NORTH SALEM TOWN COUNCIL MEETING OCTOBER 5, 2023

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER:

The October 5, 2023, Council Meeting was called to order by Council Vice President Jimmy Roberts at 6:00 pm. He led with the Pledge of Allegiance followed by a prayer from Bill.

2. ROLL CALL:

Becky Fancher, President – Absent Jimmy Roberts, Vice President – Present Bill Compton, Member – Present

Fallian Stangt

3. PUBLIC HEARING – 2024 BUDGET ADOPTION – Bill made a motion to adopt; Jimmy seconded; motion passed.

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5. MINUTES:

Bill made a motion to approve the August minutes as written; Jimmy seconded; motion passed.

6. OLD ITEMS:

a. Property on Railroad Street – Beth let Council know that she has spoken with the bank and will keep them updated.

7. NEW ITEMS:

a. Halloween – it was decided that trick or treat will take place October 31st from 6 – 8 pm. We will post on social media and on the door.

8. REPORTS:

- a. Mark/Kevin/Kyle They have been busy marking the many locates for Comcast Xfinity. The crew installing the lines has hit a couple of gas lines as well as a water line that we did not know existed.. Mark spoke about the bridge going east out of town just past the Eel River apartments. INDOT will be doing work there at some point and wanted us to move our water main. Mark told them we would not be moving our water main; they contacted him this week and said that the state will cover expenses on this project and move the water main if necessary. They just need our permission. The Board gave the okay. Mark will contact them and have them send information to Beth.
- b. NSPD Chief Shaffer presented the Council with a detailed report. (See attached). Corey has picked up the new police vehicle. Now it needs to get all of the lights and electronics installed and this will be paid for by the North Salem State Bank!
- c. Council None
- d. Harold None
- e. Beth let Council know that the office will be closed on Monday, October 9th for Columbus Day as well as Tuesday, October 10th, for a meeting in Plainfield.

9. PUBLIC

a. None

10. ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:21 pm. The next Council Meeting will be November 2, 2023, at 6:00 pm.

Attest:

Beth Russell (Clerk-Treasurer