

MINUTES OF THE BOARD WORKSHOP OF THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF WOODRIDGE, ILLINOIS, HELD ON FEBRUARY 1, 2007 AT THE VILLAGE HALL

I. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Murphy called the Workshop of the Mayor and Board of Trustees to order at 7:58 p.m.

II. ROLL CALL

The following individuals were:

Present: Trustees Beavers, Brandt, Curran, Frank, Kagann and Wood, Mayor Murphy and Clerk Nystrom

Absent: None

Staff Present: Administrator Perry, Attorney Good, Mr. Bethel, Mr. Alwin, Ms. Freischlag, Mr. Mays, Chief Herron, Ms. Bohse and Ms. Cedillo

III. ACTIVE AGENDA

A. Discussion of Smoking Ban Issues

1. Introduction

Mayor Murphy noted that Administrator Perry will be facilitating a Board discussion of issues surrounding a smoking ban in Woodridge. Mayor Murphy drew the Board's attention to the Municipal Implementation Tool Kit prepared by Smoke Free DuPage, the DuPage County Smoke-Free Task Force, to spark the Board discussion of a smoking ban. He explained that, based on this evening's discussion, staff will prepare a draft Ordinance. He stated that on March 1, 2007, the Board will hold a Public Hearing on the issue and on March 15, 2007, the Board will formally consider the adoption of a smoking ban. Mayor Murphy explained that the format of the Public Hearing to be held on March 1, 2007 might include a period of time for the Woodridge Area Chamber of Commerce to present any written feedback that they receive from their members regarding the smoking ban.

Mayor Murphy also commented about the possibility of the State of Illinois considering this issue in the spring. He noted that, anticipating this discussion, he called Maureen McHugh, Acting Administrator of the DuPage County Health Department. Mayor Murphy reviewed that Ms. McHugh indicated that it is her judgment, along with those she speaks with in the Legislature, that a State-Wide smoking ban would not be approved this year. He went on to summarize that, in his discussion with Ms. McHugh, it was revealed that Senator Jones was not receptive to a state-wide ban, nor was Governor Rod Blagojevich.

Mayor Murphy noted that this information is important because the overarching goal of the DuPage County Smoke-Free Task Force and DuPage County municipalities is for a state-wide smoking ban. He noted that, because this state-wide ban is not likely this year, DuPage County municipalities will continue to move forward. Mayor Murphy explained that DuPage County will be following the recommended timeline in the Municipal Implementation Tool Kit and will be looking to implement a ban on July 1, 2007. Mayor Murphy stated that he also had a conversation with Senator Dillard. He explained that Senator Dillard also indicated that a state-wide ban was unlikely. Mayor Murphy summarized his discussion with Mayor Joe Broda of Lisle. He noted that Lisle intends to approve an Ordinance this spring for implementation on July 1, 2007 with very few exemptions. Mayor Murphy noted that Downers Grove received a recommendation from their Environmental Health Commission to move forward with a ban, Willowbrook will be discussing a smoking ban on February 12, 2007 and that Hinsdale and Burr Ridge have already enacted smoking bans.

Mayor Murphy stated that, as the Board hoped, Woodridge's neighbors are moving forward with smoking bans and that it is time for the Woodridge Board to take a closer look at what they would like to see in a Smoking Ban Ordinance.

2. Review of Smoke Free DuPage Model Ordinance

Administrator Perry noted that the purpose of this evening's workshop is to catalogue the interests of the Board in drafting an Ordinance that will allow the Village to move forward in consideration of a smoking ban. He stated that the Board will determine the basic framework of the Smoking Ban Ordinance and any exceptions or exemptions that may be included. He drew the Board's attention to a Model Ordinance provided by the DuPage County Smoke-Free Task Force, a copy of which is attached to this set of minutes.

3. Discussion of Exceptions to Model Ordinance

Administrator Perry explained that he will be asking for Board feedback on any desired exemptions.

Smoking Prohibition in Enclosed and Unenclosed Public Places

Administrator Perry started with a review of section C and D on page four (4) of the sample Ordinance. He noted that these sections cover prohibition of smoking in enclosed public places, unenclosed public places and outdoor venues. He stated that these areas pose the most difficulties when considering a smoking ban. He reviewed the text of these sections for the Board. He noted that this Ordinance is more extensive than what was originally discussed by the Board. Administrator Perry asked for feedback from the Board on the contents of these two sections.

