

Minutes of Greenville Town Council Meeting April 11th, 2011

Council President Talbotte Richardson called the regular monthly meeting to order. Other Councilpersons present were Bob Wright, James Pearce, Patti Hayes, and Randal Johnes, along with Clerk Jack Travillian. Also attending the meeting were Water Utility Superintendent Getrost, and other concerned citizens. The meeting was opened with a prayer by Councilman Johnes, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Minutes: The amended minutes for March 14th meeting and special meeting of March 18th were discussed. Motion made by President Richardson and seconded by Councilman Johnes to accept the minutes as amended. Motion passed 5-0.

Water Business:

Superintendent Getrost submitted monthly adjustments to the council. The board approved the adjustments for the bills without objection.

There was major water leak in Parkland Heights and now a repair will need to be done to a street. Councilman Wright suggested contacting Striegel Paving and adding it to the street repairs already being completed.

The Water Utility is selling the 2003 Chevrolet S10 pickup truck. The announcements have been published in the paper and the bids will be opened at the May 9, 2011 meeting.

Marshal Report:

Marshal Moore noted that the town should start receiving court cost of about 30% from tickets that have been turned into Floyd County Court system. Tickets are down. The Floyd County Auditor's office is looking into additional funding or grants to help the department.

Councilman Johnes and Detective Burkhart will be holding a meeting concerning electronic ticketing. Electronic tickets are much more effective and less officer time involved with processing.

Financial:

Review/Approval Checks and Expenditures: Clerk Travillian presented the forms for the checks written from the utility and the town.

Streets and Roads:

Councilman Wright stated that repairs to streets in Wind Dance Subdivision have been completed and all other repairs to streets should be completed within a month.

Special Projects:

Town Attorney Fox has arranged a meeting with the New Albany/Floyd County Animal Shelter and their attorney about the January 12, 2005 {Floyd County Resolution 2005 II Article 5 Services} inter-local cooperation government agreement.

New Business: Citizens Comments

Wanda Kehrer and Carol Weaver from the Greenville Love Center are requesting a variance to open up a help center at 9403D Harrison Street (old Optimist Club building). They stated that no items would be left outside for more than 24 hours. Dumping had been a past problem when they were located on Highway 150. President Richardson asked about a lockable gate. Councilwoman Hayes stated the council should consider a "Conditional Use" variance. Councilman Johnes stated that there would need to be a Public Hearing for public comments from other neighbors or concerned citizens.

A resident from Heritage Springs Subdivision, Greg Redden, appeared before the council and thanked them for installing the new street light on Highway 150 so quickly. Mr. Redden had been concerned about the safety of his family and friends late at night without any lighting for the intersection.

No further business coming before the Council the meeting was adjourned.

Next Monthly Meeting to be held at 7:00 P.M. on May 9th, 2011.

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