

Pendleton Town Council
October 14th, 2021

The Pendleton Town Council met in regular session at 6:00pm on October 14th, 2021 at the Pendleton Town Hall, 100 West State Street, Pendleton, Indiana. All documents presented are on file in the Clerk-Treasurer's office and may be reviewed upon request. Town Council President, Chet Babb, called the meeting of the Pendleton Town Council to order.

Council Members present were President Chet Babb, Vice President Shane Davis, Robert Jones, Steve Denny and Marissa Skaggs. A quorum was established with five of five members present. Clerk-Treasurer Willie Boles was present. After a moment of silence, Edward Wolenty led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Also representing the Town were Town Manager Scott Reske, Deputy Clerk-Treasurer Karen Parkison, Police Marshall Marc Farrer, Judge George Gasparovic, Fire Chief Chris Nodine (by Zoom), Park Superintendent Aaron Burris, Denise McKee and town attorney, Jeff Graham.

The minutes from both September meetings were approved without any corrections. Shane Davis made the motion to approve and Robert Jones 2nd. Motion carried with a roll call vote of five to zero.

CLERK-TREASURER'S REPORT

Clerk-Treasurer Willie Boles presented the claims and the financial report for September 2021.

A motion to approve the claims and financial report as presented was made by Robert Jones and 2nd by Shane Davis. Motion carried with a roll call vote of five to zero.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

Fire Department – Chris Nodine presented his report

Police Department – Marc Farrer presented his report

Town Court – Judge Gasparovic presented his report.

Park Department – Aaron Burris presented his report

Planning and Town Manager – Scott Reske presented his report.

OLD BUSINESS

Ordinance 21-19 – Impact Review Board.

- This was the second reading of Ordinance 21-19 for the Impact Review Board. Babb stated the CPA position on the board was still open and asked for help in finding someone.

Motion to approve Ordinance 21-19 on the second reading was made by Robert Jones and 2nd by Steve Denny. Motion carried with a roll call vote of five to zero.

NEW BUSINESS

Park Fest Wrap Up

- Lisa Floyd, joined by Carol Hanna and Coco Bill, gave a report on the first Park Fest. They reported an estimated 500 adults plus children attended the event. No rude behavior was exhibited by any attendees and that all had a great time. Around \$5,700 was generated by this event which will benefit the Parks Department.

Ordinance 21-25 - Amending the UDO

- The UDO will be reviewed and updated every quarter to make the appropriate adjustments. Babb stated that this would not be the only amendment to the UDO, it will have periodic changes.

Motion to approve Ordinance 21-25 was made by Marissa Skaggs and 2nd by Shane Davis. Motion carried with a vote of five to zero. Since this Ordinance was approved by the Plan Commission, the council did not have to have a 2nd reading.

Ordinance 21-27 ARPA Plan

- Jeff Graham explained the Ordinance. Plan was drafted to be as general as possible with the Covid Relief money. Plan can be amended and does not obligate the Town to spend it and allows for appropriation at a later date. Approximately \$288,000 of projects have already been proposed.

Motion to approve Ordinance 21-27 was made by Robert Jones and 2nd by Shane Davis. Motion carried five to zero.

Motion to suspend the rules for the second reading was made by Robert Jones and 2nd by Marissa Skaggs. Motion carried five to zero.

Motion to approve the second reading was made by Robert Jones and 2nd by Steve Denny. Motion carried five to zero

Ordinance 21-29 Budget for 2022

- The 2022 Budget for the Town was discussed.

Public Hearing opened at 6:35

Some general questions were asked and answered about the 2022 Budget.

Public Hearing was closed at 6:39

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Adoption of the 2022 Budget will be on October 27th at 6:00pm.

Public Comments

- Willie Boles came to the podium to state that he would like to try and organize a Veteran's Day parade on November 11th.
- Chet Babb asked that Lucas Traylor step up to the podium. Officer Traylor was chosen Officer of the Year by Madison County. He was congratulated by the Council.

ADJOURNMENT

- There being no other business brought before this Town Council, the public meeting adjourned at 6:48 pm.

Prepared by _____
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Deputy Clerk-Treasurer

Approved by Chet W. Babb
Chet Babb
Council President