

**TOWN OF SHARPSBURG
MINUTES OF THE TOWN COUNCIL MEETING**

January 3, 2011

A regular meeting of the Sharpsburg Town Council was held Monday, January 3, 2011, at 7:00pm, in the Town of Sharpsburg at the Bridges Recreation Center.

Present were the following: Wendell Staley, Mayor; Gordy Anderson, Council Member; Celene Davenport, Council Member; Keith Rhodes, Council Member; Connie Turner, Council Member and Donna Camp, Town Clerk.

Also in attendance were: Margaret Staley, Michael Staley, Gwen Lyons, Clay & Rachel Cole, James Turner, Eric Richards and Polly Garlington.

Mayor Staley called the meeting to order and the Pledge of Allegiance was delivered.

The Town Clerk verified there was a quorum present.

The minutes of the December 6, 2010 Council Meeting were reviewed and approved as written by unanimous vote, and were filed in the minute book of the Town.

Mayor Staley called for a motion to set the qualifying fees for Mayor and two Council Member seats that are up for election on November 1, 2011. Qualifying fees must be set and published before February 1st. Council Member Davenport motioned to set qualifying fees for Council Members at \$25 each and Mayor at \$50. Council Member Turner seconded. Motion carried, unanimously.

Mayor Staley called for a motion to postpone the next agenda item concerning applying for a Cities of Ethics designation until a later meeting. Council Member Davenport motioned to postpone the item, Council Member Tuner seconded. Motion carried, unanimously.

Public Comments - n/a

Polling of the Council -

- Gordy Anderson - Mr. Vallencourt complained about the parking from the A1A Auctions on the sides of the street.
- Connie Turner - n/a
- Celene Davenport - n/a
- Keith Rhodes -
 - The house at 54 Williams Circle is under foreclosure and the items left over were left on a vacant lot.
 - The date for his departure for Baghdad, Iraq is now scheduled for the end of the month of January.

Clerk's Comments - n/a

Mayor's Minutes -

- Construction on the Community Center has been held up by the continued wintry weather that we have been experiencing. From all the comments that have been relayed to the office about the reconstruction, everyone is very pleased and happy with the changes.
- Council Member Rhodes will be leaving before the next Council Meeting for Baghdad, Iraq. We wish him well and he will be sorely missed.
- We are having a post holiday get together after the meeting, we hope that everyone will stay and enjoy the time with family and friends.

There being no further business coming before the Council, the meeting was adjourned.

Donna M. Camp
Town Clerk