

CAMDEN TOWN COUNCIL MINUTES
TOWN OF CAMDEN INDIANA
JANUARY 11, 2023

The Camden Town Council met in a legally advertised meeting on Wednesday, January 11, 2023 at 11:00 AM in the Camden Town Office.

Those present were, President Brent Deel, Mark Schock, Clerk Treasurer Jeff Sieber, Attorney Anne Briggs, Marshal Jill Hammond, Utility Superintendant Jerry Snively and 6 guests.

Mr. Deel lead the group in the Pledge of Allegiance after opening the meeting.

A motion was made by Mr. Schock and a second from Mr. Deel to approve the minutes of the December End Of Year meeting as well as all Dockets and reports submitted.

Mr. Schock made a motion to retain Mr. Deel as Council President and keep the same meeting dates and times for 2023, seconded by Mr. Deel.

Mr. Deel then made a motion to keep Mr. Schock as Vice President, seconded by Mr. Schock.

Mr. Schock also made a motion to pay the Library \$250.00 for the use of the room for our monthly meetings. Seconded by Mr. Deel.

The KIRPC Appointment Statement was signed and will be returned to them stating that Mr. Deel will be our representative.

Mr. Snively reported that Alan George is almost done with the work on the George Hunt Drain and that representatives will be needing to meet with Mr. Leonard to finalize the work that was done on his property.

Marshal Jill Hammond gave her report as attached. She also said that the new Police vehicle should be ready by weeks end for pick up.

Clerk Treasurer, Jeff Sieber said he had nothing to report other than he is working on all of the Year End stuff and has gotten the W-2s and 1099's out to the people.

CC Chamber Director, Julia Leahy stated that R&D Family Restaurant will be having their ribbon cutting ceremony next Wednesday afternoon. She invited all to attend. She also said that she is currently in talks with TDS Telecom regarding donation funding to assist the Camden Senior Citizen complex with purchasing a backup generator. She said

the Chamber is a Not For Profit that can channel the funds through them to receive grants and donations for the project, which should cost around \$10,000.00

Ken Smith asked to have the paper signed for the first draw on the Drain Project Grant for \$325,000.00. He also stated that he has been informed that bidding on the 218 project will open the 19th. He should have more of an update on that project in February.

Alan George will be able to run the conduit under Main Street from the Select Seed Building to the Water Tower for the Fiber Optic lines running to the new antennas.

Mr. Snavelly said he will need to get ahold of the gentlemen regarding the tower and see what stipulations there are to add the antennas to it.

Mr. Schock made a motion, seconded by Mr. Deel to approve the installation of the wiring.

Mr. Schock announced that Mr. Robison's Step Mother had passed away and asked that everyone keep the family in their thoughts and prayers.

The Town Offices will be closed January 16 in observance of MLK Day.

Next meeting will be held February 8, 2023.

Mr. Schock made a motion, seconded by Mr. Deel to adjourn at 7:19 PM.

The council also discussed the issue that has risen regarding allowing ducks in town along with the chickens. After discussion and the future problems that it could cause, Mr. Schock made the motion to keep the Town's Ordinance as written and only allow up to 8 chickens in the town limits, excluding Roosters and Ducks.

New projects for 2023 was tabled and will be discussed at future meetings.

Next meeting will be January 11, 2023.

Mr. Deel made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Mr. Schock at 11:25 AM.

Attest:

Council:

Brent Deel - President

Jeff Sieber
Clerk Treasurer

Mark Schock

Andrew Robinson

