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Buffalo Academy - 1849

Town Council Meeting March 7, 2022

Meeting called to order by Mayor Cain at 7:00 P.M.

Doug Pierson, Leah Higginbotham, Terry Parsons, Chad Thaxton (via phone), and Barbara Reed were present.

The Pledge of Allegiance.

Doug Pierson made motion to approve the February minutes as read, Barbara Reed seconded, motion carried unanimously.

Leah Higginbotham made motion to approve payments from February 1st to present date, Terry Parsons seconded, motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Cain briefed Council on the Sewer Board Minutes.

Chief Will Jordan gave the Police Report.

Mayor Cain introduced Michael Thompson, who is running for Circuit Clerk.

Mayor Cain introduced Nick Withrow, who is running for House of Delegates.

Mayor Cain introduced Rachel Jefferies, with the North Putnam Little League. She asked Council if they could have use of the ballfields for the 2022 baseball and softball seasons.

Doug Pierson made motion to use of the three ballfields other than the gazebo field, Terry Parsons seconded, motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Cain updated Council on the Krystal Lane Project. We have now got the railroad permits, but now we are waiting for the insurance certificates.

Mayor Can updated Council on the sidewalk grant. EL Robinson made their presentation, we now needing to come up with the funding for the construction of the first section of the plan.

Mayor Cain updated Council on the basketball court. We are still waiting for better weather to put up the goals.

Leah Higginbotham mentioned that the Town workers' wanted Council approval to purchase a salt spreader for the roads. It was decided that more information was needed.

Mayor Cain mentioned that the Town might consider coming up with some kind of vehicle rotation.

Mayor Cain mentioned that we should consider replacing the bucket truck. He said that he wanted to look into opportunities to acquiring a newer used truck.

Leah Higginbotham mentioned to Council that we should consider putting up electric vehicle charge stations somewhere in town. She mentioned she was waiting on a contact in Hurricane to get back with her on more information.

Leah Higginbotham brought up that we might consider changing the existing Recreational Enhancement Grant we just applied for from a basketball court to a tennis/ pickle ball court.

Andrew Coulson gave the financial report.

Town Engineer said that the surveying of the town for the sewer system had been done and we are waiting for them to send it to us.

Barbara Reed mentioned that she would like to see the town have a big cleanup. We will be putting in for some grants.

Leah Higginbotham mentioned that we need some different traffic signs on the road by Rt. 62 and Wrights Lane.

Chief Will Jordan mentioned to Council that the old Dodge Charger needs to rid of.

Seth King introduced himself to Council; he is running for House of Representatives.

Doug Pierson made motion to adjourn, Barbara Reed seconded, meeting adjourned at 8:18 P.M.

Attendance: Chief Will Jordan, Herman Jividen, Dave Melton, Adam Jividen, Fred Higginbotham, Travis Blankenship, Darrell Moore, Nick Withrow, Michael Thompson, Seth King, Kennon Chambers, Amanda Runion, Belford Jividen, Rachel Scott.

Mayor

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