

State of Indiana
Greene County
City of Linton

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
March 11, 2019 6:00 P.M.

WELCOME – OPENING OF MEETING
Mayor Wilkes opened the meeting at 6:00 p.m.

PLEDGE TO THE FLAG

ROLL CALL

Tony Richards, Linda Bedwell, Fred Markle, Jerry Ellett, and Jeff Sparks

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A motion to approve the minutes of the previous session by Jeff Sparks, 2nd by Jerry Ellett. 5 ayes, passed.

APPROVAL OF CLAIMS PROPERLY SIGNED

A motion to approve the claims properly signed by Tony Richards, 2nd by Fred Markle. 4 ayes, passed.

APPROVAL OF FUND & APPROPRIATION REPORT

A motion to approve the fund and appropriation report by Tony Richards, 2nd by Jeff Sparks. 5 ayes, passed.

NEW BUSINESS

Cozy Corner Property

The Mayor proposed to the council to purchase the old Cozy Corner property on Vincennes Street and Main Street. He explained that he would like to purchase that corner and clean it up. Property owner Dave Carpenter offered the city the property for \$7500. A motion to purchase the property by Linda Bedwell, 2nd by Jeff Sparks. 5 ayes, passed.

Glenburn Home Easement

Glenburn requesting an easement in the right a way, 8 ½ - 26ft long, no utilities are in the right a way. After a discussion from the council a motion was made to grant the easement by Linda Bedwell, 2nd by Jerry Ellett. 5 ayes, passed.

Change Order/ Stormwater Project

A change order on the Stormwater Project was submitted, after changes that resulted in reductions in cost the change order will only increase the project by \$753.35. A motion to approve the change order was made by Linda Bedwell, 2nd by Fred Markle. 5 ayes, passed.

Parking Ordinance

Mayor proposed to the council a fifty-foot loading area on the south end of the Old Bonham's building on A Street SE. The request was being made on behalf of the business owners. Many members of the public were in attendance concerned about the change. The people that work at the paper office and the post office both spoke their concerns about the change. After discussion by the council a motion to leave the parking the same was made by Linda Bedwell, 2nd by Tony Richards. 5 ayes, passed.

Moose Lodge Lease

No Discussion

Closing of North Main St./Farmers Market

Mark Stacy was present requesting the city to grant the Farmers Market permission to close north main street from highway 54 to B Street each Saturday during the Farmers Market season. He explained that last year sales were down 19%, he believes lack of visibility from the highway was a major contributing factor to the numbers being down. After discussion by the council a motion was made to table the issue, 2nd by Jeff Sparks. 5 ayes, passed.

Cindy Leadman

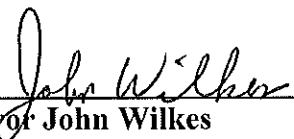
Cindy called and requested to be taken off the agenda, no discussion.

Department Heads Reporting

No Reports

ADJOURNMENT

A motion to adjourn by Linda Bedwell, 2nd by Jerry Ellett. 5 ayes, passed.



Mayor John Wilkes



Clerk-Treasurer Jathan Wright