## CITY OF DRAKESBORO



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**DRAKESBORO** 

**Council Meeting** 

May 17, 2021

The meeting was called to order a t 6:00pm by Mike Jones.

Pledge and Prayer by Mike Jones

- Roll Call
  - o Tex Allen
  - o Eddie Brake
  - Larry Shrodes
  - Joe Studer
  - o Frank Schmautz
  - Scott Newman
  - Mike Jones
- April minutes were approved as follows
  - April 20<sup>th</sup> motion made by Frank Schmautz, seconded by Larry Shrodes. All in favor.
  - o April 23<sup>rd</sup> motion made by Joe Studer, seconded by Eddie Brake. All in favor.
  - May 4<sup>th</sup> motion made by Eddie Brake, seconded by Scott Newman. All in favor.
- The financial report was given by Karen Ward. After discussions about the ABC administration fee, the council would like to see what steps were needed to have the Mayor paid as the administrator. Eddie Brake made a motion to accept the report as given. Motion was seconded by Frank Schmautz. Motion approved.
- The proposed budge for 2021-2022 year was given to the council for review.
- The second reading of Resolution 05052021 was given and a motion to accept the resolution was made by Frank Schmautz and seconded by Eddie Brake. Motion passed.
- A release and waiver of liability for Larry Shrodes to volunteer for the City and to hold no liability
  to the City of Drakesboro was read. Eddie Brake made a motion not to accept the waiver and
  seconded by Tex Allen. After discussions, Frank Schmautz made a motion to accept the waiver
  and was seconded by Scott Newman. 3 recorded in favor and 2 against. Councilman, Larry
  Shrodes, abstained because the waiver was for him. Motion passed.
- A motion was given by Eddie Brake to donate the use of the Community Center to the family of DJ Brooks for a benefit on May 29<sup>th.</sup> The motion was seconded by Frank Schmautz. All in favor and the motion passed.

- A motion to absorb the 911 fee of \$3.00 per water customer within the city limits was made by Frank Schmautz and seconded by Scott Newman. All in favor and motion passed.
- An email was read by the Mayor from Shawn Martin of Russmar. Mr. Martin wanted the council
  to state why they chose another contractor for a specific job instead of his company. Eddie
  Brake stated that Mr. Martin should have given us the better quote first instead of a second
  quote after Mr. Martin found out that he was outbid. Frank Schmautz stated he also felt the
  same way and was comfortable with the other company anyways. Also, KRS 424.260 state that
  the council does not have to accept the lowest bid given.
- The floor was opened to the public
  - Stanley Vance asked that the City remove a water meter from his land because he was going to move his fence and it would enclose the meter. After discussions with the councilmen, the issue was tabled till next months meeting to see if they could accommodate Mr. Vance or not.
- The council went into executive session and the motion was given by Frank Schmautz and seconded by Joe Strader. All in favor and motion passed.
- Eddie Brake made a motion to return to open meeting and motion was seconded by Frank Schmautz. All in favor and motion passed.
- A motion to adjourn was made by Eddie Brake, seconded by Frank Schmautz. All in favor and motion passed.

Mayor, Mike Jone

06-21-2021

Sandy Goff, City Clerk

06/21/2021