

CAMDEN TOWN COUNCIL MINUTES
TOWN OF CAMDEN INDIANA
FEBRUARY 14, 2024

The Camden Town Council met in a legally advertised meeting on Wednesday, February 14, 2024 at 7:00 PM in the Library Reading Room.

Those present were: Brent Deel, Mark Schock, Clerk Treasurer Jeff Sieber, Marshal Jill Hammond, Utility Superintendant Jerry Snavely and 6 guests.

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

Election of Officers was held with Mark Schock being named President and Brent Deel as Vice President.

Meeting dates and time will remain the same as previously with \$300 being voted on to donate to the Library for the use of the room.

A motion was made by Mr. Deel and a second from Mr. Schock to approve the minutes of the December 2023 meeting as well as all Dockets and reports submitted.

Mr. Deel made a motion to accept the names presented as Town Representatives to various Boards for the year. Seconded by Mr. Schock. (Names attached)

Utility Superintendant, Jerry Snavely stated that he had nothing to report. Said all was going well and he was working on some upgrades to various pieces of equipment.

Marshal Jill Hammond gave her report as attached.

Clerk Treasurer, Jeff Sieber said that he has completed and submitted the Annual Report and has rolled the year over on Keystone.

He also presented Ordinances 2024-1&2 for approval. These ordinances both were in regards to transfer of funds to clear the year end books. Both ordinances were approved and passed.

Jake Adams from Carroll County EDC, spoke about the Annual contract. He stated that he realized that Camden was being overlooked during EDC projects and informed the Council that the oversight will be addressed and hopes that this will allow the EDC to be seen in the community more in the future. He stated that he had had 3 inquiries on the ground at the east end of town, however, the price per acre may be too much for the companies to move forward.

He informed the council that the price per resident on the contract was negotiable and that he welcomed a conversation with the council. The 2024 contract was signed with the stipulation that the amount would be agreed upon following their discussion.

Julia Leahy presented the Council with the Chamber's 2024 Calendar of Events and a listing of the new Membership Investment Levels. She explained that Tourism Grants are available again this year for organizations and businesses. She informed the council that Sieber serves on the grant committee.

she stated that the State of City County and Towns Luncheon will April 12 and would like Mr. Schock speak on the Town's behalf.

Neal Mylet asked for permission to run Fiber Optic lines down the alley from the water tower to the Library. They would be boring under everything at he depth of 8 feet. Mr. Snavelly stated he had already checked the area and he saw no problem with them doing so. Mr. Schock made a motion, seconded by Mr. Deel to allow the work. A written plan of action was requested for Mr. Mylet before the work begins.

Mr. Schock announced that Mr. Robison is currently in rehab and prayers were requested for him.

The Fish Fry will be held Saturday, March 2.

Next meeting will be held March 13, 2024.

Mr. Schock made a motion, seconded by Mr. Deel to adjourn at 7:45 PM.

Attest:

Council:

Jeff Sieber
Clerk Treasurer

Mark Schock - President

Brent Deel

Andrew Robinson