Trustee Brandt asked what is meant by "scheduled activity group of any kind," in section D (b) of the model Ordinance.

Mayor Murphy noted that he and Administrator Perry had a meeting with Fred Hohnke, President of the Woodridge Park District and Mike Adams, Director of Parks and

Recreation, regarding a number of items, including smoking bans on Park District Property. Mayor Murphy explained that it is the Park District's preference for the Village not to enact any smoking bans on Park District property, but rather to let the Park District craft their own Ordinance. He noted that it is their desire to craft an Ordinance that would prohibit smoking on Park District property at certain proximity to public gatherings. Mayor Murphy stated that it would be the Park District's intent to enact an Ordinance in the same timeframe that the Village is working with, so that any bans would go into effect at the same time. Mayor Murphy noted his comfort with this request and reminded the Board that, if they are not happy with the Park District's Ordinance, changes can always be made to the Village Ordinance to include Park District property.

Trustee Brandt asked if the conversation with the Park District included any further clarification of how a ban would be handled with scheduled events such as the Concert in the Park.

Mayor Murphy noted that the Park District will be looking at those kinds of events specifically, but that they did have some concern of enforcement of smoking regulations at these events.

Trustee Brandt noted that enforcement will always be an issue and should not be used as an excuse not to make a decision in relation to outdoor public events. He stated that he feels that it is unacceptable to allow smokers to smoke at these events. He stated that a combination of complaint based enforcement and peer pressure from other people in attendance will help enforce smoke-free events. He suggested waiting to see what the Park District comes up with in their Ordinance.

Administrator Perry added that, as he sees it, there are two stages. First, the exemption for the Park District with the expectation that the Park District would formulate its own set of rules in a timely manner, so that joint education is possible. Second, that the Board would have an opportunity to formulate their own standards for exemptions relating to public gatherings.

Trustee Frank noted that she does not have a problem allowing the Park District to set the Ordinance governing the parks in the Village. She asked if the Village's Ordinance would reference the fact that public parks in Woodridge are regulated by the Park District. She also asked if the Village would be considering outdoor areas not owned by the Park District. She stated her preference for including outdoor areas in the Village's smoking ban. She specifically mentioned the outdoor seating area outside of Village Hall as an example.

Attorney Good explained that a reference to the Park District Ordinance could be included in the Village Ordinance to notify residents that the Park District establishes the rules for Park District owned areas. He noted that Hawthorne Woods banned smoking in all parks as well as all municipal property.

Mayor Murphy asked for Board feedback on banning smoking at public events or on public property. He noted that it is his preference to prohibit smoking at any public event.

Trustee Wood agreed with Mayor Murphy. He asked if any other Village Ordinances allow the Park District to regulate their own land, he cited the liquor ordinance as an example.

Attorney Good stated that the Park District has ordinance enacting power. He stated that the Village passes many ordinances that are applicable to Park District property.

Attorney Good explained that the Board has the advantage of being able to change the Smoking Ban Ordinance. He noted that, if a problem or situation arises, the Board can amend the Ordinance as soon as the next Board meeting. He reminded the Board to not name specific Village events in the Ordinance. He stated that, if these events change names, the Ordinance would require an amendment with every name change.

Mayor Murphy asked for Board feedback on two (2) issues. First, is the Board comfortable with allowing the Park District to enact an ordinance regulating smoking on park property. Second, does the Board want to prohibit smoking at other public sites.

Trustee Wood stated that he is comfortable with allowing the Park District to enact an ordinance. He also stated his preference for prohibiting smoking at outdoor events and public sites.

Trustee Kagann stated that he is not currently in favor of a Smoking Ban Ordinance. He stated that, if an ordinance is enacted, he would like to see smoking in parks and community gatherings prohibited. He stated that he is in favor of allowing the Park District to enact an ordinance.

Trustee Curran stated that he is supportive of the Park District's request to enact their own ordinance. He noted that there may be a need to review other taxing bodies and determine if they should be allowed to enact their own ordinances on their property as well. He stated that he is in favor of banning smoking at outdoor public events, but that he would not like to see smoking banned at outdoor dining facilities.

Mayor Murphy stated that there will be an opportunity for discussion of the open air dining issue later in the workshop.

