#### COMMON COUNCIL

February 19, 2018 at 6:30 p.m.

The Pledge of Allegiance was given by everyone in attendance.

Prayer was given by Councilman Peckinpaugh

Meeting was called to order by Mayor York.

### **ROLL CALL:**

Present
Present
Present
Present
Present
Absent
Present

### **ORDER OF BUSINESS:**

 Councilman Walden moved to suspend the reading of the minutes of the last meeting and approve. Vice President Hancock seconded. Motion carried 6-0

Mary	Jeff	Jerry	Aaron	Mark	Lynn	Rex
Abbott	Hancock	Walden	Dicken	Koger	Perdue	Peckinpaugh
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Yes

### **PUBLIC HEARING:**

• No Public Hearing

## **PROCLAMATIONS:**

• No Proclamations

### **RESOLUTIONS:**

No Resolutions

# **ORDINANCES:**

No Ordinances

### **OTHER BUSINESS:**

O Jeff Plasterer – Eastern Indiana Reginal Planning Commission appeared before the Council to inform them of what benefits the City and County would get out of being a member of their group. Discussion was held and it was determined that City Council members would talk to County Council members about them rethinking their vote to not enter into a membership with the EIRPC. City of New Castle cannot join without the County.

### **COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

Council-lady Abbott:

Noted;

- Constituents are complaining about semis using Plum and Walnut Streets instead of the truck route. Police will enforce.
- She traveled out to the Beacon site and was pleasantly surprised that they were out there and working on it

Councilman Hancock:

Noted;

He would like to speak to Chief Schofield after the meeting.

Councilman Walden:

Noted;

No Report

Councilman Dicken:

Noted;

**President Koger:** 

Noted;

No Report

No Report

Councilman Perdue:

Noted;

Absent

Councilman Peckinpaugh: Noted;

- Had ordinances for non-reverting downtown funds downtown already in place been investigated. Attorney Copenhaver stated that the Clerks Treasurers office was working on it.
- Street Complete Ordinance was discussed.
- Kudos to Street Department for all the hard work they have been doing with all the ice we have had.

### **ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS:**

• No Reports

### **CITIZENS APPEARING BEFORE THE COUNCIL:**

- Val McNelis asked that we put no parking signs on the East side of South 11<sup>th</sup> Street. It
  has always been no parking but people have been parking there anyway.
   Superintendent Walker will take care of it.
- Allen Bramlett stated there would be no primary election, as there is no contested races and this will save the City of New Castle a lot of money.
- Jane Cronk League of Women Voters stated they would be having a meeting on Tuesday January 26<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 at the Public Library.

Councilman Peckinpaugh moved to adjourn. Meeting adjourned.

Presiding Officer of the Common Council

ATTEST:

Christy York, Clerk Treasurer

Approved by me this 19th day of February 2019.

Greg York, Mayor

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