

**City of Monmouth
Warren County, Illinois
Public Hearing Minutes for IDOT ITEP
Grant Application
November 20, 2017
City Hall**

The public hearing was called to order at 6:45 p.m. by Mayor Rod Davies, who briefly explained that the purpose of this meeting is to complete the requirements of an application for funding the Monmouth downtown streetscape improvement project. The meeting was then turned over to Josh Mercer of the Western Illinois Regional Council, the agency the city has chosen to prepare said application. Mr. Mercer explained that the City of Monmouth is submitting a grant application to the Illinois Department of Transportation.

Topics covered were:

- The fact that grant applications are due on December 1, 2017, and that up to \$2,000,000 may be requested in one application for construction;
- The City of Monmouth is submitting this application under the "Streetscapes" category;
- The City of Monmouth will seek approximately \$2,000,000 in ITEP funds;
- The City of Monmouth will match approximately \$400,000 in leverage funds;
- A copy of the records can be accessed at the WIRC office at 223 South Randolph, Macomb, IL, Monday through Friday, 8:00 am. to 4:00 p.m.

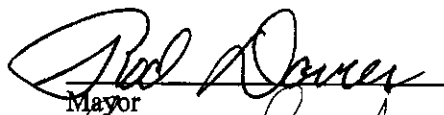
It was explained that this grant would be used to make improvements to the four quadrants of the square including sidewalks, on-street parking and crosswalks. All improvements will be compliant with the Americans with Disabilities Act.

Mr. Mercer then opened the floor to public comments. Those comments were as follows;

No comments were made.

Hearing no further comment the meeting was closed at 7:00 p.m.

I hereby certify that the above summary is an accurate account of the CDBG public hearing.


Mayor

November 20, 2017

Date


City Clerk