TOWN COUNCIL MEETING July 30, 2025

The Ladoga Town Council met on July 30, 2025, in the Ladoga Town Hall at 3:00 PM for a Regular Council meeting. Present were Council President; Mike Hubble; Councilmember; Ronald Brown; Clerk Treasurer; Amy Holladay; Town Employees; Donnie Long, Dwayne Scott and Justin Miller, Town Marshal; Michael Hunley; Deputy Marshal; Christian Brown and Town Attorney; Dave Peebles. Councilmember; Tricia Garcia, Deputy Clerk; April Bradley and Town Engineer; Ken Smith were not present. Citizens present: Jay Prosser, Jacci Boone/AWL, Kristin Paris, Michael Nehring/South Montgomery School Corp.

Mike Hubble called the meeting to order. The pledge of allegiance was recited. Mike asked for any corrections to the July 12th Regular Council meeting minutes as written. Hearing none, Mike called for a motion to approve the July 12th Regular Council meeting minutes. Ronnie made a motion to approve the July 12th Regular Council meeting minutes as presented; motion was seconded by Mike motion passed. Ayes-2. Mike called for a motion to approve the Claim Docket; Mike made a motion to approve the Claim Docket; motion passed. Ayes-2.

DEPT. REPORTS: UTILITIES: Don Long: Donnie noted that they had been working on an electrical problem at the park and hoped to get it repaired before the fish fry. **Dwayne:** Nothing **Justin:** Nothing **LEGAL:** Nothing **LAW ENFORCEMENT:** Mike noted that he had served a nuisance violation for tall weeds and grass to 404 E. Main St. owned by Tony and Audrey Curtis. He noted that the 10-day grace period had passed, and the yard has still not been mowed. Ronnie made a motion to have the Town employees mow the yard and document man hours and equipment use. The Town will then put a mowing lien on the property; motion was seconded by Mike; motion passed. Ayes-2. **KEN SMITH:** Not present

PUBLIC CONCERNS: Mike Nehring/ director of operations for South Montgomery School Corp.: Mr. Nehring noted that there were a few things he would like to see done at the park to finish up the project. He gave the Council quotes for concrete curbs for the north side of the playground in the amount of \$5800.00, 7 Vinyl coated benches in the amount of \$4053.00, and a low-profile rope and treated posts fence for the parking area north of the playground in the amount of \$2780.00. He noted that the SMSC could help with the cost. Amy noted that there was money in the General fund to pay for these items. Amy also noted that there was \$3467.00 donated specifically for benches. Ronnie made a motion to purchase the concrete curbs, benches and low-profile fence for the park using contractors chosen by SMSC; motion was seconded by Mike; motion passed. Ayes-2.

OLD BUSINESS: QUOTES FOR GATES ON HICKORY AND TAYLOR STREETS: Dwayne noted that the quotes he requested would not be presented until August. This item was tabled. CRAWFORDSVILLE ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER AGREEMENT: This item was tabled. AWL INVOICE: Jacci Boone/ AWL gave the council an update on what AWL has been doing for Ladoga. She noted that there were 22 intakes from Jan. – June in Ladoga, 10 of which were abandoned beagles. There were also 5 litters of kittens and 15 call outs from Ladoga. Ronnie noted that he would like to have a meeting with AWL and discuss contract cost for 2026. Ronnie made a motion to pay the invoice for the 2nd

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half of 2025 in the amount of \$6038.00; motion was seconded by Mike; motion passed. Ayes-2.

NEW BUSINESS: No new business was discussed.

ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO BE BROUGHT BEFORE THE BOARD:

<u>CLERK TREASURER:</u> Amy noted that she and April would be attending SBOA School August 11th- 13th. The office will be closed at that time.

DEPUTY CLERK: Not present

TOWN COUNCIL: Ronnie noted that he had legally changed his name and needed to have it changed in his personnel file. Amy noted that she would need a copy of the legal paperwork before she could change any documents.

Ronnie made a motion to adjourn the meeting; the motion was seconded by Mike; motion passed; Ayes-2.

ATTEST

Amy J. Holladay, Clerk Treasurer

Date: 8 -9 - 25

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Mike Hubble Sr.

Ronald Brown

Tricia Garcia

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