

Meeting Minutes August 1, 2011

Opening:

The regular meeting of the LaGrange Town Council met at 7:00 pm, at the LaGrange Town Hall.

Council Members Present: Mark Eagleson, Terry Helmer, Richard Greene, Bruce Eagleson, Gene Potter, Mike Rowlison, Clerk, Bill D. Eberhard

Absent:

Council Member Gene Potter made a motion to open the meeting with flexibility, Member Bruce Eagleson seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Council Member R. Greene made a motion to approve minutes from the July 18, 2011 meeting, Member Mark Eagleson seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Don Harward was present to request permission to have a concessions stand at the corner of Spring and Detroit Street. The council tabled the matter at this time.

<u>Water:</u> Presented a sewer adjustment application for Robert Mishler. Member Potter made a motion to approve the adjustment, Member Greene seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Reported that the water dept would like to attend a class on August 10th. Member Potter made a motion to approve the class, Member M. Eagleson seconded the motion. Motion carried.

The water dept has received an award from IDEM.

Presented a bid to repair the driveway cuts at the Moose Lodge. Supt Leu stated that is was possible that the water dept contributed to the problems at the Moose.

Todd Concrete \$6050.00 Shelter Concrete \$6465.00

Member Greene made a motion to approve the repairs, Member M. Eagleson seconded the motion. Motion carried.

WASTEWATER: Had a fuse problem, it has been repaird.

<u>FIRE</u>: Opened bids for a new fire truck. WS Darley \$ 400,000.00 plus \$54,488.38 in additional equipment. There were 3 other companies ask for bid documents, however Darley was the only submission for a truck. After reviewing the documents, the Fire Chief recommended purchasing the Darley truck. Member Greene made a motion to purchase the vehicle and equipment. Member M. Eagleson seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Hoses have been tested, with one failure. New hose will be needed

<u>POLICE</u>: Marshal Snyder thanked the street department for the use of barricades. Also presented Officer Tony Clark and the new K-9 Officer Esko. The K9 assigned to Officer Sprunger will now be retired. He was in service from 2004-2011.

Street Dept: Working on street repairs.

Cemetery: None

Park: None

ATTORNEY:

CLERK: Working on 2012 Budget

OPEN DISCUSSION: Focus LaGrange has requested that the Town join the Indiana Main Street. Member M. Eagleson made a motion to complete the application, Member Potter seconded the motion. Motion carried.

ALLOWANCE OF CLAIMS

Member Greene made a motion, seconded by Member M. Eagleson to allow claims. Motion carried

ADJOURN

Member Greene made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Member Mark Eagleson. Motion carried.

PALSI DENT

Terry Helmer, Town Council President

Attest: Michael D. Rowlison, Clerk Treasurer