

**MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING  
COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HOBART  
LAKE COUNTY, INDIANA  
FEBRUARY 6, 2019**

**Call to Order:** Mayor Snedecor called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. followed by the Pledge of Allegiance, and moment of silence.

**Roll Call:** The following members were present: Mr. Herzog, Mr. Huddlestone, Mr. Maggio, Mr. Vinzant, Mr. Brezik, Mr. Claussen and Mr. Waldrop. Also present: Mayor Snedecor and Clerk-Treasurer Longer.

**Reading of the Minutes:** Motion by Mr. Brezik, seconded by Mr. Herzog, to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of January 16, 2019 as presented. All aye, motion carried. (7-0)

**Proclamation:** Mayor Snedecor read and proclaimed February 18-22, 2019 Tri Kappa Week. Kathy Frank of Tri Kappa was present and accepted the proclamation.

Mayor Snedecor said that Bob Crossk, a former Hobart Councilman and Lake County Councilman passed away earlier this week.

**Presentation:** Denarie Kane introduced Rachelle Baker, Graduation Pathway Coordinator, River Forest High School, also present, Dr. Buffington and Tim Krieg from the School City of Hobart. Ms. Baker, and Mr. Krieg, explained the new guidelines and requirements for graduation, which are now in place for current 8<sup>th</sup> graders who are in the graduating class of 2023.

**Correspondence:**

**Cancellation of Warrants- Outstanding Checks greater than two years old:** Ms. Longer presented the report to the Council and will cancel the checks and deposit the funds back into the appropriate accounts.

Mrs. Longer said that the 2018 Annual Report has been put into the Council drop box for review. This report will be sent to the newspapers for publication as required and submitted to the State Board of Accounts at the end of the week.

**Committee Reports:** There were no committee reports.

**Department Reports:**

Mr. Dubach said that the Public Works Department got through the Polar Vortex and our salt situation is good. They cancelled garbage pick up 2 days last week and are making up for it this week with extra pick-ups. Mayor Snedecor mentioned that with the new garage facility, the department was able to house 24 plow trucks inside so they were able to keep them running and not have the diesel fuel gel up.

Mr. Maggio complimented the Fire Department for their social media activity, which offered great safety tips and humor during the freeze.

Mrs. Shallenkamp mentioned that the next event at the Maria Riener Senior Center will be a St. Patrick's Day Party, on March 15, 2019 from 2-5 p.m.

Mrs. Lopez said that Country Jam will take place at Brickie Bowl on June 1, 2019. She is working with Flight Level Entertainment and ticket sales are going better than expected. The City will be responsible for the Beer Garden and Public Safety, with a high police and fire department presence. If this concert is

a success, hopefully, it will be an annual event bringing national recording artists right here to downtown Hobart.

**Approval of Agenda:** Motion by Mr. Vinzant, seconded by Mr. Herzog, to approve the agenda as presented. All aye, motion carried. (7-0)

**Unfinished Business:**

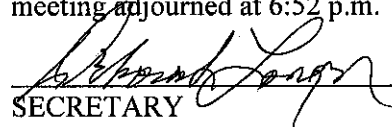
**Tabled: Ordinance 2018: (2<sup>nd</sup> reading): An Ordinance of the City of Hobart, Indiana Providing that the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Hobart, Lake County, Indiana be Amended by Changing an Established R-3 Zone to PUD M-1 Zone Classification: 800' East from the NE corner of 69<sup>th</sup> Ave. & Mississippi St., 16.5 acres +/-, Paul Thurston, Indiana Becknell Investors LLC:** This item will remain on the table.

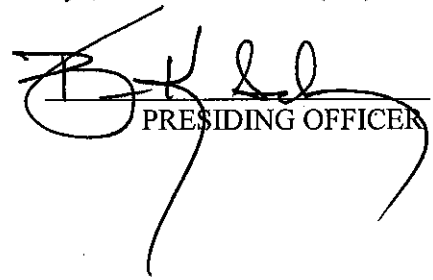
**New Business:** There was no new business.

**Announcements:** Rob Zimmerman, Co-Chair for the Kiwanis Chili Supper, thanked all who placed an ad and came out for the supper, it was a huge success. Mr. Zimmerman also asked Chief Zormier to thank the officer at Liberty Elementary for following the school buses and making sure drivers do not pass when the buses are stopped.

Mr. Snedecor asked if there was anyone who wished to come before the Council and there was no response.

**Adjournment:** Motion by Mr. Claussen, to adjourn the meeting. All aye, motion carried. (7-0) The meeting adjourned at 6:52 p.m.

  
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PRESIDING OFFICER