



**SAFETY COMMITTEE
TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 8, 2015**

COMMITTEE MEETING:

**PLACE: COUNCIL CHAMBERS
7232 E. MAIN ST, REYNOLDBURG, OH 43068**

President: DOUG JOSEPH

Ward Members: Ward I - Scott A. Barrett
Ward II - Leslie Kelly
Ward III - Cornelius McGrady III
Ward IV - Mel Clemens

At Large Members: Barth R. Cotner
Chris Long
Dan Skinner, Esq.

COMMITTEES:

Community Development: Chmn Kelly, McGrady, Clemens, Cotner, Long, Barrett, Skinner
Safety: Chmn Long, Skinner, Clemens, Kelly, Cotner, Barrett, McGrady
Service: Chmn Clemens, Barrett, Kelly, Cotner, Long, McGrady, Skinner
Finance: Chmn Cotner, Long, Clemens, Kelly, Barrett, McGrady, Skinner

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*April Beggerow
Clerk of Council*

1. Call to Order
2. Approval of Agenda
3. Approval of Minutes
 - a. Safety Committee – Committee Meeting – July 20, 2015
4. Discussion
 - a. 2015 SWOP4G Salt Bid

CITY OF REYNOLDSBURG

SAFETY COMMITTEE MONDAY JULY 20, 2015

COMMITTEE MEETING:

**PLACE: COUNCIL CHAMBERS
7232 E. MAIN ST, REYNOLDSBURG, OH 43068**

1. Call to Order

PRESENT: Kelly, McGrady III, Clemens, Cotner, Long, Skinner, Joseph

ABSENT:

2. Approval of Agenda

Addition of item 4. b. City Park Security

Approved by voice vote.

3. Approval of Minutes

a. Safety Committee – Committee Meeting – July 6, 2015

Minutes stand approved.

4. Discussion

- a. ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF REYNOLDSBURG, OHIO: SECTION 160.02 “AUTHORIZED POSITIONS, PERSONNEL, CLASSIFICATION AND PAY GRADE” Subsection (F) “Police Department”; of CHAPTER 160 EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. (First Reading 7/13/2015 ~ Requests Passage as Emergency at Second Reading.)

RESULT:	REFERRED TO COUNCIL [UNANIMOUS]	Next: 7/27/2015 7:30 PM
MOVER:	Chris Long	
SECONDER:	Leslie Kelly, Ward II	
AYES:	Kelly, McGrady III, Clemens, Cotner, Long, Skinner	

b. City Park Security

Committee Chairman Long: Item 4. b., City Park Security, added by Mr. Barrett.

Councilman Barrett: It came to my attention a while ago, that students used JFK park to enjoy illegal drugs and for other activities. I thought it was really odd and just a rumor until I was running through there a couple of weeks ago, and in broad daylight, there were kids vandalizing the gazebo with spray paint. I reported it and learned it had already been called

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in. I think we could find a way to monitor the area, and I have spoken with the Parks and Recreation Department regarding this.

Chief O'Neill: I became aware on Friday that this was going to be an agenda item. I had Sergeant Gregory, who handles our records, do some checking for statistics. I had him pull all of the activity in the parks from January 1st, 2014 to the present, to get an idea of the crime in that area, for that time frame. Obviously there is more activity in the summer opposed to the winter, due to the number of people, both those doing wrong, and those who will report what they see. What I saw was that by far, the most reported incident in our parks, is suspicious activity. This tells me, that at least the people who are at the parks to enjoy them, are more than willing to call us and have us check it out. These suspicious activities have a wide range. For instance, at least one of the suspicious activities was kids throwing snowballs at other people in the park. That may have been called in as suspicious, or it may have been called in as a juvenile complaint. There is a little bit of overlap. We had eighty-eight occurrences of suspicious activity over the last eighteen months. We had twenty-nine disturbances, ranging from juveniles using rough language, to what was reported as shots fired in the park, which were most likely fireworks. We did not see or make any arrests on any violent felonies in the park over the last eighteen months. We did have some fights, and one incidence of domestic violence. But, as far as what I would consider a more significant violent crime, we did not have any of those. There were no robberies, rapes, or any crimes like those. There were ten incidences of drug activities. Again, some of the eighty-eight suspicious activities were called in, and did result in some marijuana being seized, but we saw very little upper level drug activity. There was no cocaine, no heroine, or any drugs like that. Ten incidences of property damage, two thefts, seven reports of recovered property, and twenty-seven miscellaneous, which include anything from solicitors, to parking, to squad runs, to dog alerts. We have not seen, what I would consider an upswing, other than the normal seasonal increase in activity.

