

May 8, 2018

Be it remembered that the Versailles Town Council met for their regular monthly meeting on May 8, 2018. All council members were present. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited. Minutes from the previous meeting were read and approved.

Judge Cheryl Richmond reported that she did not get a chance to balance the April bank statement. Judge Richmond presented the expenditures for April, and reported that tickets have been picking up because of the work zones.

Pastors Mike Cantrell and Roger Deen were present to touch on the Summer feeding program at Pangburn park. Roger recalled the council agreeing to allow VBS type activities, but attorney Larry Eaton did not recall that conversation. It was agreed that the Summer feeding program will proceed at Pangburn park, sponsored by the Ministerial Association, with no affiliation to the Town of Versailles.

Fire Chief Ben Sieverding reported 75 calls in the past two months with 183 total calls for the year so far. The department now includes 29 members. Ben requested that the council consider a budget raise for 2019.

Janice Wilson requested street closures for the Bicentennial event on July 28, 2018. Marshall Mann will ensure that the streets are closed.

Marshall Joe Mann submitted his monthly report. The SRO evaluation is will be completed when the Career Center submits their evaluation. Marshall Mann gave an update on the ordinance violations for blighted properties. Bids have been solicited for new lighting and a camera system for the town hall.

Superintendent Kevin Hensley reported that the new scoreboards have been delivered and will be installed. The small dump truck has been repaired. Kevin asked if the town could request funding for a new truck from the Tyson Fund. The flag brackets are installed, and the flags will be put up the week of May 21. The heavy trash dumpster will be at Pangburn Park the first Saturday of June.

Clerk-Treasurer Kiersten Libby presented a request from the Legion for the annual car show. The council approved a donation of \$500.

Roxanne reported that the new town hall is ready to be renovated. Jeff Hafft is working on a quote for the renovation. The town will solicit two more bids.

Matt McNew reported that the soccer fields will be finished tomorrow. Kevin will move the trees at the soccer field. Opening day is Saturday, May 12. Kevin will order 2 hour parking signs for Pangburn Park.

With no further business coming before the council, the meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

Attest: _____

Kiersten B. Libby, Clerk-Treasurer

Council President, Matt McNew

Council Member, Steve Mathes

Council Member, Roxanne Meyer