

Minutes of the regular meeting of the Eva Town Council held on October 10, 2006 at 6:30 p.m. at the Eva Town Hall. Present: Mayor Gary Livingston; Councilmember's: Bert Collins, James Henderson, Johnny Persall, Kent Chambers, Mr. Alexander and Clerk Judy Fortenberry.

Guests: Angela and Ronnie Holmes, Lisa and Bennie Pringle, Clayton Earwood, John Babchak, and Rev. Joey Coots - Journey Church

Mayor Livingston called the meeting to order. After roll call, informed all present that we open our meetings with prayer, if anyone objected we would abstain from this practice at tonight's meeting. No one objected. Mayor Livingston asked Rev. Coots to open with prayer.

Rev. Coots left the meeting at 6:45 p.m.

Mayor Livingston turned the meeting over to the parents of the Brewer Baseball Team. Ronnie Holmes spoke on behalf of the Brewer Baseball Team, stated that the team was having problems obtaining funds to finish the batting cages started by the parents. Mr. Holmes asked if the Council could help with financial aid in some ways, also presented a letter from Coach Thompson dated April 12, 2006 to the Council stating all the equipment needed at this time, and outlining the progress on the batting cages. After a lengthy discussion Mr. Persall motion to approve \$2,500 for Brewer School earmarked for the baseball team, Mr. Chambers seconded, motion carried.

Ronnie and Angela Holmes, Bennie and Lisa Pringle left the meeting at 7:15 p.m.

Mayor Livingston asked if everyone had read the minutes of the Regular Council Meeting of October 10, 2006. Mr. Persall motion to approve the minutes, Mr. Chambers seconded, motion carried.

A. FINANCE, EDUCATION & LIBRARY- MR. CHAMBERS

Mr. Chamber's presented the Budget for 2006-2007, Mr. Chamber's motion to past the Budget as presented, Mr. Collins seconded, motion carried. (2006-2007 Budget attached)

B: UTILITIES & STREETS- MR. ALEXANDER

Mr. Alexander reported that the County is putting rock in the ditch at Darrell Holmes property.

Mr. Henderson requested that we have the County place rock in the parking lot of the Concession Stand.

Mr. Collins reported that the grate in front of the Drug Store needs to be looked at and see if we can do something about the large hole at that location. Mayor suggested that we get Roger Shipley to look at the problem and see what can be done, since people are backing off into the hole.

C. PARKS, RECREATION & CEMETERIES - MR. PERSALL

Mr. Persall asked if Clerk had checked with other Town's in the area to see what they were doing about the smoking at the ball parks. Was decided that we need to designate a smoking area at the park away from the bleachers and concession stand, Mr. Persall and Clerk will decide on location.

D. POLICE, FIRE & GRANTS – MR HENDERSON

Mr. Henderson reported on the training class attended on Resolutions & Privilege License.

Mr. Henderson asked if Mr. Deese had contacted the Town about the cal-de-sac, Clerk reported that Mr. Deese had talked with our Attorney and that he, Mr. Deese, is getting a survey so we can have a legal agreement. Mr. Alexander motion for Mayor to call Robert Deese and check on the progress of the survey, Mr. Chamber's seconded, motion carried.

E. SANITATION & BUILDINGS– MR. COLLINS

Mr. Collins reported that the Town Hall building is in good shape, and the Sewer Plant is under construction.

HEARINGS ON PETITIONS, COMPLAINTS, APPEALS, COMMUNIC. ETC

No Report

AUDITING ACCOUNTS – MOTION TO TRANSFER FUNDS & PAY BILLS

Motion to pay bills – Mr. Chambers motioned to pay bills, Mr. Persall seconded, carried.

RESOLUTIONS, ORDINANCES, ORDERS & OTHER BUSINESS

Old Business: Mayor reported that we have the deeds to the Livingston Property.

Mayor read letter from Ms Hill with the GED Class, thanking the Town for the use of the building.

Mr. Collins motion to go into Executive Session, Mr. Persall seconded, motion carried.

Mr. Collins motion to come out of Executive Session, Mr. Chambers seconded, motion carried.

New Business: Mr. Collins motion to offer sewer position to Mark Rittman, Class IV Certification, Mr. Henderson seconded, motion carried. Mayor will get in touch with Mr. Rittman.

Mr. Henderson motion to adjourn, Mr. Chamber's seconded, carried.

Approved:

Mayor

Attest:

Town Clerk