Ms. Bauman: The graffiti has actually slowed down since the June 26th incident. So I am hoping that the culprits you picked out, the ones who have been doing it, were the ones that we did catch. We have seen a decrease. We don't call in everything to the police department. We just go ahead and clean it up. We have the information to report, but it is just as easy for us to get it cleaned up. This year we have probably seen ten to twelve incidences of vandalism, that we cleaned up, but did not report. And it was mainly in the gazebo.

Councilwoman Kelly: Donna, are there certain areas where we see more graffiti?

Ms. Bauman: The gazebo is the biggest.

Councilwoman Kelly: Would it be possible to have cameras placed on the gazebo?

Ms. Bauman: I have been told there is a camera that faces the skate park. I am unsure as to whether you can see the gazebo with it.

Councilwoman Kelly: Could we get additional cameras that are on the gazebo. As someone who has worked with juveniles for most of my adult life, the best way to curb bad behavior, and learn from it, is to clean up what they have messed up, and to work with their families.

Ms. Bauman: That's exactly what is happening with the 18 yr old who was caught. He is painting the gazebo even though he claims he only painted the floor. But I have had him painting the entire gazebo and tables, for the last four days.

Councilwoman Kelly: That's fantastic, that is how you change that behavior. I am so glad to hear that.

Ms. Bauman: I did inform him, to inform his friends, that there is a camera.

Councilwoman Kelly: I think the more we get cameras, and those types of things, the more we are able to hold those kids accountable. That is how you create change. Great job.

Chairman Long: I appreciate you coming before us as well. And, I understand that kids will be kids as far as snowballs and foul language, but I am concerned about the number of vandalism incidences where employees are spending time painting and erasing. I am sure the cost in number of hours that have been attributed from our Park and Re Department personnel, could probably easily pay for a camera.

Chief O'Neill: One of the things that came up in our discussions over the last couple of days, is the likelihood of us using our School Resource Officers, and our DARE Officer, and assigning them a detail during the summer break that puts them in the parks. The problem is, even if we were to catch some of the kids on camera, the Parks and Rec people may not know who they are looking at, or who has been issued a Trespass Warning. By taking the Officers who recognize those kids and deal with them throughout the school year, it gives us one more tool we can use.

Councilwoman Kelly: Chief, I am so glad to hear about that. I think that what makes a School Resource Officer so successful, is the relationship that they build. So having somebody that can work with those kids might help them figure out why they are making choices that they are making, while holding them accountable.

Councilman Barrett: My thinking is, it is recognized that the kids use terrible language, and I get that kids are kids, but there are rumors of weed and that it is a place for young kids to get heroine. I have heard that kids go into the woods and "learn about life". Eighty-eight suspicious activities that warranted getting phoned in, and the fact that they are placing graffiti in broad daylight, and where I would suspect would be the safest and cleanest in town, is in back of your shop. I don't know what the answer is, although I have some ideas. I like the idea of videotaping. If you are out there, you do know whether it is on or off. I understand you don't want to dedicate an officer to the park. However, could they drive through? There are a lot of things to think about. One thing I don't like, and I mentioned it a couple of directors ago, underneath the bridge should be lit. We do that during the Tomato Festival. People are still using that park in the Fall and under that bridge is intimidating. I

can't imagine it would cost a lot to place a couple of safety and security lights there. Perhaps there is a way to increase that presence.

