Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Edgewood Town Council Town of Edgewood, Madison County, Indiana 9-18-2017

The Meeting of the Edgewood Town Council was held August 21, 2017 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

Joseph Cook, Member Arthur Leak, Member Steve Servies, Town Eng. John Gunter, Member Jodi Norrick, Member Mike Austin, Town Atty

Marshal Ellingwood, EPD Steve Thomas Brewer, Edgewood WO 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.

Comments & Questions

Ms. Farran asked if any guest had any comments or questions. There were no comments or questions.

Public Hearing for the 2018 Budget

Ms. Farran presented the proposed 2018 Budget for the Town of Edgewood. Discussion followed. No one present voiced an objection.

Fire Department

Chief Vanderbur, Edgewood Fire Department was not present. Mr. Cook, Fire Commissioner reported that there were twelve EMS runs of which nine were transports. There were four fire runs. Discussion followed.

Water Operator's Report

Mr. Thomas Brewer, Edgewood Water Operator reported on the various activity at the water plant. Mr. Brewer explained the change of the water due to the phosphates that have been put into the water. Mr. Brewer also enlightened the council on the confusion on the City of Anderson's placement of the two meters. Discussion followed.

Police Department

Marshal Ellingwood reported that there were 208 incident/case reports in the month of August. There were 21 arrests/citations broken down as follows: Captain Briggs 10; Officer Naselroad 6; Officer Aukerman 4; and Officer Lehman 1. The reserve officers, Officer Robertson worked 26 hours and Officer Lehman worked 28 hours; Part-time Officers worked 56 hours.

The new police vehicle has been delivered. The Marshal also reported that the Town of Edgewood's new Police Officer, Joel Smith will begin on October 23, 2017.

Member Reports

Mr. Cook did not have a report.

Mrs. Armington reported that the Edgewood Pool will be open past Labor Day weekend.

Mr. Gunter did not have a report.

Ms. Farran did not have a report.

Mr. Leak asked Mr. Servies if he remembered what the cost to put a jogging path in Edgewood Park would be. Discussion followed.

Mrs. Norrick did not have a report.

Town Attorney Report

Mr. Austin reported that he would work on a livestock ordinance and send the draft out to the members.

Town Engineer's Report

Mr. Servies reported on various engineering issues. Mr. Servies also stated that he would speal with Coronado regarding the dirt pile.

Clerk-Treasurer's Report

Ms. Tanner reported on various Town of Edgewood business.

Old Business

The Probable Cause Program with the Town of Pendleton was discussed. It was reported that the Town of Edgewood had paid for the development of the program and should not sign an agreement stating that the Town of Pendleton owned the rights to the program. Discussion followed.

Mr. Widing would try to obtain quotes for filling in Matt Clark's pool on Oakwood. Discussion followed.

New Business

Ms. Farran presented a Thank You note from the Garringers. Discussion followed.

Approval of the Minutes from the August 21, 2017 Council Meeting

Mr. Leak made a motion to approve the Minutes of the August 21, 2017 Town Council Meeting Mr. Cook seconded the motion. All members voting aye, motion carried. September 18, 2017

Register of Claims

Mr. Leak made a motion to approve the September 2017 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. Armington with all members voting aye, the Council was adjourned at 5:30 p.m.

Patricia A. Farran, President

Julie H. Armington, Member

Joseph A. Cook, Member

John W. Gunter, Member

Arthur J. Leak, Member

Jodi L. Norrick, Member

ATTEST: Katherine Tanner, Clerk-Treasurer