

SOUTH WHITLEY TOWN COUNCIL WORKSESSION MINUTES

TOWN HALL BOARD ROOM

118 E FRONT STREET

SOUTH WHITLEY, IN 46787

JULY 14, 2020

3:30 PM

The South Whitley Town Council and town employees met for the worksession on July 14, 2020 at 3:30 - 4:00 p.m. in the Town Board Room. Present were Les Hoffman, President , Randy Cokl, Councilman, Brock Waterson Councilman, Mikel Vandevender, Jason Keim, Pam Waller and Pamela Hoffman-Clerk Treasurer.

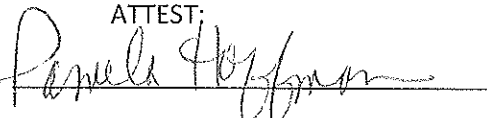
Employees engaged in a good discussion with council members over several issues pertaining to their jobs. Council had areas of concern, flushing hydrants, weeds behind Morsches Building, sign down at Hathaway and State Rd 5, street lights, 6 lights on list to replace according to Ron.

Jason has been filing in where needed, ww plant in Kent's absence, watering flowers. Council remarked about brush on Calhoun St., grass piles needing picked up. Also look at brush pile at Hagan Park.

Ron said he finished his hydrant flushing schedule and that we need to decide soon how to spend the money left over from water project. There will be a 3% penalty if we don't determine use of money Also need to decide what to do with the Water Tower. \$650,000-\$700,000.00 to fix and preserve. IDEM has to be involved. To tear tower down \$75,000.00, and \$300,000.00 to Paint-restoration. IDEM is not involved if we disconnect the pipes to tower. Randy asked about wrapping the tower. Ron is certified now, class once a week, he has 1 year to pass test (2 times).

Town Marshal Mikel Vandevender said he is looking at replacing the police cars with trucks.

ATTEST:



Pamela Hoffman, Clerk-Treasurer

LES HOFFMAN, PRESIDENT



RANDY COKL, VICE PRESIDENT



BROCK WATERTON, COUNCILMAN