Chief O'Neill: We are at a little bit of a pinch as far as manpower. We have two people we are getting ready to hire and get on the road within the next couple of weeks. We have at least one person out, for up to a year, on injury leave. And another out, that will never return. It is a matter of clearing him from the books. We are stretched thin on normal patrol. I have said this, I would love to have more people and put them to work in places like the park. It is a question of where we can take them from at this point.

Councilman Barrett: That is frustrating. I am hearing the "I don't have any money song" again. And, I get it because I have been fighting that battle since I got up here. But, I can't believe there is not another in-between. Buy a camera with a nine volt battery, and have it flash a red light to make them think it is on. There has got to be something in-between from where we currently are.

Chief O'Neill: Maybe you are misunderstanding me. I didn't say we couldn't do anything. I said, we are stretched a little thin. We can do what we can do. But, to revamp our manpower and place someone in the park full time, is not functional.

Councilman Barrett: I don't think that was ever implied, and if I implied it, that would be incorrect. Again, my thinking is, here is where we are at, and here is where it wouldn't be the embarrassment and safety issue that it is now. So, how do we bridge that. I am looking to you guys for ideas.

Mayor McCloud: Thank you Chairman Long. I will meet with the Chief and Donna again. We have already met on this issue. We will meet and put together some concrete plans that meet both our human and financial resources. There is something in-between what we have, and a full-time park officer. With that said, I will follow up with City Council regarding implementation.

Chairman Long: I think the whole idea was to acknowledge to the public, which is where a lot of the complaints are derived, that we are aware of the situation. The opportunity for the Chief to present was to show that it is not dangerous at this time. Again, we are aware. There are costs associated. And, the appropriate steps now are for the Mayor to sit down, discuss, and put together possible solutions. Mr. Barrett, if you would like to have additional conversations with Donna, the Chief, and the Mayor, I think that would be the best direction to take. Ms. Kelly.

Chairwoman Kelly: I would also like to mention, that while we are talking about the need to be a little bit tighter with our safety. It sounds like you have a proactive plan that you are already thinking about, with your School Resource Officers, and what is being done with Community Services. But, I also want to reiterate that there are a lot of great things also going on in the parks. I don't want to leave with the idea that our parks are bad places. They are not. They are wonderful places. I want to make sure we are not losing that message, and

that we are just trying to tighten it up so that it continues to be a really good place for families and fun activities.

Chairman Long: Absolutely. Any further comments from members of the committee? Councilman McGrady.

Councilman McGrady: Yes, I would just like to add that when the parties sit down and start doing the feasibility study regarding manpower and security, please consider including Pine Corey park as well. I walked down there yesterday and the whole entrance was washed out, so that is a safety issue as well.

Chairman Long: Any other comments from members of the committee? Hearing none, this item will be carried on for further discussion by the involved parties.

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Service Department**Nathan Burd****7232 E. Main Street****Reynoldsburg OH 43068****614-322-6884 Phone****RESOLUTION REQUEST**

DATE: **September 8, 2015****TO:****RE:** 2015 SWOP4G Salt Bid & Authorization to Purchase

Emergency/Suspension: Emergency**Reason For Emergency:** Immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety

This item will authorize us to purchase up to 3,000 tons of salt at a per ton price of \$69.22. The attached memo and documentation provides additional information.

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MEMORANDUM

Date: August 27, 2015
To: Reynoldsburg City Council Members
Re: SWOP4G Salt Bid & Authorization to Purchase

The SWOP4G salt purchasing bid has been received and this legislation will authorize us to purchase salt from Compass Minerals America, Inc. at a per ton price of \$69.22. Last winter, we had to pay up to \$138 per ton for salt, so the pricing for the upcoming winter is more favorable than last year. There are also no serious concerns of a salt shortage this year, so we are confident that we will have what we need to treat the roads during the 2015/2016 snow season.

We will be able to purchase up to 3,000 tons on this bid, but we are not required to purchase a certain amount. No immediate purchase will be made, but passing this item will allow us to lock in the pricing and hold up to 3,000 tons of salt for our needs. Funding for the purchases will be available in the 2015 and 2016 appropriations for the Street Department and State Highway Account.

