

MINUTES
TOWN OF LOGANSPOUR
September 13, 2016

The regular meeting of the Logansport Town Council was held Tuesday, September 13, 2016 at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber of Logansport Town Hall with Mayor Katherine Freeman presiding. Council members present: Norman Arbuckle, Judge Cordray, Martha Guillotte, June Hooper and Edith Williams. Absent: None. Twelve guests were in attendance.

The meeting was opened with the Lord's Prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance.

Special guest, Amy Burford, candidate for Judge of the 42nd Judicial District Court, DeSoto Parish introduced herself, stated her qualifications and reasons for seeking the judgeship and asked everyone to consider her on election day.

With a motion from Mr. Cordray and second from Mr. Arbuckle the August minutes along with a correction to the July minutes were approved. The correction pertained to amending the zoning ordinance. The minutes stated that Ms. Jean Border questioned whether the zoning ordinance could be amended prohibiting hanging clothes on a fence in lieu of a clothes line. Ms. Border did NOT ask this question. It was a question that was posed by the Council when the state of disrepair of the house located at 301 4th St, owned by Michael J. Byrd was being discussed. No action was taken on amending the zoning ordinance. All ayes.

The monthly bills were approved as presented with a motion from Mrs. Hooper and second from Mrs. Guillotte. All ayes.

There was no old business to discuss.

An ordinance to amend the minimum usage of water from 2000 gallons to 1000 gallons was introduced by Mr. Cordray and second by Mrs. Williams, with a public hearing to be held for public comments on October 11, 2016 at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber of Town Hall. All ayes.

The Town sponsored clean-up to be held Saturday, 10-01-2016, is in need of Leaders & volunteers. Please contact Town Hall and/or meet at the Pavilion at 7:00 a.m. on Saturday, October 1, 2016.

Code Enforcement officer, Kevin Bryant, suggested that signs should be placed in Riverfront Park, especially around the floating dock and the RiverStage stating "No children under the age of 12 should be left unattended".

Mrs. Guillotte reported that \$4,077 was collected in fines for the month of August.

Mr. Cordray reported on the pavilion repairs and the handicap ramp soon to be constructed. He stated he would like get the pavilion power washed and painted before the Christmas lights were hung at the pavilion. With a motion from Mrs. Williams and second from Mr. Arbuckle it was approved to have Mr. Cordray proceed with getting the pavilion power washed and painted. All ayes.

With no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned with a motion from Mrs. Hooper and second from Mrs. Guillotte. All ayes.

Sharon Stewart, Town Clerk

Katherine Freeman, Mayor

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