# **TOWN OF GATEWAY**

## Town Council Meeting January 14, 2025

### MEMBERS PRESENT:

Cheryl Tillman-Mayor Sherry Robinette-Recorder/Treasurer Don Deckard-Councilmember #1 Steve Guck- Councilmember #2 Sharon Barnett-Councilmember#3 Justin Bull- Councilmember #4 Danny Rothfus -Councilmember #5

Timmy Evans- Parks/Street

### **GUESTS:**

James Winberry Lonnie Barnett

The Gateway City Council meeting called to order.

Pledge of Allegiance

Prayer

#### **Minutes:**

Council reviewed December Minutes. Don made the motion to accept the minutes. Steve 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion.

### Financial:

Council reviewed the December Financial Report. Don made the motion to accept the report. Justin  $2^{nd}$  the motion.

### **Old Business:**

#### Park:

Tim gave an update on the bathroom renovations.

- Took out the walls and floor.
- Built inner walls. Insulated. Put plywood on walls and ceiling.
- Working on lights & electric (have sensors for lights)
- Baseboard heaters.
- Time locked door knobs- going to get one to show council.
- Inner water not installed.
- Patched roof for vent pipe.

Wells can seal the park walking trail.

Finished working on the Grant for the playground equipment.

### **Streets:**

Called Benton County on the road. Need to name the road and the residents will have a 911 address. Name the new road West Dogwood Lane.

Going to put creek gravel on West Dogwood Lane to fill potholes.

Don suggested maybe put cold pack on the road.

Need to put cold pack on the entrance of Dogwood Lane and 62 Highway.

Johnny gave an update on the Grant project.

• Beaver Hollow and Bray Road are on the Grant. \$300,000.00

Sharon asked if there can be a committee for roads.

See what roads need to be fixed.

Can discuss the roads at the meeting of the whole that meets twice a month.

Cheryl recommended paving Barnett Road.

Don made the motion to get estimates to chip and seal the following roads.

- Mahurin
- Barnett to 1st cattle guard
- Cotton Lane to RR tracks
- Old House Road

Steve 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. All in favor.

Johnny and Tim to get estimates from Emery Sapp & Sons.

James Winberry came before the council to discuss the maintenance of Weston Rd. He does not want the City maintaining this road. Will work on an Ordinance turning the road over to the residence of the road.

#### **New Business:**

The Council was presented with the proposed budget for 2025. Council to look it over for the January meeting.

Everyone looked over the proposed budget for 2025. They were presented with the Resolution #75 for the Budget. Steve made the motion to accept the budget. Justin  $2^{nd}$  the motion. All in favor.

### No other business.

Don made the motion to adjourn. Steve 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion.