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Meeting Minutes: April 1, 2024

The regular meeting of the LaGrange Town Council met at 6:00 pm, at the LaGrange Town Hall. (Also available via Zoom)

Council Members Present: Raymond Hoover, Josh Shotzman, and Edna Bowser

Also present: Laurie Miller, Mark Eagleson, Bill Eberhard, Jr (Zoom)

President Hoover opened the meeting at precisely 6:00 pm.

Member Bowser motioned to approve the agenda with flexibility, Member Shotzman seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Council Member Bowser made a motion to approve the regular meeting dated March 18, 2024; Member Shotzman seconded the motion. Motion carried.

#### Water:

• Report for the council of activities and updates since the last council meeting

### Wastewater

Report for the council of activities and updates since the last council meeting

### Fire

- Presented a 1<sup>st</sup> Responder policy
- Report for the council of activities and updates since the last council meeting
- Provided Turn out gear quotes as follows:
  - 1. The Fire Store \$5,496.80
  - 2. Galls \$4247.99
  - 3. Dinges Fire \$4085.25

Member Bowser made a motion to purchase 2(two) sets of gear from Dinges Fire at a cost of \$4085.25 each. Member Shotzman seconded the motion. Motion carried.

• Discussed the two DNR grants that are still open. Would like to move forward with the purchase of radios from this matching grant. 4 radios at a cost of \$11,600.00. The grants are a reimbursement of \$2450.00 and \$5,000.00. Member Bowser made a motion to purchase the radios, Member Shotzman seconded the motion. Motion carried.

### Police

- Report for the council of activities and updates since the last council meeting
- Asked the council to consider rewriting the town's parking lot ordinance to restrict overnight parking and parking of big trucks.

### Street:

Report for the council of activities and updates since the last council meeting

#### Park:

Report for the council of activities and updates since the last council meeting

### **Cemetery:**

Report for the council of activities and updates since the last council meeting

## **TOWN MANAGER:**

- Requested approval for President Hoover to sign Pay Request 33, \$130601.43 for Ottenweller Contracting. Member Shotzman made the motion to approve the request, Member Bowser seconded the motion. Motion carried.
- Discussed the removal of a shed behind the Town Hall. Member Bowser made a motion to dispose of the building, Member Shotzman seconded the motion. Motion carried

# ATTORNEY:

• Noted that the town will be closing soon on the proposed purchase of buildings at Detroit & Central Ave.

# OPEN DISCUSSION:

Discussed the storage building at Greenwood Cemetery

**ALLOWANCE OF CLAIMS:** Member Bowser made a motion to approve claims, Member Shotzman seconded the motion. Motion carried.

ADJOURN: Member Bowser made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Member Shotzman seconded the motion. Motion Carried.

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Attest: Laurie D. Miller, IAMC, CMC

Clerk Treasurer