

Town of Sellersburg  
Town Council Special Meeting Minutes

**DATE:** MAY 10, 2017

**CALLED TO ORDER:** President Paul J. Rhodes called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. at the Sellersburg Town Hall, 316 E. Utica Street, Sellersburg, Indiana.

**ROLL CALL:** President Paul J. Rhodes, Vice President Brad J. Amos, 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President Martina P. Webster, Council Member James H. LaMaster, Council Member William J. Conlin, Town Council Attorney Jacob C. Elder and Clerk Treasurer Michelle D. Miller.

**PRAYER:** Martina P. Webster

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:** By all present

**MOTION TO AMEND THE AGENDA:**

Motion to amend the agenda to add Taylor Properties tax abatement renewal as item one under new business and flooding issues will be item 2:

Motion: Martina P. Webster      Second: James H. LaMaster      Vote: 5-aye, 0-nay, motion approved.

**MOTION TO ADOPT THE AGENDA AS AMENDED:**

Motion: Martina P. Webster      Second: William J. Conlin      Vote: 5-aye, 0-nay, motion approved.

**ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS:**

***Ordinance 2017-OR-015 An Ordinance Amending Hourly Pay for the Executive Secretary of the Town of Sellersburg, Indiana for Calendar Year 2017, retroactive to May 1, 2017 in the amount of \$18.50 per hour:***

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Motion: James H. LaMaster      Second: William J. Conlin      Vote: 5-aye, 0-nay, motion approved.

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Motion: Martina P. Webster      Second: James H. LaMaster      Vote: 5-aye, 0-nay, motion approved.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

Tax Abatement for Taylor Properties:

Motion: James H. LaMaster      Second: William J. Conlin      Vote: 5-aye, 0-nay, motion approved.

Public Works Director Kenneth J. Alexander gives his presentation on four options regarding flooding issues in Lakeside.

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Motion to approve paving Brandon Circle easement connecting to North Forrest Drive:

Motion: Martina P. Webster    Second: William J. Conlin

Motion to amend previous motion to add an emergency gate by William J. Conlin, seconded by Martina P. Webster.

Martina P. Webster withdraws her motion to approve paving Brandon Circle easement until further research can be done.

**COMMENTS FROM COUNCIL MEMBERSHIP:**

William J. Conlin thanks everyone for coming.

Brad J. Amos gives updates on the pool.

**COMMENTS FROM THE CLERK TREASURER:**

Clerk Treasurer Michelle D. Miller states, for the record, that the agenda for this meeting was not posted at the entrance.

**ADJOURN:**

Motion: Martina P. Webster    Second: Brad J. Amos    Vote: 5-aye, 0-nay, motion approved and meeting adjourned at 8:33 p.m.

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Paul J. Rhodes, President

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James H. LaMaster, Council Member

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Brad J. Amos, Vice President

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William J. Conlin, Council Member

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Martina P. Webster, 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President

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Attest: Michelle D. Miller, Clerk Treasurer

Attachment: Public Comment List

# PUBLIC COMMENTS ON AGENDA ITEMS

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NAME	ADDRESS	TOPIC
DON CONYER		Flooding
Theresa Muel		Flooding
Kirby Thacker		Flooding
Donna Hatcher		Flooding
Beverly Starnell		Flooding
Harold Mears		Flooding
Madison Mears		Flooding
Carole Mears		Flooding
Elea Heacock		Flooding
Roy Woods		Flooding
Jim Merkle		Flooding
Jaxen Strickel		Flooding
Lori Sherron		Flooding
Danielle Dilger		Flooding
Mr. Cyron		Flooding
Belinda Dumas		Flooding
Ben McKen		Flooding
Matthew Teno		Flooding

Jane Adams

Flooding

Ang Meyer

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Floyd Gibbs

Flooding

Alan Ashley Cain

Flooding

Farran Alexander

Melissa Taylor

Flooding

Nancy Snyder

Flooding

Marice Atkins

Flooding

Willie Reker

~~Mark~~ MAsin RJ

Flooding

Jeff Grub, 4219 Silvestra

Flooding

Don's Jack Steamer

Chris Belama

Flooding

Beverly Stowell

Flooding

~~John~~ ~~Wright~~

Bruce Messers

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