

Town of Middletown

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MIDDLETOWN TOWN COUNCIL MEETING

JULY 21, 2009

The Middletown Town Council met at its regular meting on July 21, 2009 at 7:00 P.M. in the meeting room at the town hall. The meeting was called to order by council president, Jake Smith. Members Dan Fountain, Lisa Hicks-Smith, Jim Mundell and Tim Mundell were also present. After the pledge to the flag, the minutes of the previous meeting were approved as presented by Clerk-Treasurer Jim Hanson.

- 1. Dick Schwalm was present and informed those present that he would be doing a dive training session at David and Jean Real's pond. Members of the Anderson Fire Dept. dive team will be participating. The date for the training is July 27, 2009 at 5:00 P.M. and the public is invited.
- 2. Citizens Greg Bennett and Terry Neal from Eighth Street were present concerning a boundary dispute between their two properties involving an easement that belongs to the town. After much discussion, Jake Smith advised them to either come to a suitable agreement or pursue the matter in court. Jim Mundell made a motion that the town have Mr. Bennett remove the temporary fence that he had installed between the two properties. Tim Mundell seconded. Dan, Jake and Lisa voted no. Jim and Tim voted yes. Motion failed.
- 3. Police Chief Randy Wray announced that firearms training for the department had been completed last Sunday.
- 4. Dan Fountain made a motion to change the meeting times for the August 4 and August 18 meetings to 6:00 P. M. instead of 7:00 P. M. due to the budget work sessions being held following the regular meetings. Lisa seconded the motion. All voted in favor. Motion carried.
- 5. Joel Harvey, acting attorney for council, advised that a hearing would have to be held concerning the LOIT. The city of New Castle passed a resolution to adopt the LOIT. This makes it necessary for all the taxing units in the county to decide whether or not they want the tax. He will advise dates and details at the next meeting.

6. There being nothing further to come before the council, the meeting was adjourned.

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