

CITY OF PEWEE VALLEY  
MINUTES OF THE CITY COUNCIL  
Monday, October 2, 2017

The regular meeting of the City Council of Pewee Valley, Kentucky was held on Monday, October 2, 2017. In attendance were Mayor Bob Rogers, Council Members Michele Pisano, Bethany Major, Norman Schippert, Paige Bjorn, Rex Florence and Henry Walser. City Attorney John Singler and City Clerk Laura Eichenberger were also present.

Mayor Rogers called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. and led in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

A motion was made by Henry Walser to approve the September 6, 2017 Minutes of the City Council Meeting as written. Paige Bjorn seconded the motion and all Council Members voted in favor.

**Financial Report**

2017 Property Taxes are being collected. The 10% discount deadline is October 31<sup>st</sup>. We are now prepping for the annual audit.

**Open Comments**

Leslie Lamp, Edgewood Manor, on behalf of the Pewee Valley Woman's Club invited everyone to attend the annual Arts & Crafts Day in Pewee Valley, October 28<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 am to 5 pm, at the St. James Episcopal Church, Pewee Valley Presbyterian Church, and the Pewee Valley Woman's Club.

Brad Devries, 111 Old Forest, asked the Council to consider installing speed humps on Old Forest, and reducing the speed limit to 15 mph. Mayor Rogers responded that Chief Larimore and a traffic engineer have met about where to locate three to four speed humps on Old Forest. The timetable for asphaltting and installing speed humps is up to the County, as we piggyback on their asphalt contract.

**Police Report**

Things are good right now. The burn ban has been lifted; but, it is extremely dry. Please be careful when burning and consider how it may affect your neighbors. Walkers please stay to the side of the road. Remember to fill out a Housewatch Form if you are going out of town.

Total Police activity for the month of September:

Traffic

Traffic Stops.....213  
Traffic Charges .....49  
Courtesy Notice .....202  
Motorist Assist .....2  
Accidents.....8

Criminal and Miscellaneous

Complaints .....20  
Criminal Investigations .....5  
Code Enforcement .....10  
School Patrol.....3

**Announcements**

- The City’s Stormwater (Water Quality) Permit program was audited by the Kentucky Division of Water. The City is in compliance.
- Mayor Rogers introduced Denise Haney. Denise is working with Laura Eichenberger as a Clerk in training, while Laura is looking for a full-time position. Denise has lived in Pewee Valley seven years. She teaches classes at the YMCA and she and her son play hockey.

**Acknowledgement of 40 Years of Service**

Mayor Rogers presented an Award for 40 Years of Service to the City to Vivien Reinhardt. Vivien has served the City on committees and as Mayor since the late 1970s. We are very grateful for her dedication.

**Council Member Reports**

Waste Management/Recycling—Paige Bjorn – No report

Public Safety—Michele Pisano

Regarding the open burning, one item people may want to look into is a burn cage. It makes burning significantly safer, more efficient, and comes in a multitude of sizes.

Insurance/Stormwater—Rex Florence – No report

Communication/Website/Alcoholic Beverage Control Administration—Henry Walser  
-- No report

Sidewalks—Norman Schippert

The deed research is in process for the sidewalks on Ash Avenue as there is no clear right-of-way.

Festivities/Town Hall/Park/Historical Society—Bethany Major

Bethany Major thanked Laura Eichenberger, Cindy Trujillo, Glenn Rowland, and Mayor Rogers for setting up the September 30<sup>th</sup> Movie Night in the Park. We had the largest crowd ever.

Next is the Concert in the Park, featuring Jenny and the Jets, Saturday, October 14<sup>th</sup>, at 3 pm.

The Arts and Crafts Day in Pewee Valley and the CASA Superhero 5K Run are Saturday, October 28<sup>th</sup>.

The Pewee Valley Historical Society met on October 18<sup>th</sup>. One more Council Member is needed on the Sesquicentennial Committee. Donna Russell has done an amazing job on the website, and there are new updates: [www.peweevalleyhistory.org](http://www.peweevalleyhistory.org).

The Historical Society was approached by Roger Hack to move the Confederate Home sign from the Cemetery back to the original walkway (located on his property) to the Home.

Waste Management/Recycling—Paige Bjorn – No report

Roads and Drainage/Environmental Board—Bob Rogers

The Environmental Board has marked additional trees along Highway 146 to take down. Fifteen trees will be planted this Fall.

Appointment to the Board of Adjustments and Appeals

Rex Florence motioned to appoint Carol Goodrich to the Pewee Valley Board of Adjustment and Appeals, replacing Vivien Reinhardt. Henry Walser seconded the motion and all Council Members voted in favor.

Speed Humps

Residents have requested speed humps on Old Floydsburg Road. There are numerous accidents at the corner of Ash Avenue and Old Floydsburg. Mayor Rogers stated we will ask for responses from residents in the Call of the Pewee.

Special Event/Temporary Sign Permit: Pewee Valley Presbyterian Church Fish Fry, Friday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4:30 pm to 7:30 pm.

Henry Walser motioned to approve the Permit and Michele Pisano seconded. All Council Members voted in favor.

Special Event/Temporary Sign Permit: CASA Superhero 5K Run. The original application approved by the Council showed the location of the Run to begin at Town Hall. It has since been moved to the vacant bank building at 307 LaGrange Road (Highway 146). A banner will be hung there and directional signs used for the walkers and runners along the route.

Henry Walser motioned to approve the revised Permit and Norman Schippert seconded. All Council Members voted in favor.

### **Open Comments**

Michael Logsdon, Dogwood Lane, expressed he is pleased with the events in the Park and thankful to have Central Park to visit.

A motion was made by Henry Walser to pay the bills, seconded by Rex Florence. All Council Members voted in favor.

Henry Walser motioned to adjourn the October 2, 2017 Meeting of the City Council, seconded by Paige Bjorn, with all Council Members present voting in favor. The meeting was adjourned at 7:25 pm.

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Bob Rogers, Mayor

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Laura Eichenberger, City Clerk