August 21st, 2024 **099**

The Van Buren Town Council held a Public Meeting for the 2025 Budget on Wednesday, August 21, 2024 at 6: 45 PM at the Van Buren Town Hall. Council President Jerry Caudill called the meeting to order.

Clerk-Treasure presented the budget to the council. The council looked over the forms.

Katie motioned to adjourn the meeting; Mark seconded. 3-0. The meeting was adjourned at 6:56 PM.

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Clerk-Treasurer Council Members

The Van Buren Town Council held its regular meeting Wednesday, August 21, 2024 at 7:00 PM at the Van Buren Town Hall. Council President Jerry Caudill called the meeting to order with the Pledge of Allegiance. Council member Katie Freeburn motioned to approve previous meeting minutes; council member Mark Towery seconded. 3-0. Minutes were approved as submitted.

CITIZENS: Tracy Leonard discussed her property line with the council.

POLICE: Marshal Skyler Beard reported that Deputy Marshal Tim Fishbaugh has reached out to Weaver Popcorn to find out if they would help with a purchase of new tasers for the department. Weaver did agree to pay 50% up to $7,500.00.

UTILITIES: Utility Supervisor Donnie Plummer reported that both plants are running well. The maintenance and painting of the south water tower is complete. They did find that a valve needs to be repaired. Once that is finished then he will begin refilling it. The repair of the Well House roof with be completed next week. Donnie has completed the CCR report. Donnie presented a couple quotes for a new truck. Katie motioned to approve the purchase of a new XLT Ford Utility truck from Crane Ford; Mark seconded. 3-0. He also presented a quote for a new truck bed and a new plow. The council tabled the purchase of the truck bed. Mark motioned to approve the purchase of the plow; Katie seconded. 3-0.

The council signed the Salary Docket.

Katie motioned to approve the APVS; Mark seconded. 3-0.

Mark motioned to adjourn the meeting; Katie seconded. 3-0. There being no other business the meeting was adjourned at 8:10 PM.

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