

TOWN OF BRANCHVILLE
COUNCIL MINUTES
OCTOBER 15, 201200

PRESIDING: MAYOR GLENN MILLER

Mayor Miller called the Council meeting to order and all stood for Pledge of Allegiance. Prayer was given by Councilman Tom Jennings.

Roll Call showed all Council members present.

Motion was made by Councilwoman Benita Gibbs and seconded by Councilwoman Amy Bryant to accept minutes of previous meeting. Motion was unanimously approved.

Mr. Timmy Pelzer brought up an issue regarding a broken water heater. Mayor Miller stated that the Town of Branchville cannot replace Mr. Pelzer's water heater but that the town engineer would contact him.

Ms. Lavinia Williams inquired as to the possibility of the Senior Citizens using the old gym for their lunch program since the facility is much larger than where they are not. Mayor Miller said he had no problem of the use of the gym, but at present the facility is being used for storage and would have to be cleaned out. After council discussion no decision was made at this time.

Ms. Shirley Crosby inquired about getting town water on Hunting Road. Mayor Miller stated that Metts Engineering is to do a proposal regarding this area and the possibility of providing it with town water. There would need to be enough people willing to commit to signing up to make it feasible.

Ms. Vivian Fogle questioned the procedure of any council member resigning and then wishing to return on council. Mayor Miller is to get back with her with this information. Ms. Fogle also asked why no council members were present for the swearing in of the new Mayor. She was informed that no council members had been notified of the swearing in. Ms. Fogle stated that there was a large hole on Essie Street. Mayor Miller assured her that the hole would be repaired by the next day.

Motion was made by Councilman Chris Ott and seconded by Councilwoman Benita Gibbs to approve the financial report. Motion was unanimously approved.

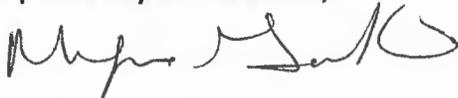
Mayor Miller stated that both Police Department and Water Department were doing well. He also stated that he had been sworn in that day by Judge Richard Murry. Mayor Miller stated that a part of his plan is for everyone to come together as one team and help the town.

Councilman Chris Ott reported there were 3 more weeks left for Youth Sports games on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 6:00PM at Horton Field.

Mayor Miller spoke regarding the water issue in the Cattle Creek Community. Mr Metts, town engineer, stated that he had looked into this situation and that the present water tank is set up of more customers than are currently signed up. Because of this the system needs to be flushed or a chlorine booster installed. Mr. Metts asked council for approval to acquire the needed equipment to continue providing quality water. Councilman Tom Jennings requested that Mr. Metts provide the council a proposal as to the cost for such equipment. Mr. Metts agreed to do this.

Councilwoman Amy Bryant made the motion to adjourn
Councilwoman Benita Gibbs seconded the motion
Motion carried and meeting adjourned

Respectfully Submitted,



Myra Gaskin/ Town Clerk