

## Monrovia Town Council Meeting

September 23, 2019

7:30 P.M.

The meeting was called to order by Town Council President Robert Marley, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance and a prayer.

### Attendance

Present at the meeting: Carol Youngblood, District 1; Loren Moore, District 2; Bonnie Silsby-Inman, District 3; Philip Fowler, District 4; Robert Marley, at Large; Virginia Brough, Planning Administrator; Lance Gideon, Mooresville-Decatur Times and Iona Jackson, Clerk Treasurer

### Guest/Citizens

In attendance were Diane Hubbard, Vice Chairman of the Morgan County GOP, working for Congressman Baird; Kelly Alcalá, member of the Morgan County Council, Vicky Nowak who is running for Morgan County Council, Mr. Collier from the Homestead addition, Mr. and Mrs. Mac McCloud and Mr. and Mrs. Danny Chenault.

McCloud wanted to know if there were any updates concerning the drainage issue on Baltimore Road. Marley stated Town Engineer, Jessica Hartman was planning on moving forward according to the last Council meeting, however no further updates had been given to him.

McCloud asked Marley if he and Menzel were planning on attending his meeting regarding this drainage issue with Morgan County on Monday, October 7<sup>th</sup> @ 7:30 am; Marley answered, "Yes we will be there."

### Planning/BZA

Virginia Brough handed out the August 2019 Building Permit Report. Brough stated she was still in need of an assistance and handed out two (2) job descriptions for the Council to review. She explained the attorney and clerk treasurer both completed job descriptions and Brough wanted the Council to "choose one."

Silsby-Inman asked, "Why are we having/paying our attorney do a job description if our clerk treasurer is capable?" Brough assured the Council our attorney came to her requesting to do the job description for us and said, "The attorney was present at the last meeting and knew we needed one." Brough also confirmed to the Council the attorney said she was not going to bill us for any payment.

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The council agreed upon \$12.50 an hour for Brough's assistant and could move forward with advertising in the paper.

#### Police

Marley said there was nothing in police.

#### Streets

Marley stated Wallace paved some pot holes on Baltimore Road.

#### Sewer

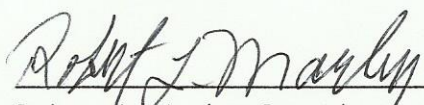
Marley said he had a meeting with two (2) engineers with Triad regarding adding on to the Wastewater Treatment Plant. These were preliminary talks, he said; adding, "We could do a little at a time to save on some expense." Marley said we could add on any size we want, up to a million gallons.

Silsby-Inman asked if this add on was because of the development happening with Hendricks County. Marley stated it was part of the reason and we had received two (2) checks already from Hendricks County, one (1) for \$76,500 and another for \$91,000. He said we currently receive \$5,000 to \$7,000 a month from them now.

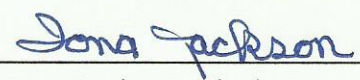
Philip Fowler moved to adopt the 2020 Budget Ordinance or Resolution for Appropriations and Tax Rates 03-2019; Carol Youngblood second the motion, all were in favor.

Philip Fowler made a motion to approve the September 2019 town and wastewater claims of \$44,852.76 and the August 2019 bank rec; Loren Moore second the motion, all were in favor.

Philip Fowler moved to adjourn the Town Council Meeting, Carol Youngblood second the motion; all were in favor.

  
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Robert L. Marley, President  
Monrovia Town Council

Attest:

  
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Iona Jackson, Clerk Treasurer  
Town of Monrovia