



**Citizens' Council of La Grange**  
September 9th, 2015 - Village Hall – 7:30 p.m.

**Officers**

**Chair**

Beth Augustine  
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**Vice-Chair**

John Pappas  
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**Treasurer**

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**Secretary**

Elisabeth Cornell  
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**Roster Secretary**

Russ Riberto  
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**Meeting Minutes**

- I. Call to Order  
*Meeting was called to order by Chairman Augustine at 7:30pm*
- II. Quorum  
*A quorum was present.*
- III. Secretary's Report  
Approve prior meeting minutes  
*Minutes for the May 13, 2015 meeting were approved.*
- IV. Treasurer's Report  
Membership Due's (\$25.00 for full and \$12.50 for Auxiliary)  
*Council funds total \$65.69.  
Dues for the 2015-2016 year are now due (\$25 Full members, \$12.50 Auxiliary).*
- V. Old Business  
-Welcome new officers  
*New officers were announced.*  
-Incorporation papers were filed (thank you Vera)  
*Incorporation papers were filed.*  
-Bylaw changes regarding membership meeting requirements  
*Jim Arnold summarized the changes to the By- Laws, including changes to: Article III Membership—Section 2 Nomination and Selection; Section 4 Term; Section 5 Reinstatement; Section 6 Voting Eligibility; Article IV Officers and Their Duties—Section 1 Selection and Term; Article V Committees—Section 4 Membership Committee. All changes were approved.*
- VI. New Business  
-Tonight's Discussion – format explanation  
*Following meeting adjournment, the evening's featured topic discussion was held. The topic was the Village's liquor laws— history and future, with guest speakers Andrianna Peterson, La*

*Grange Village Administration and resident John Janowski, followed by general discussion.*

*-Upcoming meeting topics & date changes*

*Guest speakers are being lined up for upcoming meetings, including from the Village of La Grange Public Works Department on Village services, infrastructure, sewers and flood issues (October 14, 2015), and from the La Grange Area Historical Society on key people and events in the Village's history (date TBA); plus additional topics related to the Village Park District and Library.*

*-Board Reports: Park, Library & Village Trustee meetings*

*No recent reports were made.*

VII. Committee Reports

*-Membership (Jim)*

*Two new members were introduced and approved for membership.*

*-Public Relations (Michael)*

*Committee reports were tabled to the next meeting.*

VIII. Other Business

*-Suggestion regarding LTTOS*

IX. Next Meeting is Wednesday, Oct 14th, 2015 at Village Hall

X. Adjournment

*Meeting was adjourned at 8:00pm, followed by the featured topic discussion.*