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MIDDLETOWN TOWN COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
OCTOBER 3, 2017

The Middletown Town Council met on October 3, 2017 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 was present. Council Members Jake Smith, Steve Holmes, Dave Wagner, Donita Chambless and Gary Kendall were present. Town Attorney Joel Harvey was present.

1. The Dispatch Supervisor reported that Cora Betteridge has resigned as a Part-Time Dispatcher.
2. Gary Kendall moved to reject the quote from Culy Contracting, Inc. of \$99,680.00 for the Columbia Fire Hydrant Project. Steve Holmes seconded. The motion passed unanimously. The Utilities Superintendent said she would work with the town's engineers to come up with new specifications to be sent out for quotes.
3. Donita Chambless moved to approve ORDINANCE 2017-4 AN ORDINANCE CREATING A NON-REVERTING K-9 ACQUISITION FUND on its third reading by name and number only. Steve Holmes seconded. The motion passed unanimously. The ordinance was adopted.
4. Steve Holmes moved to approve ORDINANCE 2017-5 AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A NON-REVERTING CIVIC CENTER CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND on its third reading by name and number only. Gary Kendall seconded. The motion passed unanimously.
5. Gary Kendall moved to direct the Town Attorney to draw up an ordinance requiring all dog owners in Middletown to have identity chips implanted in their dogs. Donita Chambless seconded. The motion passed unanimously.
6. The Town Council President announced that trick-or-treat hours for Halloween this year would be Tuesday, October 31, from 6-9 p.m.
7. Local resident Mike Starks suggested to the council that parking in the downtown area be restricted to at most 2 hours. After much discussion, the Town Council President tabled the debate until the next meeting.

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

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