Trustee Beavers stated that she is in favor of letting the Park District enact their own ordinance. She stated, in regard to outdoor events, she would not be in favor of completely prohibiting smoking in outdoor areas, but would rather see some proximity regulations.

Trustee Frank stated that she has no issue with the Park District crafting their own ordinance. She indicated that, in terms of an outdoor smoking ban, she would be in favor of allowing smoking outdoors, as long as it can be done in a way that does not bother

non-smokers. She stated that she does not see a problem with allowing smoking in open air dining areas for private parties.

Attorney Good stated that an ordinance can be crafted based on the Board's preference. He noted that the exceptions that he has seen so far relate to banquet facilities. He stated that it can become difficult to craft exceptions that relate specifically to private gatherings in these kinds of facilities.

Trustee Brandt stated that he is not in favor of letting the Park District craft their own ordinance. He explained that the Village is trying to avoid a patchwork smoking ban by coordinating the effort, allowing the Park District to craft their own ban moves away from this effort. He expressed his preference for banning smoking on all Village and Park District property.

Mayor Murphy stated that the Board feedback indicates comfort with allowing the Park District to write their own ordinance. He noted that the Village will have the opportunity to review the Park District Ordinance. He also stated that there is Board consensus to move forward with a prohibition at other public events or areas in the community. Mayor Murphy noted that smoking is already prohibited on School District property and in School District facilities in the State of Illinois.

Smoking Ban Proximity Restrictions

Administrator Perry drew Board attention back to the model ordinance. He stated that there is Board agreement to prohibit smoking in enclosed places (Section C), to prohibit smoking in the following unenclosed places: the seating areas of all outdoor arenas, stadiums and amphitheatres and school grounds (Section D (1) (a) and Section D (1) (c)). He pointed out that the other items in Section D deal with proximity to play areas, public entrances or near open air dining. He noted that the standard distance required is 25 feet. He asked for Board feedback on proximity restrictions.

Mayor Murphy pointed out that the DuPage County Smoke Free Task Force gave some guidance on this issue. He stated that this Task Force advises that smoke free ordinances typically contain a clause restricting smoking within a certain proximity to entrances. This can range from 10 feet to 50 feet (the standard is 25 feet). He stated that this clause, to prevent smokers from gathering at the door, serves two purposes: first, to prevent non-smokers from walking directly through the smoke to enter the building and second, to prevent the potential fire hazard of people blocking the exit. Mayor Murphy asked for Board feedback on the proximity restrictions.

Trustee Brandt indicated that, to prevent smokers from loitering outside of entrances, he would prefer to require a 25 foot distance.

Trustee Frank agreed with the 25 foot distance.

Trustee Beavers agreed with the 25 foot distance.

Trustee Curran stated his preference for a 15 foot distance. He stated that, from his experience with the Chicago Ordinance, this is a difficult regulation to enforce. He suggested signage to help inform smokers where the required distance is in proximity to the entrances. He also recommended occasional spot checks of business entrances.

Trustee Kagann stated his preference for a 50 foot distance.

Trustee Wood agreed with the 25 foot distance.

Mayor Murphy noted that there is Board consensus for a 25 foot proximity restriction.

Smoking Ban and Hotels

Administrator Perry asked for Board feedback on smoking restrictions for hotels.

Mayor Murphy explained that many smoking restrictions in hotels are based on a percentage of the total number of rooms being allocated as non-smoking rooms. He also indicated that many communities are finding that hotel owners/managers are prohibiting smoking on their own. He noted that Woodridge will have a hotel in the near future. He stated that there are three options at this point: first, to prohibit smoking in hotels, second, to allow a certain percentage of rooms to be allocated as non-smoking rooms, or third, to receive feedback from the prospective hotel as to what restrictions they prefer. He asked for Board feedback.

Trustee Beavers indicated that she would prefer banning smoking in a percentage of rooms.

Trustee Frank stated that she would be in favor of a complete smoking ban in hotels.

Trustee Curran indicated that he does not want to make an exemption for a hotel that does not exist. He stated that, if this becomes an issue down the road, the Board can revisit exempting a smoking ban in hotels at that time. He stated that he supports a complete smoking ban in hotels.

Trustee Brandt stated that he is in favor of a complete smoking ban in hotels.

Trustee Kagann indicated that he is in favor of a complete smoking ban.

Trustee Wood stated that he is in favor of receiving feedback from the prospective hotel, because he feels that a new hotel would likely be in favor of a complete ban.

