

COUNCIL MEETING
REGULAR SESSION
February 20, 2018 6:30 PM

ATTENDANCE

COUNCIL MEMBERS:	Darrel Thomas, President Keith Berry, Vice President Jill Bridgewater David Fuhrman Phillip Gick Larry Parker
ATTORNEY:	Trudy Selvia
AUDITOR:	Lorie Hallett
AUDIENCE:	7 individuals

The Putnam County Council met in regular session on February 20, 2018 at 6:30 PM at the Putnam County Courthouse. Darrel Thomas opened the meeting and the pledge to the flag was given.

AUDITOR’S OFFICE

Lorie Hallett, Auditor requested approval to adjust salaries due to an employee leaving the office. Lorie told the council that in order to make the changes to the salaries she would need an additional in the amount of \$2,581.00 from the Auditor’s Ineligible Homestead Fund and that it would not be able to be sustained after 2018.

Larry Parker made a motion to approve the salary adjustments as requested and Phil Gick seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Auditor’s Additional 1216-10113-002 \$2581.00 was approved on a motion made by Phil Gick and seconded by Dave Fuhrman. The motion carried.

GREENCASTLE PUTNAM COUNTY LIBRARY BOARD APPOINTMENT

David Fuhrman made a motion to appoint Kayla Birt Flegal and Keith Berry seconded the motion. The motion carried.

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE COMMISSION BOARD APPOINTMENT

David Fuhrman made a motion to appoint Jayne Bray to the Alcoholic Beverage Commission and Jill Bridgewater seconded the motion.

PLANNING AND ZONING

Don Hatfield, Director of Planning and Zoning gave the Council an update on the business being done in the department.

Don also explained to the Council that the current Administrative Assistant will be going on maternity leave soon and the office will not be covered while he is out completing inspections. Along with the office being shorthanded, the County has assumed the responsibility to complete issuing permits and doing the inspections.

Rick Woodall, Commissioner also spoke on behalf of the Planning and Zoning Department as for the need for a temporary part-time position that will not work more than an average of 29 hours per week.

A discussion was held as to where the wages could be paid from, it was suggested that there should be enough money in the Building fund as long as the receipts continue as they have been.

Larry Parker made a motion to approve the request for a temporary part-time employee and Keith Berry seconded the motion. The motion carried.

MINUTES

Minutes from 1-16-2018 were approved with corrections to Phillip Gick’s name having 2 L’s. Larry Parker seconded the motion. The motion carried.

ADJOURN

Phil Gick made a motion to adjourn. Dave Fuhrman seconded. The motion carried.

Darrel Thomas, President

David Fuhrman

Keith Berry, Vice President

Phillip Gick

Jill Bridgewater

Larry Parker

Gene Beck

Attest: Auditor