TOWN OF BENTONIA MONTHLY BOARD MEETING October 8, 2024

The regular meeting of the mayor and alderman for the Town of Bentonia was called to order at 6:00 pm by mayor Clint Lancaster. The following members were present: Steve Pigg, Robert Demus, & Colby Parks. Absent were Greg Shaffer & Kim Martin.

Motion to accept the minutes and bills was made by Colby Parks, seconded by Steve Pigg. Motion passed with all in favor.

Motion was made to open executive session by Colby Parks, seconded by Robert Demus. Motion passed with all in favor.

After executive session closed motion was made by Colby Parks to hire Cassidy Gillespie as Assistant Water Clerk at the rate of \$15.50 per hour for two days a week. Motion to accept was made by Colby Parks, seconded by Steve Pigg. Motion passed with all in favor.

Motion to pass Article 10 (Municipal Ordinance of open containers containing alcoholic beverages) was made by Colby Parks, seconded by Steve Pigg. Motion passed with all in favor.

Logan Gillespie addressed the town about a permit to sell storage buildings. Motion to accept was made by Colby Parks, seconded by Steve Pigg. Motion passed with all in favor.

Discussion was made about internet fiber options, bridge repair, and the county possibly offering free demolition services for the town for the removal of unsafe buildings.

Motion to adjourn was made by Colby Parks, seconded by Steve Pigg. Motion passed with all in favor.

Amy Emfing

Clerk

Clint Lancaster

Mayor