

**MINUTES
SEPTEMBER 25, 2017
MONTEAGLE CITY COUNCIL**

**PRESENT: MAYOR, DAVID SAMPLEY
 JESSICA BLALOCK
 KENNETH GIPSON
 CHRIS LADD
 ANNA ZEMAN**

The regular monthly meeting of the Monteagle City Council was called to order at 6:00 pm by Mayor David Sampley. Following the prayer and the pledge of allegiance a motion was made by Alderman Blalock to approve the minutes of August 28, 2017. Alderman Zeman seconded the motion and it passed 5/0.

POLICE DEPARTMENT – Copy attached. The police officers will be helping with parent weekend. MSSA will be paying the overtime for the officers. One of the new vehicles is finished and on the road.

FIRE DEPARTMENT – Copy Attached. The fire department had a donation from a resident of the MSSA. The Fire Engine is working great. Cummins repaired it and it is working at 90%. They are waiting on a quote for the other truck, but it is usable.

UTILITY – Mr. John Condra presented the council with three quotes for a hammer for the backhoe. They were Swope Equipment \$10,156.50, Diamond equipment \$12,942.00 and Case at \$11,900.00.

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Alderman Ladd made a motion to approve the quote from Swope Equipment for \$ 10,156.50. Alderman Zeman seconded the motion and it passed 5/0. Mr. Condra will go forward with the project on the highway to fix the blow off.

CODES – Copy attached. The letters on the fences were delivered on September 14, 2017.

PARKS & REC.— Alderman Blalock has been working with BYO Playground equipment and has gotten two sets of playground equipment for the price of one. They will be delivering on Wednesday of this week.

NEW BUSINESS

BUSINESS PERMIT – Up in Smoke Café & Gifts. Mr. Roger Morgan was present and his business will be located at 73 College Street. He did agree to several stipulations, all cooking creating grease laden vapors will be done outside eliminating the need for a commercial hood system, food will be served in plastic or paper eliminating the need for washing dishes that require a commercial grease trap, and food cooking and preparation utensils washing will be no more than a standard residential use. Alderman Ladd made a motion to approve this business permit. Alderman Zeman seconded the motion and it passed 5/0.

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CITIZENS HEARING -- NONE

**There being no other business the meeting adjourned at 6:20
pm.**

Respectfully Submitted,

Mayor, David Sampley

City Recorder, Debbie Taylor