

Minutes of Sweetser Town Council
October 24, 2024

- I. The meeting was called to order by Travis LeMaster at 7:00 pm; the roll was called as follows:
Roll Call:
Matt Moore-Absent
Tyler Wineinger-Aye
Warren Dailey Aye
Kyle Taylor-Absent
Travis Lemaster-Aye

The roll was followed by the Pledge of Allegiance and a prayer.

II. **Minutes**

The minutes from the October 10, 2024, meeting are not yet available.

III. **Bills**

After discussion, Travis LeMaster made a motion to approve the payroll docket of October 11, 2024, and the bills docket of October 24, 2024, as submitted. Warren Dailey seconded the motion.

Matt Moore-Absent
Tyler Wineinger-Aye
Warren Dailey Aye
Kyle Taylor-Absent
Travis Lemaster-Aye

IV. **Public Forum**

- Travis notified the attendants that at this time members of the public may speak on any item of general interest not specific to the meeting agenda and within the town councils' jurisdiction, generally subject to a five (5) minute time limit per speaker. Travis also asked the attendants if there were any Title VI or Title II ADA issues, concerns, or complaints from the public needing the towns' attention and needing addressed.

V. **Department Reports**

Police Department – Marshal Ryan Hornback was not in attendance.

- No report

Maintenance Department – Operations Manager Patrick Kendall was not in attendance.

- No report

Parks Department—President Steve Kelley has resigned.

- No report.

VI. **Continuing Business**

- TeleCAD Wireless has submitted a bid to lease some property from the town to erect a cell tower. The town has counter-offered and awaits a response.
- The council resumed consideration of the 2025 Budget for the Town of Sweetser.

After discussion, Travis Lemaster made a motion to approve Resolution 2024-4, a Resolution to reduce the 2024 Appropriations for the CEDIT Fund by \$9,000. Tyler Wineinger seconded the motion.

Matt Moore-Absent
Tyler Wineinger-Aye
Warren Dailey Aye

Kyle Taylor-Absent

After discussion, Warren Dailey made a motion to adopt Ordinance 2024-8, the 2025 Budget for the Town of Sweetser, on third and final reading. Tyler Wineinger seconded the motion.

Matt Moore-Absent

Tyler Wineinger-Aye

Warren Dailey Aye

Kyle Taylor-Absent

Travis Lemaster-Aye

VII. New Business

- Travis introduced General Ordinance 2024-5, An Ordinance Establishing Trick or Treating Hours for the Town of Sweetser, Indiana. The Ordinance sets the trick or treating hours as October 31 each year, from 6 pm to 9 pm.

After discussion, Warren Dailey made a motion to pass on first reading Ordinance 2024-5, An Ordinance Establishing Trick or Treating Hours for the Town of Sweetser, Indiana. Tyler Wineinger seconded the motion.

Matt Moore-Absent

Tyler Wineinger-Aye

Warren Dailey Aye

Kyle Taylor-Absent

Travis Lemaster-Aye

After discussion, Tyler Wineinger made a motion to pass on second reading Ordinance 2024-5, An Ordinance Establishing Trick or Treating Hours for the Town of Sweetser, Indiana. Warren Dailey seconded the motion.

Matt Moore-Absent

Tyler Wineinger-Aye

Warren Dailey Aye

Kyle Taylor-Absent

Travis Lemaster-Aye

After discussion, Warren Dailey made a motion to suspend the rules and permit the third reading of Ordinance 2024-5, An Ordinance Establishing Trick or Treating Hours for the Town of Sweetser, Indiana. Tyler Wineinger seconded the motion.

Matt Moore-Absent

Tyler Wineinger-Aye

Warren Dailey Aye

Kyle Taylor-Absent

Travis Lemaster-Aye

After discussion, Tyler Wineinger made a motion to pass on third and final reading Ordinance 2024-5, An Ordinance Establishing Trick or Treating Hours for the Town of Sweetser, Indiana. Warren Dailey seconded the motion.

Matt Moore-Absent

Tyler Wineinger-Aye

Warren Dailey Aye

Kyle Taylor-Absent

Travis Lemaster-Aye

- The next council meeting is scheduled for 7 pm, Thursday, September 12, 2024.

VIII. Adjournment

There being no further business before the council, the meeting was adjourned at 7:30 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Potter