In order to reserve our salt, this item should pass as an emergency at the first or no later than the second reading. I will speak about this item on September 8. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or concerns. Thank you.

Attachment: SWOP4G Salt Bid Information (1148 : 2015 SWOP4G Salt Bid)

SWOP4G 2015/16 ROAD SALT BID 15-7702-06 TABULATION

		Cargill	Morton	Compass	American	Detroit	Central
1	Batavia Twp	1,200	\$88.21	\$78.71	\$63.38	NB	NB
2	Bath Twp	600	\$85.79	\$83.71	\$68.42	NB	NB
3	Beavercreek Twp	1,000	\$85.29	\$83.71	\$67.89	NB	NB
4	Beavercreek City	6,000	\$84.22	\$73.71	\$67.89	NB	NB
5	Bexley, City of	100	\$75.89	NB	\$69.22	\$85.10	\$72.03
6	Blendon Twp	400	\$75.76	NB	\$70.21	\$85.80	\$72.03
7	Butler Twp	1,000	\$85.73	\$83.71	\$67.23	NB	\$73.55
8	Cedarville Village	200	\$85.76	\$83.71	\$68.42	NB	NB
9	Central Ohio Transit Auth	400	\$74.52	NB	\$69.25	\$84.65	\$72.03
10	Clearcreek Twp	1,800	\$83.32	\$73.71	\$65.17	NB	\$69.35
11	Clermont County	8,000	\$79.86	\$78.71	\$63.84	NB	NB
12	Clinton Twp	250	\$75.89	NB	\$68.59	\$84.60	\$72.03
13	Concord Twp	1,250	\$73.82	NB	\$71.51	\$86.95	\$66.50
14	Dayton City Schools	300	\$86.82	\$83.71	\$67.23	NB	\$73.55
15	Dayton City	5,000	\$84.67	\$78.71	\$67.23	NB	NB
16	Dublin, City of	2,000	\$74.71	NB	\$70.21	\$84.50	NB
17	Englewood City	1,600	\$85.76	\$83.71	\$67.89	NB	\$73.55
18	Evendale Village	300	\$84.83	\$78.71	\$62.91	NB	NB
19	Farmersville Village	200	\$87.93	\$83.71	\$66.06	NB	\$73.55
20	Genoa Twp	1,000	\$73.71	NB	\$70.21	\$85.50	\$66.50
21	German Twp	500	\$86.33	\$83.71	\$66.06	NB	\$73.55
22	German town	850	\$84.76	\$83.71	\$66.06	NB	\$73.55
23	Glendale Vill	400	\$83.83	\$78.71	\$62.63	NB	NB
24	Goshen Twp	700	\$85.57	\$78.71	\$64.29	NB	NB
25	Grandview Heights City	500	\$75.76	NB	\$69.22	\$84.60	\$72.03
26	Greater Dayton RTA	500	\$86.58	\$83.71	\$67.23	NB	\$73.55
27	Greene County	7,500	\$84.22	\$83.71	\$67.23	NB	NB
28	Harlem Township	250	\$74.68	NB	\$70.21	\$85.50	\$66.50
29	Harrison Twp-Mont	1,500	\$86.62	\$78.71	\$67.23	NB	\$73.55
30	Hilliard City	1,500	\$73.89	NB	\$69.29	\$86.60	NB
31	Huber Heights	3,000	\$84.78	\$78.71	\$67.89	NB	NB
32	Indian Hill	3,000	\$83.22	\$78.71	\$62.97	NB	NB
33	Jackson Twp	175	\$88.81	\$83.71	\$66.06	NB	\$73.55
34	Jefferson Twp	700	\$86.77	\$83.71	\$67.23	NB	\$73.55
35	Kettering City	6,500	\$84.56	\$73.71	\$66.89	NB	NB
36	Mad River School	160	\$86.93	\$83.71	\$67.89	NB	\$73.55
37	Mason City	1,000	\$83.32	\$73.71	\$63.38	NB	\$69.35
38	Miami County	5,500	\$86.74	NB	\$70.01	NB	\$72.98
39	Miami Twp Clermont	2,500	\$82.97	\$83.71	\$62.97	NB	NB
40	Miami Twp Montgomery	2,700	\$86.73	\$78.71	\$66.06	NB	NB
41	Miamisburg City	3,500	\$86.53	\$78.71	\$66.06	NB	NB
42	Middletown	4,500	\$79.41	\$78.71	\$64.33	NB	\$69.31

