

LaFollette City Council

Meeting Minutes

Tuesday October 5, 2021 5:30 p.m.

The City of LaFollette Mayor and Council met in a regular monthly meeting on October 5, 2021 at 5:30 p.m. at the LaFollette City Hall. Mayor Michael Stanfield called the meeting to order. Chief Bill Roehl led the prayer and pledge. Mayor Stanfield asked for the roll call, which was as follows:

- Mr. Phillip Farmer.....Present
- Ms. Stephanie Grimm.....Present
- Mr. Mark Hoskins..... Present
- Mr. Wayne Kitts..... Present
- Mayor Mike Stanfield..... Present

APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM SEPTEMBER 2021 MEETING INCLUDING PUBLIC HEARING.

Ms. Grimm made the motion to approve the minutes from the September 2021 meetings. Mr. Farmer made the second. Mayor Stanfield requested roll call, which was as follows:

- Mr. Phillip Farmer..... Yes
- Ms. Stephanie Grimm..... Yes
- Mr. Mark Hoskins..... Yes
- Mr. Wayne Kitts..... Yes

-Motion Carried-

REPORTS FROM BOARDS, COMMITTEES, & DEPARTMENTS

Mr. Kitts made the motion that the various reports be approved. Mr. Farmer made the second. Mayor Stanfield requested roll call, which was as follows:

- Mr. Phillip Farmer..... Yes
- Ms. Stephanie Grimm..... Yes
- Mr. Mark Hoskins..... Yes

Mr. Wayne Kitts..... Yes

-Motion Carried-

COMMENTS FROM CITIZENS

Mayor Stanfield asked if there were any comments from the citizens. Mr. Hansford Hatmaker addressed the Council regarding the city’s dumpster being locked. Council agreed to discuss at it their November workshop.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mayor Stanfield asked if there were any announcements. Chief Roehl announced a pancake breakfast supporting Faith and Blue on Friday October 8th. Mr. Foust announced the Sergeant Park in the Dark, an alternative to trick or treating on October 29th.

ORDINANCES & RESOLUTIONS

*** Resolution 2021-16- Amending the 2021/2022 Budget.**

Mayor Stanfield asked, what is the pleasure of the Council on Resolution 2021-16. Mr. Hoskins made the motion to approve Resolution 2021-16. Mr. Farmer made the second. Mayor Stanfield requested roll call, which was as follows:

Mr. Phillip Farmer..... Yes

Ms. Stephanie Grimm..... Yes

Mr. Mark Hoskins..... Yes

Mr. Wayne Kitts..... Yes

-Motion Carried-

ADMINISTRATION

*** Post Mark LaFollette.**

Gail Stanley, Rhonda Longmire, and Brad Smiddy addressed Council on behalf of Post Mark LaFollette.

*** Approval of promoting Marie Asher to full time Administrative Assistant at a salary of \$31,200.00 effective 10/9/2021.**

Mayor Stanfield asked, what is the pleasure of the Council. Mr. Kitts made the motion to approve. Ms. Grimm made the second. Mayor Stanfield requested roll call, which was as follows:

- Mr. Phillip Farmer..... Yes
- Ms. Stephanie Grimm..... Yes
- Mr. Mark Hoskins..... Yes
- Mr. Wayne Kitts..... Yes

-Motion Carried-

*** Approval to open an additional checking account.**

Discussion occurred between Mr. Sweat and Council regarding the new account. Mr. Sweat advised Council the account would be at Community Trust Bank in LaFollette and the ARPA funds would go in a Money Market Account. Mayor Stanfield asked, what is the pleasure of the Council. Mr. Hoskins made the motion to approve opening the Money Market account. Ms. Grimm made the second. Mayor Stanfield requested roll call, which was as follows:

- Mr. Phillip Farmer..... Yes
- Ms. Stephanie Grimm..... Yes
- Mr. Mark Hoskins..... Yes
- Mr. Wayne Kitts..... Yes

-Motion Carried-

*Discussion occurred between Mr. Sweat and Council to amend the minutes regarding opening the account. Mr. Sweat recommended to the Council to open a new CD for the ARPA funds instead of opening a Money Market account. Mr. Hoskins made the motion to approve. Ms. Grimm made the second. Mayor Stanfield requested roll call, which was as follows:

- Mr. Phillip Farmer..... Yes
- Ms. Stephanie Grimm..... Yes
- Mr. Mark Hoskins..... Yes

Mr. Wayne Kitts..... Yes

-Motion Carried-

FIRE DEPARTMENT

***Approval of promoting Edward Goins to full-time Entry-Level Fire Fighter at a salary of \$30,657.74 effective 10/9/2021**

Mayor Stanfield asked, what is the pleasure of the Council. Ms. Grimm made the motion to approve. Mr. Hoskins made the second. Mayor Stanfield requested roll call, which was as follows:

Mr. Phillip Farmer..... Yes

Ms. Stephanie Grimm..... Yes

Mr. Mark Hoskins..... Yes

Mr. Wayne Kitts..... Yes

-Motion Carried-

*** Approval of promoting Eric Matthias to full-time Entry-Level Fire Fighter at a salary of \$30,657.74 effective 10/9/2021.**

Mayor Stanfield asked, what is the pleasure of the Council. Mr. Hoskins made the motion to approve. Mr. Kitts made the second. Mayor Stanfield requested roll call, which was as follows:

Mr. Phillip Farmer..... Yes

Ms. Stephanie Grimm..... Yes

Mr. Mark Hoskins..... Yes

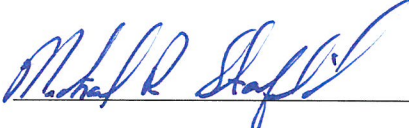
Mr. Wayne Kitts..... Yes

-Motion Carried-

ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Stanfield declared the meeting Adjourned.

Attest:  _____, Clerk
Stan Foust

 _____, Mayor
Michael R. Stanfield