Wheatfield Town Council

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DRAFT COPY/Pending Approval JANUARY Minutes/Memo

The council meeting opened on Thursday, @ 6:30 pm on JANUARY 16 . 2025 The audience was invited to join the Town Council with the Pledge of Allegiance. Roll call was read. Present was Dean Stalbaum, Andi Jones and Deborah Norberg. Absent Brian Kwiatkowski.

Clerk-Treasurer Deborah Norberg asked for a motion for President for 2025. Andi Jones made a motion for Brian Kwiatkowski to be President and Dean Stalbaum seconded. **Passed 3-0** Clerk-Treasurer asked for any future nominations for President?

A motion was asked for Vice President..Brian K made a motion for Dean Stalbaum for Vice President and Andi J seconded and **Passed 3-0**

Clerk-Treasurer asked for any other motions? Meeting was adjourned at 6:35 pm by a motion of Brian K and seconded Andi J. **Passed 3-**0

Town President Brian Kwiatkowski opened the Town Council Meeting for 2025 @ 6:36 pm. Andi Jones made a motion to accept the meeting notes for December 19,2024 and Dean Stalbaum seconded and **Passed 3-0**

Meeting Minutes/Memo for December 18, 2024 was found to have mistakes and the minutes were tabled till next month's meeting.

The Police Report submitted had 177 calls. Park report Melanie Way was approved to be in charge of the Sandhill Crane Shuffle for 2025. . Only 1 plott was sold in January.

The MCO report was read by Dean Stalbaum. And zero building permits were submitted for 2025.

Old Business:

3rd Reading of the Sewer Ordinance 2024-06 was read. Andi Jones made a motion to accept the ordinance and Dean Stalbaum seconded the motion. **Passed 3-0** Rate hike will go into effect February 2025 billing.

New Business KIRPC Emily Albaugh and Edwin Buswell spoke on what is available grants and such through their organization. Town of Wheatfield is requesting to get a new and revised Comprehensive Plan for the town. Dean Stalbaum made a motion to have KIRPC begin this process and Andi Jones seconded. **Passed 3-0**

Planning Commission (Jon Myers) having a meeting 1/9/25-postponed till January 20th, 2025 @ 5:30 pm

Renew McMahon agreement 2025-2026 Dean S made a motion and Andi J seconded **Passed 3-0**

Community Crossing discussed April-May for plans to be submitted.

Approval of Claims: December 2024 and January 2025. Dean S. made a motion to accept claims and Andi Jones seconded **Passed 3-0**

Approval of Payroll for December 31, 2024 and January 15, 2025. Dean made a motion to accept payroll and Andi J. seconded the motion and **Passed 3-0**

RESIDENTS COMPLAINTS AND COMMENTS

Complaints on the Snow Plowing job done for the Town. Copies of complaints were given to each council person.

Meeting was motioned to be adjourned at 7:15 pm by Andi Jones and seconded by Dean S. Passed 3-0

APPROVAL OF TOWN COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES/MEMO OF JANUARY 16, 2025 By the Town Council of Wheatfield, IN.

Brian Kwiatkowski

Andi Jones

Dean Stalbaum

Attest: Deborah Norberg