Mayor Murphy stated that there is Board consensus for a complete smoking ban in hotels. He noted that this does not preclude the Board from getting feedback from the prospective hotel and reconsidering this ban if an issue arises.

Smoking Ban and Nursing Homes

Administrator Perry pointed out that the model Ordinance makes a number of exemptions for Nursing Homes, but that Woodridge does not currently have any of these facilities.

Trustee Curran stated his preference for not crafting exemptions for facilities that do not exist in Woodridge.

Trustee Frank agreed with Trustee Curran.

Mayor Murphy inquired if any Board members disagree with Trustee Frank or Trustee Curran. After hearing no objections, Mayor Murphy noted that there is Board consensus not to craft exemptions for facilities that do not exist in Woodridge.

Smoking Ban and Private Clubs

Administrator Perry asked for Board feedback on smoking in private clubs.

Trustee Frank stated that Woodridge does not have any private clubs and that it would be difficult to enact an ordinance defining a private club, that would not inadvertently include another business in Woodridge. All trustees agreed with Trustee Frank's assessment.

Mayor Murphy noted that there is Board consensus not to provide an exemption for private clubs.

Smoking Ban and Restaurants – Open Air Dining

Administrator Perry asked for Board feedback on smoking in bars and restaurants. He stated that the Board has given the direction that they would prefer a smoking ban in all enclosed buildings, however, he asked for feedback on open air dining areas in bars and restaurants.

Mayor Murphy noted that the ordinance that Naperville is considering will prohibit smoking in outdoor dining areas. He also indicated that Lisle's Smoking Ban Ordinance will also prohibit smoking in outdoor dining areas. Mayor Murphy stated that he is a proponent of prohibiting smoking in outdoor dining areas. He stated that one of the goals of the Board is to eliminate the effects of second hand smoke. He explained that he does not feel that this second hand smoke goes away in outdoor dining areas and, for the protection of other patrons and employees of these facilities, he would be in favor of banning smoking in outdoor dining areas.

Trustee Brandt agreed. He explained that some of these areas have partial enclosures that would trap second hand smoke.

Trustee Frank stated that she is not in favor of exempting outdoor dining areas. She noted that there may be some concern from the Park District at their outdoor dining area at the Village Greens Golf Club.

Mayor Murphy noted that this is Village owned property and that the Park District is aware of the potential for a ban at this facility.

Trustee Curran stated that he is in favor of exempting open air dining facilities from the smoking ban. He stated that he feels that the second hand smoke is not as much of an issue in these facilities.

Trustee Beavers agreed with Trustee Curran.

Trustee Kagann stated that it is his preference to prohibit smoking in open air facilities.

Trustee Wood agreed with Trustee Kagann.

Mayor Murphy noted that there is Board consensus to ban smoking in open air dining facilities.

Smoking Ban and Proximity to Open Air Dining

Trustee Brandt noted that he would like to discuss the proximity issue in the smoking ban on open air dining. He pointed out that he would not like a smoker to be able to smoke only a few feet away from the area designated as open air dining. He stated his preference for requiring that smokers are 25 feet away from open air dining.

Trustees Frank, Beavers and Wood agreed with the 25 foot requirement.

Trustee Kagann stated his preference for a 50 foot requirement.

Trustee Curran stated that he is not in favor of a smoking ban in outdoor dining areas.

Mayor Murphy agreed with the 25 foot requirement. He pointed out that there is Board consensus to ban smoking within 25 feet of an open air dining area.

Smoking Ban and Bars and Taverns

Administrator Perry indicated that, under the definition used in the Ordinance, the Village does not have any bars or taverns.

Mayor Murphy asked if any Board member would like to make an exemption for bars or taverns. Hearing none, he stated that there is Board consensus not to exempt the smoking ban in bars and taverns.

Smoking Ban and Enclosed Bar Areas

Administrator Perry asked for feedback on enclosed bar areas.

Mayor Murphy asked if any Board member would like to make an exemption for enclosed bar areas. Hearing none, he stated that there is Board consensus not to exempt the smoking ban in enclosed bar areas.

Smoking Ban and Tobacco Stores

Administrator Perry asked for feedback on the smoking ban and tobacco stores. He noted that there is one tobacco store in Woodridge. He explained that the purpose of this exemption is to address the smoking room or the ability for a patron to sample a cigar or other tobacco product.

