

CAMDEN TOWN COUNCIL MINUTES
TOWN OF CAMDEN INDIANA
APRIL 10, 2024

PUBLIC HEARING

President Mark Schock opened the Public Hearing regarding the Water Project Grant that has been reapplied for. President Schock then turned the hearing over to Emily Albaugh from KIRPC to explain to the people what has been applied for. This is the second time applying for this grant with modifications made to the requested amount and scope of work. This project will allow for a new filtration system in the water plant and new meters that will be radio read. Proposal submission will be done by April 26. Mr. Schock made a motion to close the Public Hearing and Open the Regular meeting. Second by Mr. Robison.

The Camden Town Council met in a legally advertised meeting on Wednesday, April 10, 2024 at 7:00 PM in the Library Reading Room.

Those present were: President: Mark Schock, Clerk Treasurer Jeff Sieber, Marshal Jill Hammond, Utility Superintendant Jerry Snavelly, Attorney Anne Briggs and 13 guests and Council Member, Andy Robison via phone due to health reasons.

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

A motion was made by Mr. Robison and a second from Mr. Schock to approve the minutes of the March 2024 meeting as well as all Dockets and reports submitted.

Utility Superintendant, Jerry Snavelly stated that he had received the estimate for the repaving of the parking lot. A second quote request did not respond. Snavelly was instructed to notify Central Paving and see when they can start. Mr. Robison made a motion to accept the bid, seconded by Mr. Schock.

Snavelly also stated that he has received parts to replace 1 hydrant. The area around the hydrant will be on a boil order following the replacement. The water tower and the wells have all been inspected as of last week. No report has been received on any of them yet. A quote was received from Aaron Record to remove trees that impacting the retaining wall just south of the flasher light on SR 75. A motion by Mr. Robison, seconded by Mr. Shock to have trees removed was passed.

Marshal Jill Hammond gave her report as attached.

She also presented quotes for new portable and truck radios that will be compatible with the county radios. Mr. Schock made a motion, seconded by Mr. Robison to purchase the radios out of the ARP funds.

Clerk Treasurer, Jeff Sieber reported that a new janitor for the Community Building was needed. Council members voted to employ Caitlyn Baird as the new janitor, starting immediately.

Resolution 2024-4 was signed, approving the Carroll County Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan.

Mr. Robison made a motion to pay \$5000 to the Carroll County EDC for the contractual year of 2024. Second by Mr. Schock.

Jay Cox spoke to the room full of patrons regarding the proposed Wind turbines and solar farms in Carroll County. He stated that the company is Tulip Tree Wind LLC and that contact was first made with contracted land owners in 2021, even though no one knew anything about it until 2023. The county is working on strict ordinances forbidding the installation of any wind/solar farms.

Dollar General has sent an email asking about the possibility of annexing the new store in to the town. More discussion will follow once the make personal contact with the town.

Town Wide Spring Clean Up is set for Saturday, April 27.

Next meeting will be held May 8, 2024.

Mr. Robison made a motion, seconded by Mr. Schock to adjourn at 7:50 PM.

Attest:

Council:

Jeff Sieber
Clerk Treasurer

Mark Schock - President

Brent Deel

Andrew Robinson