

Linden Town Board Meeting July 28 2020

Roll Call: Town Board Members Wade Bennett, Paul Buckles, Dennis Charleston, Clerk/Treasurer Janet Heide present

Town of Linden Board meeting called to order by Town Board President Wade Bennett at 7pm

Town Board President Wade Bennett introduced Kathie Watkins Director of Linden Library. Kathie presented a Declaration of Acknowledgement for Town Board Members acceptance. Town Board Member Paul Buckles made a motion to accept and sign Declaration of Acknowledgement; Town Board Member Dennis Charleston 2nd motion. Town Board Member Wade Bennett called for a vote, motion carries.

Town Board President Wade Bennett presented information from Indiana Archive. After discussion; Town Board Member Paul Buckles made a motion to have old hand written meeting minutes microfilmed and archived; Town Board Member Dennis Charleston 2nd motion. Town Board Member Wade Bennett called for a vote, motion carries.

Town Board President Wade Bennett presented picture of water line break at Harvey Street and South Street. Board approved paving.

Town Board President Wade Bennett presented Coronavirus relief fund reimbursement form claim #6 for Covid19 expense reimbursement. Town Board Member Paul Buckles made a motion to authorize Town Board President Wade Bennett to sign reimbursement forms; Town Board Member Dennis Charleston 2nd motion. Town Board Member Wade Bennett called for a vote, motion carries.

Town Board President Wade Bennett presented Fox paving quote for water line repair streets, remove collection of piled debris from water line repair areas, parking area at utility office and parking area on High Street. Town Board Member Paul Buckles made a motion to accept quotes; Town Board Member Dennis Charleston 2nd motion. Town Board Member Wade Bennett called for a vote, motion carries.

Utility Superintendent Earl Heide presented a 1901 brick found at sidewalk ramp project

Street Superintendent Earl Heide reported sidewalk curbs and paving are progressing. Town Board President Wade Bennett updated contact is Curt White at Midwestern Engineering

Town Board Member Paul Buckles inquired status of past due utility accounts. Utility Clerk Donna Cooper reported some residence paying, have collected nearly \$3,000 on past due accounts.

Town Board Member Dennis Charleston inquired about weather siren. Fire Chief Earl Heide reported siren is being tested and will install as soon as possible

Town Board Member Paul Buckles reported paved walk path at Stoddard Park is in need of repairs. Board agreed to do Park updates, and Park Board Members will schedule meetings to collaborate ideas and options for park areas

Clerk/Treasurer Janet Heide submitted June meeting minutes for Board Member signature. Town Board Member Paul Buckles made a motion to accept and sign May meeting minutes; Town Board Member Dennis Charleston 2nd motion. Town Board Member Wade Bennett called for a vote, motion carries.

Clerk/Treasurer Janet Heide submitted voucher register for Board Member signature. Town Board Member Paul Buckles made a motion to accept and sign voucher register; Town Board Member Dennis Charleston 2nd motion. Town Board Member Wade Bennett called for a vote, motion carries.

Resident Byron Fugate stated new paved road is very nice, and submitted a complaint form of residence overgrown trees possible of falling on other properties, and driver running over trash on property and Fugate Lawn Company is available for mowing

Town Board Member Paul Buckles complimented D&D Trash being accommodating with the need to have items picked up from a resident's home. Town Board President Wade Bennett agreed D&D Trash doing a nice job

Town Board Member Paul Buckles made a motion to adjourn meeting; Town Board Member Dennis Charleston 2nd motion. Town Board Member Wade Bennett called for a vote, motion carries. Meeting adjourned 8:10pm

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Linden Town Board Members action:

Board Member Name

Yea

Nay

Wade Bennett

Paul Buckles

Dennis J Charleston

Attested by:
Janet Heide, Clerk-Treasurer

Transcribed July 30, 2020