Trustee Curran asked what happens in the case that a tobacco shop starts to sell refreshments.

Attorney Good noted that, in the event that a tobacco store started selling refreshments, smoking would be banned in the facility because smoking would be banned in all restaurant facilities.

Trustee Curran stated that he would be in favor of exempting tobacco shops, as long as the exemption can be crafted in a way that would not allow restaurants, bars and taverns to allow smoking under the caveat that they are a tobacco shop.

Trustee Wood agreed that an exemption is appropriate in this case.

Trustee Kagann stated that the purpose of the smoking ban is to protect employees in these businesses as well as residents. He stated that, for this reason, he is not in favor of an exemption for tobacco stores.

Trustee Brandt stated that he would not like to see an exemption for tobacco stores.

Trustees Frank and Beavers stated that they would support an exemption.

Mayor Murphy noted that he is in support of an exemption. He indicated that there is Board consensus to exempt tobacco shops from the smoking ban.

Smoking Ban and Theatrical Performances

Administrator Perry asked for Board feedback on a smoking ban as it applies to theatrical performances.

Trustee Frank asked for clarification of the question. She stated that the Board had consensus on banning smoking in indoor facilities as well as outdoor public gatherings. She stated that she thinks that theatrical performances would fit into one of these two categories.

Mayor Murphy stated that a number of theatrical performances would call for the actors to smoke as a part of their role in the performance. He noted that an exemption in this area would address that issue specifically.

Trustee Frank stated that she would not be in favor of an exemption for theatrical performances. She stated that the performance can be done without lighting the tobacco product.

Trustee Curran stated that he would be in favor of exempting the smoking ban for outdoor theatrical performances only where the smoking is a part of the performance.

Trustee Brandt stated his preference for not allowing smoking in theatrical performances.

Mayor Murphy asked for any additional Board feedback. After hearing none, he stated that there is Board consensus not to allow an exemption for theatrical performances.

Smoking Ban and Bowling Alleys

Administrator Perry noted that the Board has decided that they would like to ban smoking in all enclosed areas. He inquired if there was any Board member who would like to exempt bowling alleys from this exemption.

After hearing no additional feedback, Mayor Murphy noted that there is Board consensus to ban smoking in bowling alleys.

Smoking Ban and Outdoor Areas

Administrator Perry indicated that the Board has given feedback on banning smoking in outdoor areas. He inquired if any Board members have additional questions or comments.

Trustee Brandt inquired if the ban talked about earlier would include the miniature golf course. He stated his preference for banning smoking at this facility.

Attorney Good noted that, if it is not clear in the ordinance, miniature golf courses can specifically be mentioned under outdoor venues.

Trustee Brandt asked that it be specifically mentioned.

Mayor Murphy noted that the Ordinance can include a specific mention of miniature golf courses. He inquired if any Board member disagrees with this specific mention. Hearing no disagreement, Mayor Murphy asked that the Ordinance include a specific mention that smoking is banned at miniature golf courses.

3. Discussion of Education

Administrator Perry indicated that the Village's education strategy is discussed in the smoking ban workshop discussion memo, a copy of which is attached to this set of minutes. He asked if the Board has any additional feedback.

Trustee Brandt stated that the Village cannot tiptoe into a smoking ban. He stated that the Village should focus a lot of effort on education. He asked that the Village and the Chamber of Commerce educate the residents and businesses that Woodridge facilities will be smoke free.

4. Discussion of Enforcement

Administrator Perry asked Chief Herron, Chief of Police, to comment on enforcement of a smoking ban.

Chief Herron indicated that the smoking ban will be difficult to enforce without the help of residents and businesses. He noted that the businesses will be a great enforcement tool for the Village. He stated that the Police Department will be doing compliance checks in the same way that the Police Department does routine liquor license compliance checks.

Chief Herron explained that most municipalities use a two tier enforcement strategy, one violation for the individual that is violating the smoking ban and one violation for the business that is not enforcing the ban. He noted that the business violation can be tied back to a business license, tobacco license and liquor license.

Trustee Brandt noted that businesses will be the ones enforcing the ban. He stated that he is in favor of the two tier enforcement strategy. He stated that he would like to see lower fines for first time violators.

Trustee Curran stated that he would like to see a more proactive approach to smoking ban violations in the first month. He stated that this greater presence would help in the education efforts.

