

A special meeting of the Benton Village Board was called to order by Village President, Gary McCrea, at 12:05 p.m. in the conference room of the Benton Business Incubator Building at 244 Ridge Avenue on Thursday, August 11, 2011, with the following members present: Gary McCrea, Terry Sheffer, Cal Robbins, Chuck Wartner. Absent: Rose Walton, Lisa Lawrence and Ron Fladseth. Citizens: none. Village employees present: Darnell Hendricks. Consultants and others present: none. In compliance with the open meeting law, proper notice of the meeting had been posted in four public places; the Zephyr Depot, Benton State Bank, Benton Post Office, and the Benton Business Incubator Building.

A discussion was held related to a request from the Benton Bible Church to close First Street from Third Avenue to 267 First Street (the first residential driveway on the south side of the street), on Friday, August 12th from 5:00 p.m. until 8:30 p.m. for the Benton Bible Church's community bible school.

*Motion (Sheffer, Robbins) to approve the closing of First Street from Third Avenue to 267 First Street (the first residential driveway on the south side of the street), on Friday, August 12th from 5:00 p.m. until 8:30 p.m. for the Benton Bible Church's community bible school. Voice-all ayes. Carried.*

*Motion (Wartner, Sheffer) to adjourn. Voice-all ayes. Carried. The meeting adjourned at 12:15 p.m.*