

MINUTES FOR THE TOWN OF SWEPSONVILLE
TOWN COUNCIL MEETING OF JULY 20TH, 2010.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Raymond Herring.

Mayor Raymond Herring, Mayor Pro Tem Hugh Doss, Elvin Briggs, Darrell Newton were all present for the meeting. Doug Scott was absent.

The minutes for the meeting June 15th, 2010 were reviewed. Hugh Doss made a motion to accept the minutes as written. Darrell Newton seconded the motion. The minutes for the meeting June 15th, 2010 were unanimously approved.

Bobby Massey, Towns' CPA 2009-2010 Proposed Contract to audit the accounts of the Town of Swepsonville for the 2009-2010 fiscal year in the amount of \$9,260.00. Hugh Doss made a motion to accept the Proposed Contract in the amount of \$9,260.00. Elvin Briggs seconded the motion. The Contract was passed unanimously.

Doug Scott, Towns' Finance Officer will address the Town Council at the August Town Meeting with Written Procedures for Investing public funds.

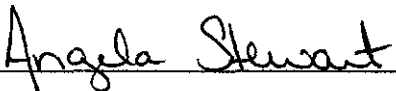
There was no new information on the Virginia Mills Property.

Mrs. Andrea Brown that lives at 2941 Woodside Ave. raised the issue of what she calls over grown vegetation grass on Woodside Ave., the property of Raymond & Sandra Herring. The area in question is approximately 30 ft wide and 300 ft long and is in DOT right of way. She complained that the house owners of Woodside Subdivision had been mowing the strip of grass for a number of years, and they would no longer do so. Mr. Herring explained to Mrs. Brown and Town Council that he had met with Mr. Billy Teague a DOT official on 7-7-10. Mr. Teague stated, "It is the responsibility of the DOT to mow its right of way and keep the intersection sight line clear." Mr. Teague also stated, "That he would contact the DOT Contract Mowing Crew Supervisor and have this grass strip mowed and maintained in the future. Mr. Doss a Council Member told Mrs. Brown that Mr. Herring maintains his property and other property in the Town. Mr. Newton a Council Member stated, "That the property didn't look that bad to him."

Mrs. Andrea Brown questioned the Town Council as to why the Towns' employee (Mayor) takes the Towns' truck home at the end of the work day. Elvin Briggs a Council Member replied, "We have only one truck and the Towns' employee could be called back to work at any time of the night."

Mrs. Andrea Brown questioned the Town Council as to why the Mayor's wife and dog (Buddy) would be riding in the Towns' truck. She stated, "That she didn't think that should be aloud." The Mayor explained, "Since my wife (Sandra) became ill in March-2010. She doesn't like to be left alone and she would ask if she could ride to the bank with me to make the Towns' bank deposit. Also at other times in the late evenings when I do my ride about through the Town looking at work projects, she would want to go also." The Mayor asked the Council Members if they objected to Sandra riding in the Towns' truck. (She doesn't drive the truck) Newton- no objection, Doss- no objection, and Briggs- no objection.

Darrell Newton made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Hugh Doss seconded the motion. The meeting was unanimously adjourned.



Town of Swepsonville Minutes recorded July 23rd, 2010 by Angela Stewart, Town Clerk.