Town Council Meeting November 13, 2017 Westport Town Hall

The Westport Town Council met in regular session at the Westport Town Hall, with the following present; Bryan Gatewood, President, Richard Smith, Joyce Brindley and Ronda Bartlett. Bryan Gatewood called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. followed by the Pledge to the Flag. Richard asked for a moment of silence for the Gatewood Family in the passing of Gayle Gatewood. President Gatewood read minutes from the October 9th meeting, The minutes were approved as read on a motion by Joyce, seconded by Richard, Bryan also read the minutes from the Budget Hearing held on October 9, 2017 concerning the 2018 Budget. Richard made a motion to accept the minutes as read, Joyce seconded the motion.

Bryan also read the minutes from the Special Session held on October 12, 2017 to open the bid packets for paving the streets. Joyce made a motion to accept the minutes as read with the correction that she was not present at that meeting, Richard seconded the motion.

## Cemetery Deeds were signed

Monthly Bills were signed

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Street and Cemetery Report; Presented by Richard Smith

Water and Sewer Report: Presented by Bryan Gatewood

Marshal's Report: Presented by Joyce Brindley

<u>Mainstreet Westport Report:</u> The Fall Festival went very well. In preparation for the holidays Cummins sent eight volunteers to help clean the town for a day. Zenis Church kids came and helped with the flower pots,

Communi Crossir\_ant — Street Paving: Street paving Projects 1 and 2 are complete. More paper work needs to be completed for the Community Crossing Grant.

<u>Hail Damage:</u> I. Choice has finished all buildings damaged by the hail storm. Additional decking was needed for the Police Department due to damage over time. Bryan ask Ronda to invoice the Community Building and KiWalli8 for their percentage of the deductible which is \$1000.00. The Community Building would pay 50%, Kiwanis 8% and the Town the remainder of the balance.

<u>Sherry Werner-light pole on Shady Lane:</u> Sherry along with Bill Kinnett have experienced multiple break ins on Shady Lane. They asked the council about an additional pole and light put up on their end of the street. Richard made 'a motion to put up a light and pole an Shady Lane, Joyce seconded the motion.

Mary McCullough-light pole at 404 W. Main Street: Richard reported the light is on the list to get installed.

<u>Vince Sommers:</u> Vince with Commonwealth came to report that the engineers will have a draft ready two weeks from today and sent to the council, Mark and Say. Vince asked for a public hearing to be held for the final report. Bryan suggested that we have the meeting in January.

<u>Disconnection Notice:</u> The Water and Sewer Office has a policy stating if you wish to exercise your right to be heard before the Town Board as to the amount owed or amount resulting in disconnection of service, you must notify the office in writing to be heard at the meeting. There were two request. One letter is from Alyssa Bales which explained why she needed an extension and stated she would paid in full by the 24th• This was approved. Second is from Renee Golowenski, There was no follow up as to why she. needed an extension. Her request was rejected by the board.

<u>From the Floor:</u> With nothing from the floor, Bryan showed the Covered Bridge video from History in Your Own Backyard. The cost was divided four ways and town's portion of the video is \$99.00.

Bryan Gatewood, President

Ronda Bartlett, Clerk Treasurer

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With nothing further to come before the Westport Town Council Jovce made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Richard.

Richard Smith. Councilman

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