## CAMDEN TOWN COUNCIL MINUTES TOWN OF CAMDEN INDIANA FEBRUARY 12, 2025

The Camden Town Council met in a legally advertised meeting on Wednesday, February 12, 2025 at 7:00 PM in the Library Reading Room.

Those present were: President, Mark Schock, Members, Brent Deel, Andy Robison (via phone), Clerk Treasurer, Jeff Sieber, Reserve Marshal Jason Cree, Utility Superintendant Jerry Snavely and 3 Guests.

Mr. Schock lead the group in the Pledge of Allegiance after opening the regular meeting.

A motion was made by Mr. Deel and a second from Mr. Schock to approve the minutes of the January meeting as well as all Dockets and reports submitted.

Utility Superintendant, Jerry Snavely stated that he had nothing to report other than he had received the easement map from Dollar General for the running of the utility lines. He stated that they would be directionally boring to the main line across Sanderson Street. Snavely also stated that he had been in contact with NIPSCO while they were repairing the gas leak on Main Street.

Reserve Marshal Jason Cree gave his report as attached.

He also informed the council that both of the officer's vests will be outdated after this year and new ones will need to be purchased. Council members told him they would look in to grants and see if that can help offset the cost.

Clerk Treasurer, Jeff Sieber reported that he is done working on all of the Year End reports, and the 2025 budget has been rolled over. He is expecting to have the Annual Report done by the end of next week.

The 2025 Fire Protection Contract was received and signed. No changes were made on the contract from last year.

Attorney Briggs has started work on the papers and documents that are needed to annex the new Dollar General into the Town City Limits.

Invoice was also received from the EDC and it was decided that no action would be taken on that payment until the council sees what direction the EDC would be going since they lost their Director. Council members do not see any work that has been done by the EDC in the Camden area and question their dollar request.

Members also stated that they would like to see what type of grants are available for new Town signage. The Camden sign may need to be relocated once the Dollar General is open.

Lois Johnston asked the council about new sidewalks in front of her home now that all of the trees have been removed. They informed her that once weather permitted, they would be doing another sidewalk inventory and would make sure her property was on the list.

Kendal Ross, Camden EDC Representative informed the council that they are working on a new strategic plan for the county and a meeting will be held in March for input.

Next meeting will be held March 12, 2025.

Mr. Deel made a motion, seconded by Mr. Robison to adjourn at 7:28 PM.

Attest:	Council:
	Mark Schock - President
Jeff Sieber Clerk Treasurer	Brent Deel
	Andrew Robinson