



TOWN OF
LaGrange
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Meeting Minutes – July 3, 2017

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

Council Members Present: Juan Arroyo, Raymond Hoover, Suellyn Mickem, Edna Bowser, Deborah Naylor

Also present: Laurie Miller

President Arroyo opened the meeting at precisely 7:00 pm.

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

Council Member Naylor made a motion to approve meeting minutes from June 19, 2017. Member Bowser seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Holly Miller – DLZ reported that sidewalks will be removed from the Community Crossing Grant application. Only existing sidewalks can be replaced with the grant funds. Sidewalks that were removed from the project would be new construction. After discussing the application process, Member Bowser made a motion to approve the Community Crossing applications and letter of support. Bowser also motioned to give Council President Arroyo the authority to sign Community Crossing Grant forms outside of meetings if necessary. Member Naylor seconded the motion, including the authority to sign documents. Motion carried.

WASTEWATER:

- No Report

Water:

- Presented sewer adjustment applications for Scott Jordan and Signature Industries. Member Hoover made a motion to approve the adjustment for Scott Jordan, Member Mickem seconded the motion. Motion carried. Member Mickem then motioned to approve the adjustment for Signature Industries. Motion was seconded by Member Naylor. Motion carried.
- Utility office asked for authority to adjust a utility bill for property for sale at 211 N Sycamore. Lews & Lambright have it listed for sale, there was use, but, no one is living there. The water is now shut off at the street. Member Bowser motioned to approve the adjustment, Member Mickem seconded. Motion carried.

POLICE:

- Gave the council a details report for June 2017.
- Also presented suggested pay scale for the Police Department
- Discussed various ordinance violations and how to proceed

FIRE:

- No Report

STREET:

- New Truck is at WA Jones
- API will start paving on Wednesday

Town Manager:

- Discussed High Street project (sidewalks & curbing) with contractor.
- Reported that Mr. Lambright (land rent at the Cemetery) has planted Sudan. This was against the council's wishes
- Discussed Employee uniforms and expectations. Member Hoover stated that he would be willing to write policy on uniforms.

CLERK: N/A

ATTORNEY: Absent

OPEN DISCUSSION:

- Member Hoover stated that he has been approached by the Northwood Homeowners Association in regards to annexation. They would like to meet with the full council prior to their next HOA meeting. A meeting was set for Monday, July 24, 2017 at 6:30 at the Town Hall.

ALLOWANCE OF CLAIMS: Member Hoover made a motion to approve claims, Member Mickem seconded the motion. Motion carried.


RDC Member Hoover made a motion to approve the claims related to the Redevelopment funds, RDC Member Mickem seconded the motion. Motion carried


Mark W. Engleson, RDC President


Attest: Laurie D. Miller, RDC Secretary

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


Juan C. Arroyo, Council President


Attest: Laurie D. Miller, IAMC, CMC
Clerk Treasurer