

**SHARPTOWN REGULAR MEETING  
MINUTES  
September 4, 2018**

President Gosnell called the meeting to order at 7:30p.m. In attendance were Commissioners Bennett, and Schneider, Secretary Adkins, Superintendent White, Attorney Roscoe Leslie, Circuit Rider Joe Mangini, Aaron Goller from Davis, Bowen, and Friedel, Sharptown Historical Commission Chairperson Teresa Herring, as well as several residents and audience members. Commissioners Bradley and Henry were absent.

Commissioner Bennett made a motion to approve the minutes from the August 20th regular meeting. A second was made by Commissioner Schneider. All were in favor and chair voted aye, so carried.

Commissioner Schneider made a motion to pay the bills as stated on page 4, which was seconded by Commissioner Bennett. All were in favor and chair voted aye, so carried.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

President Gosnell asked Mr. Goller for an update on Pecan Corner. He stated a letter was sent to both Oxford Chase Development (Dollar General) and The Farmers Bank of Willards with a list of the items which still need to be completed. President Gosnell stated no building permits or occupancy certificates will be issued until these items are resolved.

Circuit Rider Mangini reported on the items he is working on for Sharptown. There has not been an update on if the town has received the grant to purchase the Nanticoke Street property.

President Gosnell stated the MERC barge has finished its testing and has left. Superintendent White stated they donated several items to the town.

President Gosnell stated he and Superintendent White will begin to look for a new truck to purchase in the coming weeks.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

President Gosnell and Superintendent White stated they received numerous complaints about people parking vehicles on the streets. Superintendent White suggested the Commissioners look at the requirements for parking and consider updating them and also how to enforce them. The Commissioners agreed.

President Gosnell stated the next ESAM meeting is October 9<sup>th</sup> in Salisbury and to RSVP by September 17<sup>th</sup>.

President Gosnell stated the next LESMA meeting is September 20<sup>th</sup> in Crisfield and to RSVP by September 14<sup>th</sup>.

President Gosnell introduced Jeff Merritt from Operation We Care and CH Brittingham from Long and Foster. Mr. Merritt stated 10 months ago he was contacted by Long and Foster with the

opportunity to build a house for a veteran. They have purchased a lot on State Street for this purpose and selected a family to donate the home to. The materials are being donated and fundraisers are being held. Mr. Brittingham stated they would like to ask the Commissioners to consider waiving or reducing the impact and tap fees for the project. Bruce Parry, Commander of the American Legion stated they support the project and hope the town will waive the fees. Jennifer Wheatley from Heroes Haven stated they also support and have donated to the project. President Gosnell stated he would like to table the discussion until there is a full quorum to make the decision.

President Gosnell asked for Commissioners comments. Commissioner Bennett stated the Historical Commission getting ready for Heritage Day. Ms. Herring stated it would be a full day with yard sales, a parade, kids games, food, vendors, and the Heroes Haven Duck Race.

Commissioner Schneider stated the Parks and Recreation U8 soccer will begin this week.

Superintendent White stated the donated shad barge was brought into the Town Hall for display. President Gosnell stated many thanks go out to William White, Roland Quenneville, Luke Donaway, Les Lowe, Jimmy Goslee, Shawn Baker, and Barry Mullins for helping get it inside the building.

President Gosnell asked for public comments. There were none.

Commissioner Schneider made a motion to adjourn, which was seconded by Commissioner Bennett. All were in favor and chair voted aye, so carried.

President Gosnell adjourned the meeting at 8:08pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Sheila Adkins  
Commission Secretary