

Middlesex Governing Body Meeting Minutes
August 08, 2022

Mayor Lewis called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. and gave the invocation. Members present were Commissioners Danny Alford, J.W. McClenny, Ann Lewis, Cherrye Davis and Harold Meacombs. Police Chief Mike Collins and public works supervisor James Liles was not present. Representative Lindell Kay from ***The Spring Hope Enterprise was not present.*** There were no guest at this meeting.

The July meeting minutes were approved unanimously as presented in a motion by Commissioner Lewis and seconded by Commissioner Alford.

The meeting agenda was unanimously approved as presented in a motion by Commissioner Meacombs and seconded by Commissioner Davis.

Gloria Vinson, The Town Clerk, reviewed the July financials, which were unanimously approved as presented in a motion by Commissioner Lewis and seconded by Commissioner McClenny.

Mayor Lewis issued 3 new out of town house permits for the month of July and 1 miscellaneous permit. He also stated that National Night Out was a success again with over 1000 people attending despite the heat.

In old business, the town was awarded both AIA grant funds of 150K for sewer and 150K for water. In the second round, the town was awarded 1.68 million in grant monies for booster pump and the replacement of water lines & water valves.

In new business, Mayor Lewis has also applied for another grant/loan for the town and a public hearing will be held on August 17th at 10:00am to discuss the new USDA grant/loan to be used for a new police car, police car radios, a new public works truck and a backhoe. If monies come thru and are available Monica Thornton with USDA will be here to present the grant/loan in person to go over the specifics of the grant/loan. If not we will get funds in September.

Staff recommended that the town's credit card limit be raised from \$5000 to \$10,000. Commissioner Alford made the motion to raise the town's credit card limit from \$5,000 to \$10,000 and Commissioner Lewis seconded it and was unanimously approved.

There was no public comment at this meeting.

With no further business, Commissioner Lewis moved to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner McClenny seconded and the vote was unanimous.

Gloria Vinson, Town Clerk/Finance Officer

Mayor
Luther H. Lewis, Jr.
Commissioners
J.W. McClenny
Ann Lewis
Cherrye Davis
Danny Alford
Harold Meacombs

