State of Indiana Greene County City of Linton

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING June 12, 2023 - 6:00 P.M.

WELCOME – OPENING OF MEETING Mayor Wilkes opened the meeting at 6 p.m.

PLEDGE TO THE FLAG

ROLL CALL

Linda Bedwell, Tony Richards, Jeff Sparks, and Les Newman. Jerry Ellett absent.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A motion to approve the minutes from the previous session was made by Tony Richards, 2nd by Linda Bedwell. 4 ayes, passed.

APPROVAL OF CLAIMS PROPERLY SIGNED

A motion to approve the claims properly signed made by Les Newman, 2nd by Jeff Sparks. 3 ayes, (Linda Bedwell abstained) passed.

APPROVAL OF FUND & APPROPRIATION REPORT

A motion to approve the fund and appropriation report made by Tony Richards, 2nd by Linda Bedwell. 4 ayes, passed.

ADDITIONS TO AGENDA

Mayor Wilkes asked for addition of two items to the agenda: Placement of a Stop Sign and Resolution for Banking Authority. Motion to approve addition by Linda Bedwell, 2nd by Les Newman. 4 ayes, passed.

NEW BUSINESS

Council was asked to consider placement of a new Stop Sign at intersection of 6th and G'St, NW, owing to the concern of a resident about speeding. After consideration, and on motion by Linda Bedwell and 2nd by Tony Richards, Council voted by 4 ayes to table the matter until the July regular meeting.

Council was asked to approve Resolution 2023-09 giving banking authority to new hire, Jessica Evans who is replacing Katie Elliott in the Clerk-Treasurer's office. Motion by Linda Bedwell, 2nd by Jeff Sparks. 4 ayes, passed.

DEPARTMENT HEADS REPORTING No Reports

MISC COMMENTS

Operation Manager Brent Murray reported that recycling will be resuming at the 12th street location in Linton by end of month.

Councilor Bedwell praised all involved with the clean-up day held June 10, citing the filling of nearly six dumpsters with waste. She reminded resident of a second day scheduled for June 17, from 8am to 4 pm, and asked that those hours be respected.

Bedwell also thanked the Linton Fire Department for their free movie night held Friday, and Chief Colton Murray thanked Union Local 3087 for their planning and execution of the event.

Mayor Wilkes announced that the Linton Pool is now open for the season and appears to be operating as planned, although citizens may be asked to consider a referendum to update the nearly sixty year-old facility.

Mayor Wilkes and the Council recognized Ron Lehman for his outstanding performance as Code Enforcement Officer.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Linda Bedwell, 2nd by Les Newman. 4 ayes, passed.

Mayor John Wilkes

Clerk-Treasurer Claudia Walker