

Village Board Report – July 2013 *Welcome to the Village Board Report which is placed on our website monthly to keep you informed of actions taken by the Village Board on ordinances and other significant matters.*

Health Insurance Renewal – At the July 11, 2013 meeting, the Village accepted a proposal from Humana for employee health insurance coverage.

FY 2014 Budget Approved – At the July 11, 2013 meeting a presentation was made regarding the proposed FY 2014 budget. At the July 18, 2014 meeting, the Village board unanimously approved the budget. The budget was developed using the same conservative spending policies implemented over the past several years. Proactive reductions and the implementation of a Comprehensive Capital Improvement, Maintenance and Replacement Plan have positively positioned the Village to address both operational and capital demands, now and into the future. Go to the Finance Committee's page on the Village's website at www.johnsburg.org to view the full **Budget Presentation** and the **FY 2013 Approved Budget**.

Appropriations - At the July 18, 2013 meeting, the Village Board held a public hearing regarding the proposed FY 2014 Appropriations. Upon closing the hearing, the Board unanimously approved the Appropriation Ordinance which establishes the Village's legal spending limits for the fiscal year.

Running Brook Farms Impact Fees – At the July 18, 2013 meeting the Village Board approved impact fees for Running Brook Farms single family homes in accordance with those established in the Annexation Agreement for the property which shall be adjusted annually by the CPI.

Downtown Planning - At the July 18, 2013 meeting, the Village Board accepted a proposal from HR Green to pursue Phase II Downtown Planning.

Ordinances

Ordinance 13-14-09 - At the July 11, 2013 meeting the board approved an amendment to Chapter 9 of the Municipal Code entitled Liquor Control Ordinance to permit an additional Class B Liquor License. The amendment enables Murphy Oil Company to apply for the license.

Ordinance 13-14-10 - At the July 11, 2013 meeting the board performed a first review of an ordinance granting a side yard variance for the property at 1911 Lakeview. At the July 18, 2013 meeting, the board approved the variance. The variance will permit the addition of a single care garage added to an existing garage.

For more information about this report and the above referenced matters, review the meeting minutes and listen to the audio recordings available on our website at www.johnsburg.org or contact Village Administrator, Claudett Peters at 815-385-6023 or cpeters@johnsburg.org