

**Town of Jonesville
Regular Monthly Meeting
February 7, 2017**

The Town of Jonesville held their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, February 7, 2017 at 6:00 p.m. in the American Legion Building.

Those present were as follows:

Council

Jim Ewing, Mayor
Jerry Harris, Vice-Mayor
Brian Huff
Rebecca Hines
Magen Harris
Bobby Slusher
Tommy Livesay
Jolene Lambert

Absent

George Cridlin, Town Attorney

Staff

Amy Willis, Treasurer/Clerk
Jimmy Cluesman, Town Superintendent
Terry Sivert, Police Chief
Brian Bush, Chief Water Plant Operator
Charlene Schaeffer, Utility Billing Clerk
Travis Mullins, Police Sgt.

Visitors

Kevin Sutherland
Darian Musick
Mike Watson

Brian Huff led the invocation followed by Jerry Harris with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mayor Ewing then called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Rebecca Hines made the motion to approve the agenda; seconded by Bobby Slusher. All in favor, motion carries.

Jerry Harris made the motion to approve the minutes from the last meeting; seconded by Jolene Lambert. All in favor, motion carries.

Petitions and Communications-Visitors

None

Brian Huff made the motion to approve the Financial Reports; seconded by Bobby Slusher. All in favor, motion carries.

Jerry Harris made the motion to approve the Bills to be Paid; seconded by Tommy Livesay. All in favor, motion carries.

Police Report, Chief Terry Sivert

Chief Sivert reports 5336 miles patrolled, no maintenance on Dodge #1, #2 or #3 or Equinox. Twenty traffic citations written. 112 calls answered, 9 motorists assisted with lockouts, 15 arrest (8 Probation Violation, 2 Capias, 1 Distribution of Marijuana, 1 DUI 2nd Offense, 1 Eluding, 1 Refusal, 1 Assault and Battery) Fines Assessed/Collected: \$786.00 and Paid Fines \$318.60. JPD assisted County on various calls. Helped citizens in obtaining warrants and orders from magistrate. Assisted fire and rescue with calls. Provided routine escorts IGA, Shubert's and Lee Food Mart. Assisted Sheriff's Office with funeral escorts in town. Mayor and Chief Sivert attended Community Relations Board meeting December 8th at United States Penitentiary Lee. Chief Sivert also attended the Police Academy Board Meeting on December 14th.

Town Superintendent Report, Jimmy Cluesman

Mr. Cluesman reports no warnings, 10 disconnect, 6 reconnects. No sewer issues, trustees have been cleaning up leaves in park. Two tires were purchased for dump trailer and 4 new tires were purchased for silver truck.

Water Plant Supervisor Report, Brian Bush

Mr. Bush reports 10.1 million gallons of water produced, 5.6 million sold and 3.3 million sold to Woodway. The average pump hours were 18. Boggs Municipal Service here for regular calibrations and to check raw water meter. It has been adjusted and seems to be holding for now. Fourth quarter DMR set to DEQ. Yearly water withdraw report also sent to DEQ. Lead and copper samples will be due this year. Raw water pump to be repaired will cost approximately \$2000.

Fire Department Report, Michael Watson

January and February -11 calls

5 fires

1 assist Thomas Walker Fire Department

3 brush fire

1 dumpster fire

1 motor vehicle accident

2 assist Jonesville Rescue Squad

Unit 24, the newest fire truck is now in service.

Unfinished Business:

Consideration of Loan or Line of Credit for Water Pipe

After some discussion the council would like to review further financial statements before making any decision regarding a loan or line of credit.

New Business:

Purchasing of Supplies for Water Plant and Water Line at Mill Hollow

Bids were solicited from three companies Consolidated Pipe, HD Supply, and Ferguson. Consolidated Pipe and HD Supply were the only two that submitted bids with Consolidated at \$6151.95 and HD Supply at \$7292.84. Jolene Lambert made the motion to award the bid to Consolidated Pipe; seconded Brian Huff. All in favor, motion carries.

Egg Drop April 15, 2017

Christian Life Fellowship would like to have the Helicopter Egg Drop here in the park again this year. It will be held Saturday, April 15, 2017 at 12 noon. All council in agreement to allow.

Recommendations of the Mayor:

None

Recommendations of the Council & Motions:

Jolene Lambert, Chairman Water/Sewer Committee discussed the committee's recommendation to increase

water rates. Darian Musick, Crossroads Engineering spoke regarding increasing water rates and the benefits to the town revenue. No action was taken at this time.

Brian Huff asked the council to allow Christian Life Fellowship to do another project to benefit the town. Also the Girl Scouts would like to do a project to earn their service project badge.

Parks and Recreation Committee needs to meet to discuss the upcoming July 4th Celebration and the Farmers Market.

Mayor Ewing has the maps for boundary expansion for the council to view.

Bobby Slusher made the motion to adjourn to Tuesday, March 7, 2017 at 6:00.m. in the American Legion Building seconded by Jerry Harris. All in favor, motion carries.

Jim Ewing, Mayor

Amy Willis, Treasurer/Clerk