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MIDDLETOWN TOWN COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
OCTOBER 18, 2016

The Middletown Town Council met on October 18, 2016 in the Public Meeting Room at 653 Locust Street, Middletown, Indiana at 7:00 P.M. The meeting was opened by Town Council President Jake Smith leading those present in the pledge to the flag. Clerk-Treasurer Drew Cooper noted that Council Members Jake Smith, Donita Chambless, Gary Kendall, Dave Wagner, and Betty Riley were present. Town Attorney Joel Harvey was present.

1. Ken Norfleet, of the Middletown Christmas Parade Committee, announced that this year's parade is scheduled for December 3 at 4 p.m. Dave Wagner moved to authorize Locust Street to be closed at that time for the parade. Betty Riley seconded. The motion passed unanimously.
2. The Clerk-Treasurer presented the Middletown 2017 Budget as Ordinance No. 2016-4. Donita Chambless moved to approve ORDINANCE NO. 2016-4. Gary Kendall seconded. The motion passed unanimously.
3. Frank Smardo, of IMPA, presented a revised proposal to form a co-op with several other IMPA municipalities to maintain the town's electrical grid. After a lengthy discussion, the Town Council President tabled the issue until the next meeting.
4. Dave Wagner moved to approve ORDINANCE NO. 2016-3 AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING PARKING IN CERTAIN AREAS IN THE TOWN OF MIDDLETOWN, INDIANA DURING SEVERE WINTER STORM EVENTS on its second reading, with the modification of setting the fine amount to \$10. Betty Riley seconded. The motion passed unanimously.
5. Dave Wagner moved to authorize Deputy Mike Vacarro to take the new police dog with him in the squad car during duty shifts, even though the dog has not completed training. Donita Chambless seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

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

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