

**TOWN of SURGOINSVILLE
BOARD of MAYOR AND ALDERMEN**

**Special BMA Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, June 24th, 2025, @ 5:30pm**

The BMA session of the Surgoinsville Board of Mayor and Aldermen was held June 24th, 2025, at 5:35p.m. in the Surgoinsville City Hall after public notice was published on *Town of Surgoinsville – City Hall* Facebook Page and posted at City Hall, Surgoinsville Utility District, Post Office, & Surgoinsville Public Library on June 13th, 2025.

INVOCATION

ROLL CALL

Mayor Graham requested a roll call for the record of attendance as follows:

Present

Mayor Graham
Vice-Mayor Jarnagin

Alderman Bishop
Alderman Hoss

Absent

Alderman Collier
Alderman Mierek
Alderman Sandidge

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MINUTES

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

FINANCIAL DOCUMENTS

VISITORS

OLD BUSINESS

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

- Consider the second & final reading of Ordinance 186-2025 which is an ordinance to amend the Surgoinsville Municipal Code, Title 1; to establish participation in meetings by electronic means. A motion was made by Alderman Hoss. The motion was seconded by Alderman Bishop. A roll call vote was obtained and was unanimous in favor of approving.

- Consider the second & final reading of Ordinance 187-2025 which is an ordinance adjusting sewer rates. A motion was made by Alderman Bishop. The motion was seconded by Alderman Hoss. A roll call vote was obtained and was unanimous in favor of approving.
- Discuss any concerns with the FY2025 and FY2026 Budgets
 - Alderman Bishop made a motion to increase Megan Gentry's, Recorder, pay by \$3.50 per hour for obtaining CMFO Certification. The motion was seconded by Vice-Mayor Jarnagin. A roll call vote was obtained and was in favor of approving.
 - Alderman Bishop made a motion that Megan Gentry's hourly pay increase of \$3.50 per hour be retroactive to March 1st, 2025. The motion was seconded by Alderman Hoss. A roll call vote was obtained and was in favor approving.
 - Megan Gentry, Recorder, informed the Board that a payment in the amount \$25,000 was received from the Hawkins County School Board for the flowmeter that was installed between the Surgoinsville Elementary & Surgoinsville Middle Schools by The Lane Group in 2023. This money has been deposited into the Sewer Checking account.
 - Megan Gentry, Recorder, informed the Board that the Sewer Fund currently owes the General Fund approximately \$40,000.

COMMUNITY INTEREST ITEMS

COUNCIL REQUESTS

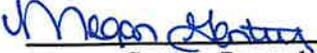
OTHER BUSINESS

ADJOURNMENT

The BMA Meeting was dismissed at 5:50 pm.


Merrell Graham, Mayor

ATTEST:


Megan Gentry, Recorder