
THE VILLAGE OF COAL CITY
GRUNDY & WILL COUNTIES, ILLINOIS

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BOARD OF TRUSTEES TO SECOND AND FOURTH WEDNESDAYS OF EACH
MONTH**

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WHEREAS, the Village of Coal City (the “Village”) is an Illinois non-home rule municipal corporation, organized and operating pursuant to the Constitution and laws of the State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, Section 2.03 of the Illinois Open Meetings Act, 5 ILCS 120/2.03, provides that governmental bodies changing their regular meeting dates must give at least ten (10) days’ notice of such change in a newspaper of general circulation in the area, post notice of such change at the office of the public body, and supply notice of such change to the news media which have filed an annual request for notice in accordance with Section 2.02(b) of the Open Meetings Act, 5 ILCS 120.202(b); and

WHEREAS, the Village of Coal City Board of Trustees currently meets on the second and fourth Mondays of every month at 7:00 p.m. at Village Hall, but the Corporate Authorities hereby find and determine that changing its regular meetings to the second and fourth Wednesdays of every month at 7:00 p.m. at Village Hall would be more convenient, would reduce the number of trustee absences and therefore be in the best interest of the public health, safety and welfare to;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Coal City, Counties of Will and Grundy, Illinois, as follows:

SECTION 1. RECITALS.

That the foregoing recitals shall be and are hereby incorporated into and made a part of this Ordinance as if fully set forth in this Section 1.

SECTION 2. AMENDMENT.

Section 31-41 of the Village of Coal City Code of Ordinances (“Regular Meetings”) shall be and hereby is amended to read as follows:

§ 31-41. Regular meetings.

The regular meetings of the Village Board shall be held in the Village board room on the second and fourth ~~Mondays~~ Wednesdays in each month at the hour of 7:00 p.m. If the regular meeting falls on a legal holiday, the meeting shall take place on the next day at the same hour and place. Adjourned meetings may be held at such other times as the Village Board may determine.

SECTION 3. NOTICE OF MEETING DATE CHANGE.

A. The Village Clerk shall be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to publish notice of the change in the regular meeting dates of the Village of Coal City Board of Trustees as provided herein in the Coal City Courant no less than ten (10) days prior to the end of the 2015 calendar year.

B. The Village Clerk shall be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to post notice of the change in the regular meeting dates of the Village of Coal City Board of Trustees as provided herein at the entrance to Village Hall contemporaneously with the publication of the notice and to leave such notice posted at Village Hall for no less than one (1) month.

C. The Village Clerk shall be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to send notice of the change in the regular meeting dates of the Village of Coal City Board of Trustees as provided herein to all news media which have filed an annual request for notice as provided in Section 2.02(b) of the Open Meetings Act.

D. The Village Clerk shall be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to post notice of the change in the regular meeting dates of the Village of Coal City Board of Trustees as provided herein on the Village website.

E. The Village Clerk shall be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to make a schedule of all regular meetings for the entire calendar year available at the beginning of each calendar year, listing the dates, times and places of such meetings, on the Village's website and to provide such dates to members of the media who have filed a request for such notifications.

SECTION 4. RESOLUTION OF CONFLICTS.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

SECTION 5. SAVING CLAUSE.

If any section, paragraph, clause, or provision of this Ordinance shall be held invalid, the invalidity thereof shall not affect any of the other provisions of this Ordinance, which are hereby declared to be separable.

SECTION 6. EFFECTIVENESS.

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect on January 1, 2016.

SO ORDAINED this 9 day of November, 2015, at Coal City, Grundy and Will Counties, Illinois.

AYES: 5

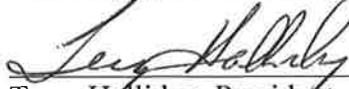
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ABSENT: 1

ABSTAIN: 0

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Terry Halliday, President

Attest:



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