

Topeka Town Council
124 E. Lake Street, Topeka, Indiana
General Meeting Minutes May 8th, 2023, 4:00pm

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag

Call to order by Council President, Doug Fought – Common Council Meeting

Roll Call

Present: Council Member Ron Troyer Steve Schrock, Adam Lambright, Doug Fought; Town Attorney representative Charity Murphy and Clerk-Treasurer Lea Parks

Others in attendance: Cyndi Sadewasser, Deputy Clerk; Town Marshal Stan Strater, Jr; Stewart Bender, Town Manager; Corey Hoopingarner; Harold Gingerich; Casey Erwin; Amy Oberlin, Mark Webster

Minutes from previous meeting of April 24, 2023, for Common Council Meeting

Motion to Approve: Adam Lambright Seconded: Steve Schrock Vote: All Ayes

Lea Parks, Clerk-Treasurer

- Claims

Motion to Approve: Ron Troyer Seconded: Adam Lambright Vote: All Ayes

- Annual Financial Report 2022 presented to council
- SRF #39 Payment being processed
- Ordinance Corrections, permission from board to correct

Stewart Bender, Town Manager/Fire Chief

- New Roof for Salt barn, approved Front Row Contracting

Motion to Approve: Ron Troyer Seconded: Adam Lambright Vote: All Ayes

- Repair Gutter at Baptist Church on north side hit with leaf vac and damaged, approved Do It Rite Roofing \$668.00

Motion to Approve: Adam Lambright Seconded: Ron Troyer Vote: All Ayes

- Topeka Misc Storm Improvements, 1-Water around well #3 needs new grading, 2-Water standing on Todd street needs improvements, 3-Sanitary sewer casting in front of town hall has broken and needs improvements, \$11,400.00. Ley Construction hired to do work.

Motion to Approve: Steve Schrock Seconded: Adam Lambright Vote: All Ayes

- SRF change order approved

- Niblock to use steel slags for horse trough

Motion to Approve: Ron Troyer Seconded: Adam Lambright Vote: All Ayes

Town Marshal

- USDOJ Grant Bullet Proof Vest approved \$1,391.49

Motion to Approve: Adam Lambright Seconded: Ron Troyer Vote: All Ayes

- March & April Monthly reports

Town Attorney

- Bill Eberhard continuing work on Housing Agreement
- Working on Ordinance corrections

Council

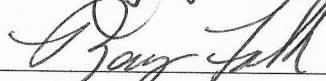
Steve Schrock a Resolution to Honor the passing of Senator Robert Meeks for years of service.

Adjournment

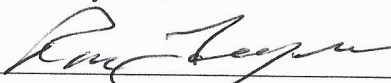
- Doug Fought closed the Council Meeting at 4:44pm
- Next General Council meeting May 22, 2023, at 4p.m.



Doug Fought, Council President

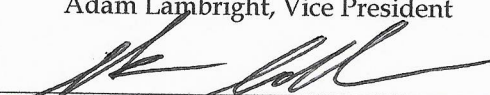


Ray Folk, Council Member

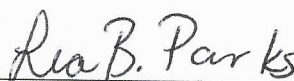


Ron Troyer, Council Member

Adam Lambright, Vice President



Steve Schrock, Council Member

ATTEST 

Lea Parks, Clerk Treasurer