

MIDDLETOWN TOWN COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

MARCH 6, 2018

The Middletown Town Council met on March 6, 2018 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, Donita Chambless, and Gary Kendall were present. Council Member Dave Wagner was absent. Town Attorney Joel Harvey was present.

1. The Dispatch Supervisor recommended that Alex Millis be promoted from Dispatcher Grade 2 to Dispatcher Grade 3. Gary Kendall moved to promote Millis as recommended. Donita Chambless seconded. The motion passed unanimously.
2. The Town Marshal reported that the Middletown Utilities Department would like to purchase the 2013 Ford Explorer that the Police Department was scheduled to trade for a new vehicle in 2018, but could only get \$3500 from the car dealers, which is way under the Kelly Blue Book value. He said the transaction will be brought before the town council after the Utilities Department has disposed of three old vehicles they no longer need.
3. A public hearing was held on Resolution 2018-03-06-01 A RESOLUTION APPROVING ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATIONS TO CERTAIN FUNDS. The additional appropriation was for \$10,000 from the Cumulative Capital Development Fund to pay for sewer repairs to the Civic Center. Donita Chambless moved to approve the resolution. Steve Holmes seconded. The motion passed unanimously.
4. Donita Chambless moved to adopt RESOLUTION 2018-03-06-02 A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF MIDDLETOWN, INDIANA AUTHORIZING A CERTAIN VEHILCE LOAN AGREEMENT. The resolution is to borrow \$17,108.95 from First Merchants Bank to purchase an All Terrain Vehicle for the Police Department. Gary Kendall seconded. The motion passed unanimously.
5. Donita Chambless moved to approve ORDINANCE NUMBER 2018-01 AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING PARKING OF MOTOR VEHICLES ON A SIDEWALK OR CURB on its second reading by name and number only. Gary Kendall seconded. The motion passed unanimously.
6. The Utilities Superintendent report she would like to trade use of the town's bucket truck for electrical lineman work provided by Burns Electric Inc. The Town Council President instructed her to have Burns Inc. draw up a contract and have the Town Attorney review it before having the Town Council approve it.

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

Clerk-Treasurer