

CAMDEN TOWN COUNCIL MINUTES
TOWN OF CAMDEN INDIANA
JULY 12, 2023

The Camden Town Council met in a legally advertised meeting on Wednesday, July 12, 2023 at 7:00 PM in the Library Reading Room.

Those present were, President Brent Deel, Mark Schock, Andy Robison, Clerk Treasurer Jeff Sieber, Marshal Jill Hammond, Utility Superintendant Jerry Snavelly, Attorney Anne Briggs and 5 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 June meeting as well as all Dockets and reports submitted.

Utility Superintendant, Jerry Snavelly said that he is receiving several Locate Tickets for the work that is to be starting on Main Street. He had received 15 just yesterday and stated he wanted to do them as he gets them so he can stay up on the list.

Snavelly stated he has talked with Ken Smith and Alan George on running the conduit under Main Street for the Fiber Optic lines. Snavelly recommended running them thru the old water line that runs under the road already and it will keep from having to bore under the road.

Council members went over the cement quotes that Snavelly had gotten for the sidewalk work. After comparing the quotes, the work was awarded to Mark Weaver. His bid for \$3400.00 covers the cement at the sites on Water, Cumberland and Ohio Streets.

It was also mentioned that Ken Smith is waiting to have one more section filled in and then the George Hunt Drain is completely closed.

Snavelly advised the board that he will be taking vacation days sometime before the end of August.

Marshal Jill Hammond gave her report as attached.

Clerk Treasurer, Jeff Sieber said that TK Trash Kans will be in town on Wednesday, July 26, to drop new cans off to all residential customers. The first trash pick up with the new company will be on Tuesday, August 1.

A contract extension for TK Trash Kans was discussed and with a motion from Mr. Schock and second from Mr. Robison, Ordinance 2023-4 was passed, extending the service for 5 years and dropping the rate from 15.75 to 15.50 per household until 2028.

Attorney Anne Briggs discussed the changes and additions that are wanted in the new Golf Cart/ORV Ordinance. She said she would be sending suggestions and questions to the council in the next few days and have a draft ready for the August meeting.

Lois Johnston asked the council about restrooms at the park. Council members informed her that the Park is owned and operated by the Township and the Town has nothing in the decisions there.

She also was asking who would be responsible for the trees in front of her home that are next to the State Road. Council members said the State is supposed to be but they tell the Town that they are theirs. Council members said they would get a final answer and let her know and estimates can be gotten to remove them.

Joe Wallace asked what the final decision of work on Main Street (218) was going to be and if it included replacing the catch basin in front of his home. According to the plans from the state, all catch basins are to be replaced along Main Street.

Mr. Schock made a motion with a second from Mr. Robison to donate \$500 to the Masonic Tractor Pull which is scheduled for August 5, 2023.

Next meeting will be held August 9, 2023.

Mr. Schock made a motion, seconded by Mr. Robison to adjourn at 7:35 PM.

Attest:

Council:

Jeff Sieber
Clerk Treasurer

Brent Deel - President

Mark Schock

Andrew Robinson