



CITRUS COUNTY CITRUS SPRINGS ADVISORY COUNCIL
Citrus Springs Community Center
1570 W. Citrus Springs Blvd.
Citrus Springs, FL 34434

MINUTES

1. CALL TO ORDER

March 02, 2022 Citrus Springs Community Center

The meeting was called to order at 9:00 AM

a. Invocation

b. Pledge of Allegiance

Attendee Name	Title	Status	Arrived
Joan Dias	Chair	Present	
Thomas Mize	Vice Chair	Present	
Louise Bono	Member	Present	
David Schraml	Member	Present	

Also present:

- James Sterling, Director of Road Maintenance Division / County Liaison for the MSBU
- Kristine Sumner, Public Works Senior Secretary / Advisory Council Recording Secretary

d. Introduction of Staff

2. OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

The new streetlight that was installed at W. Hampshire Blvd. and Elkcarn Blvd. has improved visibility after dark.

- Mrs. Berek, on behalf of the Civic Association, announced local events and provided an update on building development in the area. Discussion ensued

3. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

Minutes for the February 2, 2022 meeting were reviewed.

- **David Schraml made motion to accept the Minutes as written.**
- **Seconded by Thomas Mize.**
- **Motion approved unanimously**

1. Citrus Springs Advisory Council "Draft" Minutes for February 2, 2022

Citrus Springs Advisory Council "Draft" Minutes for February 2, 2022 Meeting

4. REVIEW OF FINANCIAL REPORTS

Period 5 finance reports were reviewed.

- **Louise Bono made motion to accept the Financials as distributed.**
- **Seconded by Thomas Mize.**
- **Motion approved unanimously.**

1. Citrus Springs Advisory Council Financials for 3-2-2022 Meeting

Citrus Springs Advisory Council-Financial Reports for March 2, 2022 Meeting

5. REPORTS FROM POINT PERSONS

a. Streetlights/Fire Hydrants - Tom Mize

Streetlights / Fire Protection:

- A new light pole was installed at G. Martinelli and US41.
- A streetlight is out at Deltona and 491 on the Northwest corner.
- The new streetlight on W. Hampshire and Elkcarn Blvd. is up and running.

- An inquiry was made about adding a new streetlight on the East side of 39 and 41 by the underpass. It will need to be verified whom owns the property at the location

b. Road Resurfacing - Edwin Roberts

Road Resurfacing:

- Mr. Sterling will check with the Engineering Division to get a status of road resurfacing.
- There is not a firm date for the proposed connector to the turnpike, yet. Many factors, including land acquisition and environmental issues could affect determining the path.
- This year, it is anticipated that Deltona Blvd. and W. Citrus Springs Blvd. will be resurfaced with SCOP funds. A start date has not been announced.

c. Beautification of Boulevards/Medians/Flowers-Pam Williamson

Boulevard Beautification:

- This month, the Spring plants will be delivered and planted in a random pattern.
- At the next meeting, the Council will discuss planting additional shrubbery or trees in the fountain areas.

Council members discussed the summer planting.

- **Thomas Mize made motion to appoint Louise Bono to choose the plants for the summer planting.**
- **Seconded by Louise Bono.**
- **Motion approved unanimously**

d. Grate Installation/Fountain-Joan Dias

Grate Installation and Fountain:

- The storm grate tops are on order. A start date has not been scheduled for installation.
- In the coming months, Mr. Sterling will contact a contractor to get an estimate for re-marcing the fountain.

e. Roadway Maintenance/Mowing-Louise Bono

Roadway Maintenance / Mowing:

- Roadside mowing has not started yet. Contractor bids have been done and should be awarded by next month.

6. OLD BUSINESS

No discussion.

7. NEW BUSINESS

No discussion.

8. GENERAL DISCUSSION OF MEMBERS

The County budget for the resurfacing contract is \$1.4 million. \$800,000 is budget for resurfacing in Citrus Springs.

- The finishing contractor will be completing last fiscal year's road resurfacing list.
- Council members were provided the MSBU narrative description for review. Fiscal Year 2022-2023 MSBU budget discussion is planned for April.

The traffic lights on the East and West side of Deltona Blvd. and 491 have been reported to Duke Energy for repair.

9. PUBLIC INPUT

Road ratings and density studies are done every other year. Discussion ensued about road resurfacing.

- The Road Maintenance Division has been proactive to repair potholes on residential streets when reported.
- Traffic studies have been done on Hampshire Blvd. and 491, but stoplights are not warranted.

10. NEXT MEETING

11. ADJOURNMENT