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Drakesboro Monthly Council Meeting
Drakesboro Community Center
October 18th, 2021
6:00 pm

The meeting was called to order by Mike Jones.

Councilmen present: Larry Shrodes, Eddie Brake, Tex Allen, Frank Schmautz, Joe Studer, and Scott Newman

A motion to accept September's minutes was made by Frank Schmautz and seconded by Tex Allen. Motion Passed.

A motion to accept September's financial report was made by Eddie Brake and seconded by Joe Studer. Motion passed.

The council discussed the Mobile Home Ordinance. They all agreed that the City needed to take necessary steps, by way of a lawyer, to enforce the ordinance. Motion was made by Eddie Brake and seconded by Larry Shrodes. Motion passed.

Organizational dues were discussed and.Frank Schmautz made a motion to pay all the dues and Eddie Brake seconded the motion. Motion Passed.

Mike Jones let the Council know that the Muhlenberg South School was wanting to donate to the City their pump station with a stipulation that they receive Commercial rates for sewer. The Council agreed that after engineers had a chance to look at the situation they would look at this offer again in a year.

Frank Schmautz asked if our gas rates would be going up and the Mayor assured him and the council that the rates were locked in till October of 2024. Frank suggested that we have an article put in the newspaper to reassure the citizens that their rates would remain the same and would be reevaluated in October of 2024.

Halloween will be on a Sunday this year. The Council was asked if they would prefer that Halloween be observed on Saturday or Sunday. Eddie Brake made a motion that the holiday be observed on Saturday, October 30th until 7:00 pm. Frank Schmautz seconded the motion. Motion passed.

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The Council discussed utility turn on for one day in the cases of inspections for customers. For one day and to allow inspections for the home owners Eddie Brake made a motion to charge a fee of \$50.00 plus any water used over 2000 gallons. Frank Schmautz seconded the motion. Motion passed.

The Mayor informed the council that the City had received notification that Joe Ford was released to go back to work and he would like to be reinstated as police officer for the City of Drakesboro. The Council asked that we bring the release back to next month's meeting and they would discuss it then.

Motion to adjourn was given by Frank Schmautz and seconded by Tex Allen.

Mayor Mike Jones

Witnessed by Sandy Go