Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Edgewood Town Council Town of Edgewood, Madison County, Indiana 4-15-2019

The Meeting of the Edgewood Town Council was held April 15, 2019 at 5:00 p.m. at the Edgewood Town Hall, 3405 Nichol Avenue, Anderson, Indiana 46011. The following persons were present:

Patricia Farran, Member Jodi Norrick, Member Dale Vanderbur, EFD Steve Servies, Town Eng. Thomas Brewer, Super. Joseph Cook, Member John Gunter, Member Marshal Ellingwood, EPD Michael Widing, Guest Paul Hensley, Guest

Julie Armington, Member Arthur Leak, Member Mike Austin, Town Atty. Keith Olson, Guest Captain Briggs, EPD John Grimes, Guest

Katherine Tanner, Clerk-Treasurer

Ms. Farran called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.

Roll call was initiated after the pledge of allegiance. All members were present.

# Continuance of the Hearing for 36 Colony Road

The record of hearing determination was presented to the council. Action taken by the Town Board for the Town of Edgewood at the hearing relative to an order to vacate issued by the Building Commissioner for the Town of Edgewood. Discussion followed. All council members voted to sign the order.

# Fire Department

Chief Vanderbur, Edgewood Fire Department reported on the fire and EMS runs during the month of March. There were a total of eight runs in March. Twelve runs were medical with seven transports and one fire run which turned out to be a false alarm. Chief Vanderbur informed the council and guests that there would be a Stop the Bleed seminar on May 18<sup>th</sup> at the Edgewood Fire Station.

#### Police Department Report

Marshal Ellingwood reported that there were 226 incident/case reports in the month of March. There were 78 arrests/citations broken down as follows: Marshal Ellingwood 6; Captain Briggs 23; Officer Barnes 9; Officer Aukerman 6; Officer Taylor 29; and Officer Robertson 5. The reserve officers, Officer Robertson worked 21 hours, Officer Lehman worked 24 hours and Parttime Officers worked 8 hours. Discussion followed.

## Water Operator's Report

Mr. Thomas Brewer, Edgewood Water reported on the various activity for the Water and Sewer Department. Mr. Brewer informed the council that the mowers for this season had been delivered and that there might be a water leak somewhere in Edgewood. One of the Storm Water Lift Station pumps went down. Discussion followed.

# **Member Reports**

Mr. Cook did not have a report.

Mrs. Armington did not have a report.

Mr. Gunter did not have a report.

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Ms. Farran did not have a report.

Mr. Leak asked the guest to contact the Town Hall if there were any park issues that needed to be addressed.

Mrs. Norrick asked Mr. Servies about the milling and paving of the streets. Discussion followed.

### Town Attorney Report

Mr. Austin did not have a report.

#### Town Engineer's Report

Mr. Servies reported that the work the town approved from Culy would begin soon. The paving project would be completed soon.

#### Clerk-Treasurer's Report

Ms. Tanner reported that the delivery of the water-sewer bills this month were delivered much quicker than last month. She informed the council that using the Pendleton Post Office seemed a great deal easier to work with. Ms. Tanner reported that the court had a loss of \$396.03 for the month of March and from January 1, 2019 – March 31, 2019 there is a loss of \$8426.00. Ms. Tanner informed the members and guests that the BZA would be meeting on Thursday, April 18 at 5:30 p.m. at the Edgewood Fire Station.

### **Old Business**

There was no old business to come before the council.

# **New Business**

There was no new business to come before the council.

#### **Comments & Questions**

Mr. Paul Hensley, 3401 Nichol Avenue, asked Mr. Austin if owners of vehicles have to have auto insurance. Discussion followed. Mr. Austin stated that Indiana required auto owners to carry auto insurance. Mr. Hensley also stated that his daughter, the owner of the car that burned and was uninsured, had left her job cutting hair and is now driving a semi-truck.

Mr. Keith Olson, 3503 Beechwood Lane, reported that the trailer that had been parked in South Edgewood was gone. Mr. Olson thanked the council for helping in this task.

# Approval of the Minutes from the March 18, 2019 Council Meeting

Mr. Cook made a motion to approve the Minutes of the March 18, 2019 Town Council Meeting. Mrs. Armington seconded the motion. All members voting aye, motion carried.

# **Register of Claims**

Mr. Leak made a motion to approve the April Register of Claims. Mr. Cook seconded the motion. All members voting aye, motion carried.

With no further business, upon a motion made by Mr. Gunter and seconded by Mrs. Norrick with all members voting aye, the Council was adjourned at 5:40 p.m.

Patricia A. Farran, President

Joseph A. Cook, Member

Arthur J. Leak, Member

ATTEST: Katherine Tanner, Clerk-Treasurer

Julie H. Armington, Member

John W. Gunter, Member

Jodi L. Norrick, Member