EXCEPTIONS

CARGILL: Pricing for entities on the pricing page which list "North Bend, Ohio" as the "Stockpile/Mine Location" will be effective for Product ordered by August 1, 2015 for delivery from June 17, 2015 through December 31, 2015 only ("Effective Dates"). Cargill may extend the Effective Dates for orders and/or delivery upon mutual agreement with the individual entity or entities.

All other entities on the bid that do not list "North Bend, Ohio" as a "Stockpile/Mine Location" will be subject to the effective dates contained in the original Bid Package.

To accept the Product price(s) offered in Cargill's bid, Cargill must receive written notice of intent to award by June 30, 2015 ("Acceptance Period").

DETROIT: Bidder's quantity commitment is limited to 100% of the Estimated Quantity stated in the INVITATION TO BID. In general, delivery of any quantity in excess of the Estimated Quantity will be subject to availability (in light of other commitments of the Bidder) and will be at the then applicable price for "spot purchases" of rock salt.

Deliveries will be made within 3-5 business days after Detroit Salt receives a written notice from the individual entity specifying the quantity of salt required.

The Detroit Salt Company will issue its Invoice to each entity for daily deliveries, each Invoice will be payable in full within 30 days after the date of the Invoice; any amount of the Invoice not paid when due will bear interest from its due date to the date of payment at the rate of 15% per annum; and if any amount due under an Invoice is not paid within 45 days after its due date, then Detroit Salt will have the right to suspend any further deliveries to the location until that invoice is paid in full.

43	Milford City	750	\$84.29	\$78.71	\$62.97	NB	NB	NB
44	Monroe City	2,000	\$83.29	\$78.71	\$64.03	NB	\$69.31	NB
45	Mont. County Engineer	7,000	\$85.76	\$78.71	\$66.82	NB	NB	NB
46	Mont. County Facilities	100	\$85.76	\$78.71	\$67.23	NB	\$73.55	NB
47	Moraine City	1,500	\$85.76	\$83.71	\$66.89	NB	\$73.55	NB
48	New Albany	500	\$75.76	NB	\$70.21	\$84.65	NB	NB
49	New Carlisle	300	\$84.76	NB	\$68.77	NB	\$69.31	NB
50	Oakwood City	1,000	\$85.76	\$83.71	\$66.89	NB	\$73.55	NB
51	Obetz Village	300	\$75.89	NB	\$68.59	\$85.10	\$72.03	NB
52	Pierce Twp	1,400	\$83.36	\$78.71	\$62.97	NB	NB	NB
53	Piqua City	2,500	\$85.89	NB	\$71.98	NB	\$72.98	NB
54	Powell City	1,500	\$73.89	NB	\$70.21	\$86.50	\$66.50	NB
55	Reynoldsburg	1,500	\$73.89	NB	\$69.22	\$85.10	\$72.03	NB
56	Riverside City	3,500	\$85.59	\$78.71	\$67.89	NB	NB	NB
57	Sugarcreek Twp	1,500	\$85.29	\$73.71	\$66.89	NB	NB	NB
58	Tate Twp	300	\$85.29	\$78.71	\$64.99	NB	NB	NB
59	Trenton City	400	\$84.28	\$78.71	\$64.03	NB	\$69.31	NB
60	Trotwood City	1,500	\$85.76	\$83.71	\$67.89	NB	\$73.55	NB
61	Union Twp	2,500	\$82.97	\$78.71	\$62.97	NB	NB	NB
62	Union City	400	\$86.31	\$83.71	\$67.89	NB	\$73.55	NB
63	Vandalia City	2,000	\$85.68	\$78.71	\$67.89	NB	NB	NB
64	Washington Twp- Mont	1,500	\$86.58	\$78.71	\$66.06	NB	\$73.55	NB
65	Washington Twp-Cler	100	\$84.29	\$78.71	\$64.29	NB	NB	NB
66	West Carrollton	800	\$86.31	\$83.71	\$66.06	NB	\$73.55	NB
67	West Jefferson Village	500	\$76.82	NB	\$69.29	\$85.10	\$73.55	NB
68	West Milton	300	\$87.59	NB	\$68.77	NB	\$72.98	NB
69	Whitehall	2,500	\$74.71	NB	\$69.22	\$85.10	NB	NB
70	Williamsburg Twp	150	\$86.29	\$78.71	\$64.29	NB	NB	NB
71	Worthington	2,000	\$74.71	NB	\$69.29	\$85.50	NB	NB
72	Xenia City	1,500	\$85.76	\$73.71	\$67.23	NB	NB	NB
73	Xenia Twp	600	\$86.33	\$83.71	\$67.23	NB	NB	NB
	Piler		\$4.00	\$4.00	\$4.00	\$4.00	NB	NB
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	Performance Bond		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00



