# Town of Moreland Minutes August 7, 2023

## 1. CALL TO ORDER / WELCOME VISITORS – David Dupree

### 2. INVOCATION and PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

**3. ROLL CALL. QUORUM: Present-Alderman Jeff Burgess, George Cole, Lisa Washington, James Gipson, Mayor Dick Ford** 

**4. ADOPTION OF AGENDA- Alderman Cole** made a motion to accept the agenda as written. **Alderman Gipson** second, all in favor.

**5.** APPROVE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS and COUNCIL MINUTES –Alderman Cole made a motion to accept the financial statements and minutes as written. Alderman Gipson second, all in favor.

**6.** MAYOR'S REPORT – Mayor Ford stated that the pickle ball court should be completed soon. Wayne Smith from D.W. Smith Design Group looked at Victoria Dr. and thinks about 50 ft. of the road needs to be replaces.

**7. REPORTS AND COMMENTS FROM COUNCIL MEMBERS** – **Alderman Burgess** stated he is working with the county to have the flashing speed limit signs installed on Hwy 29. The electricity should be installed on the poles in the park by this week.

#### 8. NEW BUSINESS

**A. QUALIFYING FOR NOV. 7**<sup>TH</sup> **ELECTION AUG. 21**<sup>ST</sup> – Qualifying for the alderman seats that will be up for election will begin Monday Aug. 21<sup>st</sup> at 8:30 and ends Wednesday Aug. 23<sup>rd</sup> at 4:30.

**B. MILLAGE RATE MEETING AUG. 14<sup>TH</sup> 7:00 PM-** Public meeting to set the millage rate will be Aug. 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm.

**C. UPCOMING EVENTS- Alderwoman Washington** stated the event committee has several events coming up. The town is having a scarecrow decorating contest that residents can enter if they have a 30259 zip code. Moreland will also be hosting a trunk or treat on Oct. 7<sup>th.</sup>

#### 9. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- A. **MILL FLOOR UPDATE-** All Surface Engineering will start on the floors in the mill around Aug. 21<sup>st</sup>.
- B. **PAVILION UPDATE-** Chris Walker is still working on a quote for the repairs.
- C. **PICNIC TABLES-** Brandi Loeper will call KorKat for a price on 4 additional benches and some picnic tables for the park.
- D. **TENNIS COURTS- Alderman Burgess** stated he received a quote from Devore Electrical for \$2427.65 to repair lights and replace with led lights on the courts. **Alderman Cole** made a motion to accept the quote for \$2427.65. **Alderwoman Washington** second, all in favor.

E. **MUNICIPAL COURT- Alderman Cole** motioned to table the municipal court for the time being. **Alderman Gipson** second, all in favor.

#### **10. COMMENTS ON AGENDA ITEMS-**

**11. ADJOURN- Alderman Burgess** made a motion to adjourn. **Alderwoman Washington** second, all in favor.

Submitted by

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