

## **Upland Town Council Minutes: August 5, 2025**

### **Opening Remarks :**

The Town Council of the Town of Upland met in a regular session on August 5, 2025 following the Unsafe Building Meeting. The meeting was called to order at 6:39 PM by Council Vice President, Brad Yordy.

In attendance were Brad Yordy, Michael Harbin, and Heath Slain. Those absent were Shawn Sizemore and Amy McCrea

### **Opening Business:**

July 15, 2025 meeting minutes were presented for approval. Motion made by Heath Slain to accept the minutes, seconded by Michael Harbin. Approved by a vote of 3-0

#### **❖ Department Reports:**

##### **❖ Upland Police Department, Marshal Andy Cassidy**

- Marshal Cassidy presented the July report. There were 357 calls, 81 traffic stops and 8 citations written.
- Marshal Cassidy reminded the public that school starts August 11 so please be cautious of children on and around the roads.

##### **❖ Upland Volunteer Fire Department - Not Present**

##### **❖ Upland Clerk-Treasurer, Mary Fletcher**

- Clerk-Treasurer Fletcher presented Resolution 5-2025, Procurement, Suspension and Debarment Policy. A motion was made by Michael Harbin to approve. Seconded by Heath Slain. Resolution 5-2025 was approved by a vote of 3-0
- The town is currently being audited by the State Board of Accounts.

##### **❖ Upland Town Manager, Jonathan Perez**

- Mr. Perez presented the Town Manager Report.
- Mr. Perez informed the council that the restoration work for the SR22 project will start by the end of August and the lighting project will be complete by the end of August.
- Mr. Perez presented two options for the renewal of our AT&T contract. The council voted by a vote of 3-0 to accept the monthly payment from AT&T.

### **Action Items:**

- ❖ A proclamation making August 5 Sam Fowler Day was presented to council for approval. A motion was made to proclaim August 5 "Sam Fowler Day" by Heath Sain, seconded by Michael Harbin. Approved by a vote of 3-0.

### **Public Comments:**

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- ❖ Alex Reno, Park Board President, reported that the Historical Society will be using grant funds to update Depot Park in exchange for the use of Depot Park for events.
- ❖ Alex Reno, NearSpace Launch Education, Invited members of the Upland Town Council along with the public to attend the official ribbon cutting ceremony of NSE which will take place on August 31 at 5:00PM.
- ❖ Clark Cully- 1334 S 8th Street, suggested that management look into powerwashing the south water tower. Also would like to explore partnering with Hartford City and other communities to create a railway trail.
- ❖ Bob Stone, 1227 S Second St, expressed his concerns about the parking at The Havens apartments and also asked if we could get the temporary mailboxes on Second Street removed.
- ❖ Marty Fick, 1213 S. Main Street, Presented pictures of his "restored" property and says that the sod was laid improperly and needs to be redone. This is an issue with INDOT.
- ❖ David Murray, 1273 S. Main Street, stated that he has had the same issue as Marty Fick and that his property was not restored to original condition as promised.
- ❖ Matthew Fenton, 1472 S Main Street, suggested that if there are projects needed done around today that people contact TU for Plunge Day.

### Council Reports:

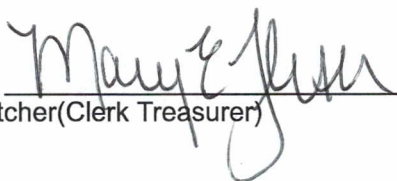
- ❖ **Heath Slain**- Formal Marshal, Steve Wolf is in hospice care. Please keep him and his family in your prayers.
- ❖ **Michael Harbin**- Nothing to report
- ❖ **Amy McCrea** – Absent
- ❖ **Brad Yordy** - Thank you to Clerk-Treasurer Fletcher for her work on the audit. Thank you to Office Fowler and Marshal Wolf for their service to Upland and our community.
- ❖ **Shawn Sizemore** - Absent

ADA/Title 6 Concerns: Nothing to report

The meeting was adjourned at 7:13 PM

ATTEST:

Mary Fletcher(Clerk Treasurer)



SIGNED

PRESIDENT

