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**OFFICIAL MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SCHEDULED COUNCIL MEETING
May 12, 2008**

**Attendance: Mayor Snow Council: Gregg Gowan Other:
Charles Engroos
David H. Rogers, Jr.
Evelyn H. Mull**

Mayor Snow called the meeting to order at 8:17 p.m.

INVOCATION:

Councilmember Charles Engroos

READING OF THE MINUTES:

No minutes available.

OLD BUSINESS:

- 1. POSTAL ROUTE:** No more information to report.
- 2. ELECTION (WARDS OR DISTRICTS):** This issue was decided last month that a referendum will be held at our regular election in 2008. Mayor Snow asks if they voted on this at the last months meeting, if not we will vote on it in June, 2008.
- 3. ZONING APPEALS BOARD MEMBER (1):** Sandra spoke with Andy Burns about considering the commission. Mayor Snow will speak with him.
- 4. COMPETITIVE GRANT (STREETSCAPE & SEWER) (NO DATE FOR GRANT COMMITTEE MEETING HAS BEEN SET AS OF MAY 7, 2008);** No information to report.

COUNCIL COMMITTEE REPORTS AND DEPARTMENT REPORTS:

- 1. STREETSCAPE PROJECT (CONSTRUCTION)** Sossamon Construction was filling in the dirt underneath the sidewalks and changed around the arms for the banners. The electrician has to come and repair the 4 lampposts that are not burning. The broken lights that are burst will be replaced with the back side glass of the lampposts. We may have some glass cut from lexan but it will be expensive. The

SPATS committee will be visiting our Main Street Streetscape at 1:30 p.m. Thursday May 15, 2008. Mayor Snow said mulch was needed at the plaza.

2. **BURNING BRUSH PILES:** Just waiting on rain.
3. **BEAVERS:** Mayor Snow gave a few quotes at the last meeting. Something is going to have to be done because the water is getting higher and higher. Mr. Hoffman a beaver trapper said this is the way beavers work, the females generally has two litters at a time. When one set gets so old she runs them off. So they go and set their own colonies. We have permission from Charles Engroos all the way to Randy Floyd's property and Buddy Carlton's property to Gaston Drive. DNR recommended Mr. Hoffman because he traps for SJWD and SSSD and Milliken. **Council Member Gregg Gowan made a motion to hire Mr. Hoffman for approximately \$800.00 plus gas. Second: Council Member David H. Rogers, Jr. All in favor**
4. **MAINTENANCE ON MAIN STREET BID:** Two bids for grass cutting has been received. American Boys submitted a bid of \$150.00 every 2 weeks. Clyde Bridwell entered a bid of \$1,000.00 for a year and would cut the grass every 2 weeks. The work would be to cut the grass, blowing off sidewalks and weed eating from ditch to ditch. **Council Member Gregg Gowan made a motion to accept the \$1,000.00 bid from Clyde Bridwell with a more formal contract so we can have a record of the agreement. Second: Council Member Charles Engroos All in favor**
5. **CTC STREETScape REQUEST:** Mayor Snow said he hasn't heard anything from the committee. Eddie Speed was to let me know something. They didn't do anything about the request at the April meeting. It will be June before they meet again.
6. **2008 ENHANCEMENT GRANT APPLICATION FOR PHASE II AND III:** The application has been submitted.

NEW BUSINESS:

FINANCIAL REPORT:

Not available

CITIZEN AGENDA:

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

Mayor Snow made a motion to go into Executive Session to discuss personnel matters. Second: Council Member Gregg Gowan All in favor

Going into Executive Session at 8:44 p.m.

Mayor Snow called the meeting back to order at 9:21 p.m.

The discussion held was to hire a second person to help our town clerk.

Mayor Snow made a motion to hire a second person. Second: Council Member Gregg Gowan All in favor

ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting was adjourned at 9:22 p.m.

Motion: Council Member Gregg Gowan Second: Council Member Charles Engroos All in favor