

**TOWN OF LOUISVILLE**  
**Board of Mayor and Aldermen**

April 10, 2018  
6:00 p.m.

Present: Mayor Bickers, Alderman Smith, Alderman Gormley, Vice Mayor Holley, Alderman Pugh

Absent: None

Others Present: Accountants Don and Julie Teffeteller and five citizens.

Mayor Bickers called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Mayor Bickers led the Opening Prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

**MOTION** by Gormley to approve the minutes of the March 13, 2018 meeting of the BMA. Second by Smith. VOTE: UNANIMOUS. **MOTION PASSES.**

**Mayor's Report and Approval of Monthly Financial Report:**

Financial report for month ending March 31 was reviewed.

As of 03/31/2018      \$2, 038,652.54

**MOTION** by Holley to accept the March monthly financial report. Second by Pugh. VOTE: UNANIMOUS. **MOTION PASSES.**

Mayor Bickers reported that the annual Louisville Cleanup was cancelled on April 07 due to inclement weather. The rainy and cold conditions would have created a very unsafe situation for volunteers to be on the roadsides. The event will be rescheduled for a Fall Saturday.

Mayor Bickers reminded everyone about the upcoming primary election to be held May 1, 2018. Early voting starts this week. Be sure to register to vote and encourage others to register. The voter registration forms are available at Town Hall.

Mayor Bickers communicated some follow-up actions concerning the firearms discussion at previous BMA meetings. Effort is currently underway to prepare a draft ordinance to address many of the concerns being expressed about firearm discharge inside the Town of Louisville. Expectation is the draft ordinance will be ready for discussion at the May BMA Meeting.

**Citizens Comments:** Larry Taylor commented on past issues and actions concerning firearm discharge within the community. Ben and Kathy Shipwash commented about finding a bullet hole in their house structure. Also, the Shipwashes commented about an unsanitary property near their home on Little Dug Gap Road.

**Resolutions and Ordinances:** None

**Other Action/Discussion Items:** None

**Board and Committee Appointments:** Mayor Bickers nominated Tanner Swicegood to fill the expired position on the Beer Board. The nomination of Tanner is part of an effort by Mayor Bickers to bring in younger folks to some of the Town boards. In addition, Tanner has a wealth of experience in the restaurant and service industry.

**MOTION** by Bickers to appoint Tanner Swicegood to the Town of Louisville Beer Board. Second by Smith. VOTE: UNANIMOUS. **MOTION PASSES.**

Tanner Swicegood will become the third member of the Beer Board in addition to existing members Mayor Bickers and Alderman Gormley.

**Announcements/Comments from Individual Aldermen:** None

**MOTION** by Gormley to adjourn the meeting; Second by Smith, VOTE: UNANIMOUS. Meeting adjourned at approximately 7:01p.m.

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Mayor

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Town Recorder