

MORRISTOWN TOWN COUNCIL  
MINUTES  
May 28, 2025  
**FIRE STATION TRAINING ROOM**

President David Benefiel called the meeting to order, present were Kristi Langkabel, Larry Tracy, Ralph Henderson, and Tammy Davis. Also present was the Town Attorney and Clerk-Treasurer.

Minutes of May 14, 2025, meeting presented, and Council Member Tammy Davis made a motion to approve minutes as presented. Council Member Larry Tracy seconded the motion. Motion approved. Vote 4/0

Claims presented were approved on a motion by Council Member Ralph Henderson and second by Council Member Larry Tracy. Motion approved. Vote 5/0

**OLD BUSINESS**

Craney Building Update- Notice posted in the newspaper.

**NEW BUSINESS**

Tree fell on the town owned fence at 497 S Locust St. Clerk Treasurer will provide contact information to Attorney Briane House to send notification.

**CLERK-TREASURER**

Nothing to update.

**LEGAL**

Attorney Briane House will provide a Tree Ordinance at the next Town Council meeting.

**STREET, WATER & WASTEWATER**

Discussion about possibly hiring a part-time employee for the season. No decision made.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT**

Nothing to update.

**FIRE DEPARTMENT**

Nothing to update.

**MISCELLANEOUS**

Terry Knudson presented pictures of a tree that was on Alley North 1 affecting his property at 120 S Jackson Street. Knudson paid a company to cut and remove the tree for \$2,800. He is requesting reimbursement of the cost due to the dangerous of the tree and his understanding it was on Town property.

Council Member Ralph Henderson made a motion to pay the \$2,800, this time. For future no trees will be cut down on town property without consent. Council Member Kristi Langkabel seconded the motion. Motion carried. Vote 5/0

Knudson also presented pictures of the sidewalk at 120 S Jackson Street. Kristi Langkabel made a motion to replace the sidewalk with the lowest quote provided. Council Member Ralph Henderson seconded the motion. Motion carried. Vote 5/0

#### **ADJOURN**

Council Member Larry Tracy made a motion to adjourn. Council Member Kristi Langkabel seconded the motion. Motion approved. Vote 5/0

David Benefiel, President

Morgan Stratton- Clerk Treasurer  
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