# Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Edgewood Town Council Town of Edgewood, Madison County, Indiana 5-21-2018

The Meeting of the Edgewood Town Council was held May 21, 2018 at 5:00 p.m. at the Edgewood Town Hall, 3405 Nichol Avenue, Anderson, Indiana 46011. The following persons were present:

Patty Farran, Member Julie Armington, Member Mike Austin, Town Atty.

Jill Hudson, Guest

Joseph Cook, Member Arthur Leak, Member Marshal Ellingwood, EPD Laura Alwood, H-B John Gunter, Member Jodi Norrick, Member Susan White, Guest

Thomas Brewer, Edgewood WO Katherine Tanner, Clerk-Treasurer

Joan Grimes, Guest John Grimes, Guest

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.

## **Fire Department**

Chief Vanderbur, Edgewood Fire Department reported that there were ten EMS runs of which one as an assist to Anderson. There were two fire runs in which one was to the Lapel District. Discussion followed.

# Police Department Report

Marshal Ellingwood reported that there were 174 incident/case reports in the month of April. There were 29 arrests/citations broken down as follows: Captain Briggs 8; and Officer Smith 21. The reserve officers, Officer Robertson worked 24 hours and Officer Lehman worked 28 hours; Part-time Officers worked 56 hours.

### Water Operator's Report

Mr. Thomas Brewer, Edgewood Water Operator reported on the various activity at the water plant. Mr. Brewer informed the council that the drainage project in the South Park area would begin within the next couple of weeks. When Layne, Inc was lining the sewers they changed the slope/landscape at the sewer lift station. There would need to be work done to correct the issue causing standing water after a rainfall. Discussion followed. The council asked Mr. Brewer to contact Layne and have them correct the problem.

### Member Reports

Mr. Cook thanked Fire Chief Vanderbur for his report.

Mrs. Armington did not have a report.

Mr. Gunter did not have a report but commended the Marshal for doing a great job.

Ms. Farran did not have a report.

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Mr. Leak asked the Marshal if the stop sign at 600 W. had been replaced. The Marshal informed Mr. Leak and the council that the stop sign had been repaired and was in place.

Mrs. Norrick did not have a report.

### **Town Attorney Report**

Mr. Austin reported that the lease agreement between the Town of Edgewood and The Edgewood Golf and Dining, Inc. was in the process of negotiations. Discussion followed.

### Clerk-Treasurer's Report

Ms. Tanner requested that the council sign Ordinance Number 5-21-18, "An Ordinance Increasing the Water Service Deposit for the Town of Edgewood." The increase was approved at the last regular council meeting. Ms. Farran read the first reading of Ordinance Number 5-21-18. Mrs. Norrick made a motion to approve the first reading of Ordinance Number 5-21-18. Mrs. Armington seconded the motion. All members voting aye, motion carried. Mrs. Norrick made a motion to have the second reading by title only. Mrs. Armington seconded the motion. All members voting aye, motion carried. Ms. Farran read the second reading of Ordinance Number 5-21-18 by title only. Mrs. Norrick made a motion to approve the second reading of Ordinance Number 5-21-18. Mrs. Armington seconded the motion. All members voting aye, motion carried. Mrs. Norrick made a motion to suspend the rules and have the third reading of Ordinance Number 5-21-18 by title only. Mrs. Armington seconded the motion. All members voting aye, motion carried. Ms. Farran read the third reading of Ordinance Number 5-21-18 by title only. Mrs. Armington made a motion to approve the third reading of Ordinance Number 5-21-18. Mrs. Norrick seconded the motion. All members voting aye, motion carried.

Mrs. Tanner asked the council if they wanted a water sprinkling credit to be issued to residents or some type of pool credit. Discussion followed. Mrs. Norrick made a motion that if the resident called before and after filling their pool they would be eligible for a sewer credit on the portion of water used to fill the pool. Mrs. Armington seconded the motion. All members voting aye, motion carried.

#### **Old Business**

Ms. Farran presented the draft RV Ordinance. Discussion followed.

## **New Business**

Ms. Farran informed the council and guests that the Edgewood Pool would be opening over Memorial Day Weekend. Discussion followed.

### **Comments & Questions**

John Grimes, 3530 Laurel Lane voiced his concern over the RV Ordinance. Susan White, Winding Way also voiced her concern over the proposed RV Ordinance. Joan Grimes asked about cars parking in the yards and if renters knew about the ordinance in the town. Discussion followed.

# Approval of the Minutes from the April 16, 2018 Council Meeting

Mr. Leak made a motion to approve the Minutes of the April 16, 2018 Town Council Meeting. Mrs. Norrick seconded the motion. All members voting aye, motion carried.

### **Register of Claims**

Mr. Leak made a motion to approve the May 2018 Register of Claims. Mrs. Armington seconded the motion. All members voting aye, motion carried.

With no further business, upon a motion made by Mr. Gunter and seconded by Mrs. Armingtor with all members voting aye, the Council was adjourned at 6:25 p.m.

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John W. Gunter, Member

Vodi L. Norrick, Member

Patricia A. Farran, President

Joseph A. Cook, Member

Arthur J. Leak, Member

ATTEST: Katherine Tanner, Clerk-Treasurer