



VILLAGE OF ORLAND PARK

Meeting Minutes

Board of Trustees

14700 Ravinia Avenue
Orland Park, IL 60462
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Village President Daniel J. McLaughlin
Village Clerk David P. Maher

Trustees Bernard A. Murphy, Kathleen M. Fenton, Brad S. O'Halloran,
James V. Dodge, Jr., Edward G. Schussler, and Patricia Gira

Monday, November 16, 2009

7:00 PM

Village Hall

NON-SCHEDULED CITIZENS & VISITORS

Video Gambling

Resident Wendie Benton, 13941 Charleston came before the Board to speak regarding the video gambling. Ms. Benton asked for the Board to please support a ban on video gambling within our community.

Resident Reverend Ted Jones, 8549 West 144th Place and Pastor of Faith United Methodist Church, read a statement to the Board. He asked the Board to support an ordinance to ban video poker and video gambling in Orland Park.

President McLaughlin stated that both Reverend Jones and Wendie Benton have always been strong supporters of the Village on numerous issues. He appreciated both of them coming before the Board and sharing their comments.

President McLaughlin stated that whenever he receives information for or against video gambling, this information is always forwarded on to the Board. There has been a considerable amount of information on both sides.

President McLaughlin commented that the Board has never voted to allow video gambling in the Village. At the August 17, 2009 Village Board meeting, after discussion, the Trustee's unanimously voted to table the decision until the state guidelines are written on this issue.

Trustee Dodge requested this item be brought back before the Board at the December 7, 2009 Village Board meeting.

Respectfully Submitted,

/s/ David P. Maher

David P. Maher, Village Clerk