TOWN OF BENTONIA

MONTHLY BOARD MEETING

JUNE 6, 2023

The regular meeting of the mayor and alderman Town of Bentonia was called to order by mayor Clint Lancaster. The following members were present: Steve Pigg, Colby Parks, Robert Demus and Kim Martin. Absent: Greg Shaffer

Paul Johnson of the volunteer fire department addressed the mayor and board of alderman concerning the volunteer fire department and it's need for a pump truck. The city of Magee is getting rid of a 1997 fully equipped Pierce International fire truck that could serve as a pump truck. They are asking \$65,000 for it and the volunteer fire department requests the town to consider purchasing. Tabled pending more information on inspections and its ability to pass.

Deanna Pellison addressed the mayor and board of alderman requesting permission to move a mobile home on her lot on Rosenberg. The mayor stated that we have an ordinance and requested that she get all the information needed for review.

The mayor gave a brief overview of what is available for police vehicles. 2023 Ford Explorer interceptor is running \$42,945 without any accessories. Tabled pending more information.

The board of alderman made recommendation on who should receive clean up letter. The mayor stated he would get them sent out. Motion was made by Colby Parks and seconded by Kim Martin; motion passed with all in favor.

The mayor gave an over view of water repairs needed on Old Yazoo water valve.

The board of alderman wants the police department to start running radar. Chief Kirkland stated that radar could only be used inside the city limits. Motion to purchase was made by Kim Martin, seconded by Steve Pigg, motion passed with all in favor.

The mayor asked for any other business to come before the board. Motion to adjourn was made by Kim Martin and seconded by Robert Demus, Motion passed with all in favor.

Kim Tyer, Clerk	Clint Lancaster, Mayor