Trustee Frank stated that the fines issued for a smoking ban violation should be associated with the cost of enforcement of the ban. She stated her preference for issuing warnings in the beginning.

Mayor Murphy noted that Woodridge was the first community in DuPage County and the State of Illinois to enact an underage smoking ordinance. He stated that part of the success of that ordinance was the education efforts by the Village. He stated that this education started before the ordinance took effect. He also stated that the Village's enforcement of this ordinance was successful because it greatly helped the education efforts.

Trustee Curran agreed that fines should be based on costs of enforcement. He stated that the fine could be set above the cost of enforcement and any proceeds from these fines could be donated to cancer research. He noted that residents would be proud to have their Village participate in this kind of program.

Mayor Murphy asked staff to take this into consideration when recommending fines.

Trustee Frank stated that she thinks this is a great public relations idea. She stated that she feels the initial fines should be tied to the cost of enforcement, but that any subsequent violation can be assigned a higher fine.

Trustee Curran drew Board attention to Section I in the Model Ordinance which states that no person, business, or employer shall discharge, refuse to hire, or in any manner retaliate against an employee or customer because that employee or customer reports a

violation of the smoking ban. He stated that enforcement of this section would be difficult. He asked if a violation of this section can be tied back to any license that the business holds.

Attorney Good stated that the Ordinance warns that license holders are subject to administrative action against their license if the business is in violation of the smoking ban. Attorney Good stated that Woodridge requires that all businesses, except those that are exempted by State Statute, are required to hold business licenses. He noted that action can be taken against those licenses.

Trustee Curran asked how the Village would determine if the employer retaliated against an employee for a smoking ban violation complaint.

Attorney Good agreed with Trustee Curran's concern. He stated that the Village has no authority to award any employee any kind of compensation or require the employer to hire the employee back. He stated that the control the Village has is over the license itself. He stated that this issue can be treated with the same review that would be used to determine if any other violation to the license occurred. He stated that for a liquor or tobacco violation, a hearing before the Mayor is held. He indicated that there is a different procedure for a business license violation. He stated that he thinks that the Village Clerk is the hearing officer.

Trustee Frank stated that she feels that this issue is taken care of through employment law. She stated that she does not feel that the Village should spend the time and money on enforcement of this section. She stated that employees have an opportunity to challenge this kind of violation through state law.

Trustee Brandt disagreed. He stated that this would allow a smaller venue for employees to bring their complaints. He stated his preference for keeping this section in the final Ordinance.

Trustees Beavers, Wood and Kagann stated their preference for keeping this section in the final Ordinance.

Mayor Murphy noted that there is Board consensus for keeping this section in the final Ordinance.

6. Other Information Required

7. Consensus on Ordinance Development

8. Consensus on Process & Timeline

Administrator Perry stated that he is going to review sections 6, 7 and 8 of the agenda together. He reviewed the prohibitions and exceptions discussed by the Board. He stated that the Board discussed a timeline for public comment and a public hearing. He stated that the Public Hearing will be held March 1, 2007. He stated that March 15, 2007 will be the prospective date for Board consideration of the smoking ban Ordinance. He stated that the Village has discussed this issue with the Woodridge Area Chamber of

Commerce. He stated that the Village will work with the Chamber to help educate Woodridge businesses of this Ordinance and gather business input on the issue.

Trustee Frank asked what the effective date of the Ordinance would be.

Administrator Perry stated that July 1, 2007 was the projected effective date of the Ordinance.

Mayor Murphy noted that July 1, 2007 was the date recommended by the DuPage County Smoke Free Task Force.

Mayor Murphy asked that, in addition to the Public Hearing on March 1, 2007, that staff provide other opportunities for the public to provide public comment. He suggested an opportunity for the public to e-mail or provide written comments in addition to the Public Hearing. He asked that part of the context of the Village's communication to the public include that the State will likely not be moving forward on a smoking ban but that DuPage County and DuPage County municipalities will be moving forward with smoking bans. He stated that Woodridge is not isolated in this smoking ban and that this will give some comfort to our business community.

Administrator Perry asked when a draft Ordinance can be expected.

Attorney Good stated that he will be able to provide a draft at the end of next week.

Trustee Wood noted that France and Ireland both banned smoking today.

IV. ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Murphy adjourned the Workshop of the Mayor and Board of Trustees at 9:30 p.m.
Respectfully submitted,

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Approved: _____
William Murphy
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