June 18, 2015

TO: Participants in the Highway Rock Salt Bid

We opened the bids for the rock salt yesterday (Wednesday, June 18, 2015). Attached is a bid tab for your review.

Six bidders (one No-bid) bid the 122,435 Tons of salt for 73 entities. Of this tonnage, Compass Minerals gave the low bid for 118,435 Tons (96.73%) and Detroit was low for 4,000 Tons (3.27%). This pricing is based on dumped salt, and does not take into consideration piling charges. You will want to carefully evaluate the bids, since piling charges will change the overall bid price if you need a piler. The apparent low bidder may not be low for your entity when piling charges are figured in.

As in past bids, this bid was written to allow each entity the right to require a performance bond. If you require a bond, notify the company when you place your order. They should send you a copy.

I am recommending each entity make the award to the company giving the lowest and best price for that entity. When determining lowest and best bid, be sure to note piler charges (see the last page of the bid tab). You will need to choose the lowest and best bid for your entity and make your own award, using your normal award process (purchase order, letter of intent, etc.). Also note on your order whether you need a piler with your delivery. As in the past, your orders need to reference the SWOP4G bid coordinated by the City of Middletown. Please let me know who you place your final order with so I can note it to the file. A short e-mail to koppinl@mcchio.org, or a quick call to 937-225-4759, would be fine. If you award to other than the low bidder on the bid tab (considering piling charges), please call me to discuss so I have an answer for the salt companies when they call to ask why they were not awarded the bid. **The integrity of the bid rests on placing orders with the low bidder.** If you have specific reasons why you can't go with the low bidder, please call me to discuss.

If anyone needs the bid sent to them, please let me know via e-mail: koppinl@mcchio.org. I will send the corresponding bid to the e-mail requesting it.

Please notify the supplier as soon as you are able of your intent to award so they may get you set up in their delivery system and be prepared for your orders when the weather starts rolling in.

Orders may be placed by contacting one of the following companies:

Compass Minerals America Inc.

9900 West 109th St.
Overland Park, KS 66210
800/323-1641
913/338-7945 – fax
Contact: Julia Yates

highwaygroup@compassminerals.com

The Detroit Salt Company

12841 Sanders Street
Detroit, MI 48217
313/841-5144
313/841-0466 - fax
Contact: G. Hopkins

orders@detroitsalt.com

Please call me at 937-225-4759, or e-mail me at koppinl@mcchio.org if you have any questions or problems during the season. I need to know whenever problems arise so I'm prepared to go to bat for other entities that may be having the same problems.

Lisa Koppin, CPPB
SWOP4G / Past Chair, Salt Bid Coordinator

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