

# **SWEETSER TOWN COUNCIL**

## **Meeting Minutes**

**June 8, 2017**

### **I. Call to Order/Roll Call of Board Members Present/Pledge of Allegiance/Prayer**

The regular meeting of the Sweetser Town Council was called to order at 7:00 p.m. on June 8, 2017 at the Sweetser Town Hall by Council Member Chuck Briede.

Roll Call:

Rich Gamble – Aye

Chuck Briede-Aye

Steve Kelley-Absent

Matt Stewart-Aye

Dave Fox-Absent

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Chuck Briede. Prayer was given by Matt Stewart.

### **II. Review and Approval of Minutes / Review and Approval of Bills**

Chuck Briede approved the minutes of the May 25, 2017 town council meeting and Matt Stewart seconded the motion.

Roll Call:

Dave Fox-Absent

Matt Stewart-Aye

Rich Gamble-Aye

Chuck Briede-Aye

Steve Kelley-Absent

Matt Stewart made a motion to accept the bills as written and Rich Gamble seconded the motion.

Roll Call:

Dave Fox-Absent

Matt Stewart-Aye

Rich Gamble-Aye

Chuck Briede-Aye

Steve Kelley-Absent

### **III. Open Forum – no one present.**

### **IV. Department Reports.**

Devin Cole and Marshall Bill Freet were not in attendance. Chuck Briede spoke with Devin and the guys have been working on installing new stormwater pipe between Mary Lou and Allen drives. They had to cut through the road (Mary Lou) and run the pipe under the street and down through the back yards of residents homes. They hope to tie in to the storm pipe at the north end of Allen Drive in the farm field once the crops have been harvested, sometime this fall.

It was mentioned that Marshall Bill is working on a case here in Sweetser, there was questions where the town has a "No Trespassing Ordinance". Chuck said Marshall Bill might need a new battery for the Tahoe.

### **V. Continuing Business**

Chuck said he dropped off the License Agreement to All Things Custom over the signage at their business, he's not heard anything as of today.

Kim Rogers spoke with Greg Meyers on Saturday morning and discussed upon a meeting time to sign some documents and collect his check from Kim over the property at 800 West /Switch Trail. Kim said the following Monday morning he met with Greg Myers and he signed the deed and sellers closing

affidavit. Kim said it came in two tracts, Trac A and Trac B, (split documents) due to where the State Highway 18.

Rich Gamble made a motion to approve and authorize Chuck Briede (President, Town Council) to sign the deed for the additional parcels of the Sweetser Switch Trail, Matt Stewart seconded the motion.

Roll Call:

Dave Fox-Absent  
Matt Stewart-Aye  
Rich Gamble-Aye  
Chuck Briede -Aye  
Steve Kelley-Absent

Solar Update- Chuck said the Solar company from Peru will be doing a site visit at 1pm on Monday, June 12<sup>th</sup> at he will be meeting with them at 2:45pm to discuss their fact findings.

VI. New Business

Oak Hill High School had their wastewater system wiped out recently due to all the rain we have had. Chuck gave them a call and left a message to see what they plan to do about it. The school responded and is interested in a proposal from the town. They would like to know the monthly cost and how they would tie into Sweetser's system. Chuck made contact with Steve Brock the town's financial advisor concerning this issue, and Jim Frazel the engineering firm that design the sewage plant.

Rich said that Vectren Energy did some work on Peterson Drive and they didn't restore the area back to it's original form. He believes they were hooking up a gas line to a resident's home, he wants Vectren contacted to see if they can come out and re-do the area.

There was discussion about the General Fund and MVH Fund balances.

Bob King and Terry Renbarger accepted a high award related to our Switch Trail here in Sweetser. There was mention that the area where the recycle dumpster is located needs to be leveled out more, residents are complaining it's on to much of an incline.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:45pm.

Minutes by:  
Tina Cole  
Clerk Treasurer

Chuck V. Briede

Robert P. Smith

Matthew C. Stewart

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