

Topeka Town Council
124 E. Lake Street, Topeka, Indiana
General Meeting Minutes September 25, 2023 4:00pm
Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
Call to order by Council President, Doug Fought

Roll Call

Present: Council Member Steve Schrock, Doug Fought President; Adam Lambright Vice President, Town Attorney Charity Murphy, Lea Parks Clerk-Treasurer

Others in attendance: Cyndi Sadewasser, Deputy Clerk; Stewart Bender, Town Manager; Marshal Stan Strater Jr, Larry Owens, Ariel Owens

Minutes from previous meeting of September 11, 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: Steve Schrock Vote: All Ayes

Public Hearing for the 2024 Budget – Doug Fought call to open - Had no responses on budget –
Call to Close Public Hearing for 2024 Budget
Motion to Approve: Ron Troyer Seconded: Adam Lambright Vote: All Ayes

• Clarify – Purchase of Cell Phone – Amend Cost from previous Council meeting Phone is \$1 to purchase

Motion to Approve: Ray Folk Seconded: Adam Lambright Vote: All Ayes

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

Stewart Bender, Town Manager/Fire Chief

Fire Station Camera Quote – Teledata Quote \$11,963.08
 Motion to Approve: Steve Schrock Seconded: Ron Troyer Vote: All Ayes Abstained: Adam Lambright

MapleTronics Quote – Wirless access point for Town Hall - \$1101.00
 Motion to Approve: Ron Troyer Seconded: Steve Schrock Vote: All Ayes

 Storage Barn behind Fire Station - Lakeview Builders LLC Quote - Fans, Vent, Gable Vents -\$2,678.96

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

Town Marshal

• July and August Topeka Police Dept Activity Reports

Town Attorney

- Real Estate Purchase Agreement Copies handed out to Council Members to look over and make sure there are no changes to be made so it is ready for the next Council Meeting.
- Discussed when Council Members are available to Schedule an Executive Session at a later date.

Other

Keith Kauffman - Moved in - Structure on Property not attached to building - Doesn't encroach the Right-of-Way

Adjournment

- Doug Fought closed the Council Meeting at 4:38pm
 Motion to Approve: Steve Schrock
 Seconded: Adam Lambright
 Vote: All Ayes
- Next General Council meeting October 9, 2023, at 4p.m.

Doug Fought, Council President

Ray Folk, Council Member

Ron Troyer, Council Member

ATTEST AMB. Parks

Lea Parks, Clerk Treasurer