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CITY COUNCIL CELEBRATES JONESVILLE CITY HALL RE-OPENING

Prior to the October 19th meeting, the Jonesville City Council held a brief ribbon-cutting ceremony, officially signaling the reopening of City Hall. The building had been closed to the public due to damage caused during a storm on August 12, 2021.

Once the regular meeting convened, the Council adopted a resolution that read: “on the occasion of the first City Council meeting following completion of repairs, the City Council enthusiastically announces the re-opening of City Hall to the people of the City of Jonesville.”

Mayor Gerry Arno said, “we are all so happy to be back in the City Office after being away for 14 months.” He thanked the City staff and members of all of the City departments for maintaining all essential services throughout the work to the building. “And a big thank you goes out to all of the citizens of the City of Jonesville for your patience and understanding.”

The August storm tore open the roof of the building, dropping debris in Carl Fast Park. The three-story building sustained significant water damage to the first-floor offices. City records and equipment were protected from damage. City operations were relocated to the Police Department while the building was repaired.

Exterior building repairs were overseen by Foulke Construction and Braman Roofing Company. Interior renovations were managed by Certified Maintenance.

Photo:

IMG_3104C.jpg – The Jonesville City Council held a ribbon-cutting ceremony prior to their October 19th meeting for the re-opening of City Hall. Pictured (left to right): Delesha Padula, Andy Penrose, Mayor Gerry Arno, Jerry Drake, Mayor Pro-Tem Tim Bowman, George Humphries, Jr. Not pictured: Brenda Guyse. Photo credit: Carol Champion

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