarding underage possession or consumption of alcohol. Previously, when such charges were filed against a minor, they were state charges. With the new ordinance, officers may write tickets on the ordinance and the village will receive revenue from fines.

In related business, the board discussed but took no action on increasing the number of hours part time Officer Jason Anderson is allowed to work. Shannon re-

quested that he be guaranteed a minimum of 16 hours weekly with a maximum of no more than 30. In the near future, Officer Paul Boswell will attend two-week transitional training at the Police Training Institute and Shannon would like Anderson to fill in. Additionally, increasing his hours would eliminate the need to hire more part-time officers, Shannon said.

Tied with the request is another that would allow pay officers time and a half when working any of six holidays: New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving and Christmas Day.

The board is expected to vote on the requests at its October 15 meeting.

In unrelated action, the board approved a \$14,200 proposal from John McBride of ERH Enterprises, sewage treatment plant contractor, to solve a problem at the village lift station.

Prillaman said the velocity and amount of sanitary sewage flowing into the station from the south line on Park Place sometimes cause the northwest manhole to overflow, violating Environmental Protection Agency regulations. Under McBride's plan, a new manhole would be put in to handle incoming sewage from the southern line with a direct line then going into the lift station.

A second proposal was also received, from Voyles Construction and Drainage. That proposal was for \$13,950 but did not include the cost of a manhole, estimated at about \$1,000.

An additional \$3,000 will be spent on engineering costs. Before the project can begin, a shed on the property must be moved six to eight feet to accommodate the flow of the sewage. Prillaman estimated the work would be done in about 60 days.

In unrelated business, the board:

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Briefly

Tiny Tots
Tiny Tots will not be held next week.
Town Hall meeting
The City of Hoopeston will be hosting a Town Hall Meeting at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 25 at St. Anthony's Parish Hall. The purpose of this meeting will be to provide a report on the outcomes of the Hoopeston Visioning Process. The four high priority goal areas (infrastructure, housing, business retention and expansion, and downtown revitalization) will be discussed in detail at this meeting. You will have the opportunity to provide input into the visioning process and sign up to be involved on a committee or volunteer for various

projects.
We hope to see you on Tuesday, September 25th - Your involvement is important to Hoopeston's future growth!
If you have questions or need additional information contact the Economic Development Office at 283-7873.
Crafters needed
Crafters are needed for the 28th annual "Harvest Daze" sponsored by Iroquois County Historical Society. The show will be Oct. 6 and 7 at the Old Courthouse Museum at the corner of South Second and Cherry.
For information call Judy from 10-4 at (815) 432-2215.

Rossville continued from other side
● Heard from Prillaman that the village still needs a treasurer. Following the resignation of Kay Ritter, Clerk Chris Pearson has been doing treasurer duties.
● Approved a request from The FREEway to solicit donations from 8 a.m.-noon Oct. 6. Rain date is Oct. 13.
● Approved allowing the Rossville Community Organization to hold a Halloween parade beginning at 6 p.m. Oct. 31, starting at the Presbyterian Church and ending at Rossville-Alvin High School gym. The board also approved trick-or-treat hours as 5:30-8 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 31.
● Approved a request from ConAgra, allowing the company to put a large gate up on Creative Way. Prillaman said only company traffic uses the street and the ConAgra home office is increasing security measures at all facilities.

● Heard from Queen about the RCO's plan to purchase supplies to build a retaining wall and plant small trees and arborvitae on the east side of Cobler's Corner.
Queen asked that officials allow village workers to do the work. Prillaman said the project may not get done until spring.
● Heard from Cornell about ongoing work to fix and stock the pond at Christman Park.

Weather
Chance of thunderstorms today. High 87. Tonight, mostly cloudy. Low 62. Tomorrow, mostly sunny. High 86, low 60.
For current weather conditions, call Hoopeston Weather Service, (217) 283-6221.

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