

MORRISTOWN TOWN COUNCIL
MINUTES
November 12, 2025
FIRE STATION TRAINING ROOM

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

Minutes of the October 22nd, 2025, presented and Council Member Kristi Langkabel made a motion to approve. Council Member Larry Tracy seconded the motion. Motion carried. 4/0

Claims presented were approved with a motion from Council Member Larry Tracy and seconded by Council Member Kristi Langkabel. Motion carried. Vote 5/0

OLD BUSINESS

The old VacTruck needs a starter replaced- Town Council agreed to fix the starter and to list the truck for sale with a starting bid price of \$10,000.

SewerJet to be listed as is for \$2,500.

November 5th at the Plan Commission to present annexation to the Town Council for approval for Shelbyville Christian Fellowship- no utility provided at the address. Council Member Larry Tracy made a motion to approve the annexation and Council Member Ralph Henderson seconded the motion. Motion carried. Vote 5/0

Amy Carpenter presented insurance options to the Town Council for consideration. Before proceeding with ideas, Carpenter will meet with town employees to discuss ICHRA concerns.

NEW BUSINESS

Tree at 334 E Johnson Street on Town property was removed—rotted. Asking for reimbursement to Mr. Bill Goble. Council Member Larry Tracy made a motion to pay for the removal in the amount of \$1,000, and Council Member Ralph Henderson seconded the motion. Motion carried. Vote 5/0

CLERK-TREASURER

Clerk-Treasurer asked the Town Council for consideration of a Performance Award. Council Member Larry Tracy made a motion of \$1,000 and Council Member Ralph Henderson seconded the motion. Motion carried. Vote 5/0

LEGAL

Landlord Rental Cap Ordinance Memorandum distributed.

Legal Memorandum for Liability Issues/Mitigation for MYF League 8 Man Team distributed.

2026 Redevelopment Spending Plan presented to Town Council President.

STREET, WATER & WASTEWATER

Generator for Town Hall 418 W Main St quotes were opened and discussed. Council Member Larry Tracy made a motion to proceed with the quote from JR Wortman for \$24,948. Council Member Tammy Davis seconded the motion. Motion carried. Vote 4/0

POLICE DEPARTMENT

The following purchases for the police department were approved by the Town Council

Battery for Body Cam X 3-- \$100

Waymire \$600 light bard for 2021 Tahoe

Armor & Helmets (Police and Fire Department)

\$2,448 per set X 4 (Fire)

\$1,930 per set X 2 (Police)

Council Member Ralph Henderson made a motion to approve, and Council Member Larry Tracy seconded the motion. Motion carried. Vote 5/0

Police One Academy Training to be renewed for the year 2026.

Approval for purchase a refrigerator and lock for evidence.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Charlie Thompson is to be reimbursed for Fire 1 & 2- \$1,200 and EMT- \$950.

Park

Nothing to update.

MISCELLANEOUS

Council Member Ralph Henderson made a motion to donate \$1,000 to Gleaner's to help purchase turkeys. Council Member Rammy Davis seconded the motion. Motion carried. Vote 5/0

The Town Council meeting for November 26th has been cancelled.

The Town Council has agreed to hold one meeting in the month of December. The meeting will be held on December 17th, 2025, at 7PM.

ADJOURN

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

David Benefiel, President

Morgan Stratton- Clerk Treasurer

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