

TOWN OF GENTRYVILLE
TOWN BOARD MINUTES
JANUARY 23, 2025

Present: Kristen Decker, Lavon Case, Daniel Bowling, Marcia Burdin, Marshal Alfred Braunecker and Mona Gaesser.

Town Board Meeting was Called to Order at 4:00 pm.

Daniel motioned to approve the minutes from the previous meeting. Lavon seconded the motion. All Aye, Motion passed.

Daniel motioned to keep board officers the same for year 2025. Lavon seconded the motion. All Aye, Motion passed.

Lavon motioned to change meeting times to the first Thursday of each month at 4pm with an exception for February's meeting which will be held on the second Thursday of the month. Daniel seconded the motion. All Aye, Motion passed.

Daniel motioned to transfer \$1105.00 from the General Fund to the Police Fund which is the amount received for the police car which was sold in 2024. Lavon seconded the motion. All Aye, Motion passed.

The board was informed that the state will require meetings to be transmitted to the public starting with the July meeting. The town office has been checking to see how other towns plan to handle their transmission. The office will check with a neighboring town to see if they can advise on how to approach transmitting the meetings.

Lavon motioned for checks that have been outstanding for two years to be voided. Daniel seconded the motion. All Aye, Motion passed.

Marshal Report

Office Zink has resigned from the department. Marshal Braunecker presented CJ Snyder as a candidate for filling the open position. Lavon motioned to accept the new deputy; Daniel accepted the motion. All Aye, Motion passed. Mr. Snyder took the oath of office after the board meeting.

Deputy Reinke attended the Substance Abuse Council meeting. The department receives an annual Substance Abuse Council Grant which is used for the K-9 program.

The Spring Fling Committee has been meeting to plan the 2025 Spring Fling.

Town Manager Report

Water

- Repaired 2 Leaks.
- Replaced 2 meter sets.
- Repaired 4 meters.

Sewer

- Discharging at the lagoon will continue through February.
- There were some minor issues at the Railroad Street lift station. Replaced the float switches and the alternating relay.

Town

- Snow removal went well even though the town does not have a way to spread salt for the ice.

Currently looking into a grant that would allow the utilities to purchase a trailer generator to power the booster station and the lift stations. A generator had to be rented during the prolonged power outage caused by the ice storm.

Daniel motioned to approve leaks per data logs and Marty's approval. Lavon seconded the motion. All Aye, Motion passed.

There was discussion about Indiana DNR's request for a new Flood Plain Ordinance. Kristen did not have an opportunity to read over the draft copy sent to the town by Indiana DNR. The board tabled the ordinance until the February meeting.

Lavon mentioned a pot hole where work had been done by the gas company and questioned who was responsible to fill in the hole. The clerk treasurer was asked to mention it to the town manager.

Daniel motioned to approve the claims and payroll dockets. Lavon seconded the motion. All Aye, Motion passed.

January 23, 2025 Meeting adjourned at 4:37 p.m.

Kristen Becker
Clifford Lee
Daniel Bowlij

ATTEST:

Marcia Burdick