

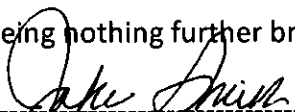
MIDDLETOWN TOWN COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

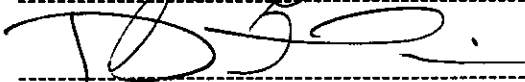
The Middletown Town Council held a meeting on October 17th 2023. Dave Wagner was absent

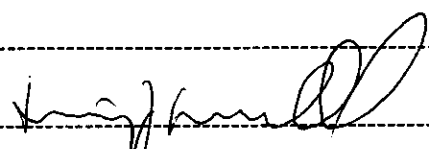
The council approved minutes from the October 3rd meeting.
The council approved claims 38650 - 38731 totaling 274,429.40

1. Ben Melton from the wall that heals, presented plaques to the Town Council, Police, Fire and EMS Departments.
2. Matt Speidel presented a Guaranteed Agreement with Bowen Construction for the upcoming Sewer project. Dan Fountain motioned and Gary Kendall seconded approving. Motion carried 4-0..
3. There was discussion about issues at the sewer plant. Drew Cooper motioned and Gary Kendall seconded allowing repairs as funds become available. Motion carried 4-0.
4. Ordinance 2023-6, which amends the current sewer rates was read on its' third reading. Dan Fountain motioned and Gary Kendall seconded passing. Motion carried 4-0.
5. Jakes Smith opened a public hearing on additional appropriations. There were no comments from the public. Jake Smith closed the public hearing. Dan Fountain motioned and Gary Kendall seconded approving Resolution 10-17-2023-1. Motion carried 4-0.
6. Dan Fountain motioned and Gary Kendall seconded purchasing a 2023 Dodge Durango police vehicle pending financing approval. Motion carried 4-0.
7. Dan Fountain motioned and Gary Kendall seconded paying invoices for JK communications for new base radios out of ARP funds. Motion carried 4-0.
8. Dan Fountain motioned and Gary Kendall seconded using water Cash and Capital Reserve funds to pay a bill to Peerless Midwest for 14,145 to replace a well pump.
9. John Pawerski was sworn in as a reserve police officer.
10. Dan Fountain motioned and Gary Kendall seconded hiring Mickey Cole as a utility worker at Grade 10. Motion carried 4-0.
11. Leaf pickup will begin November 1st.
12. Dan Fountain motioned and Gary Kendall seconded naming Scott Emswiller as a POC for reporting Cybersecurity issues to the State IOT. Motion carried 4-0.
13. Dan Fountain motioned and Gary Kendall seconded to reinstate Rick Hollingsworth to full time employment. Dan Fountain, Jake Smith and Gary Kendall voted yes. Drew Cooper voted no.

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







Clerk-Treasurer