

**Minutes of Public Hearing  
Town of Kirklin, Indiana  
Ord #2024-9-3 Amending Sewer Rates  
October 7, 2024 at 7:00pm**

The Town Council of the Town of Kirklin, Indiana, met Monday, October 7, 2024 at 7:00pm at Kirklin Town Hall located at 113 N. Main St., Kirklin, Indiana, for the purpose of a Public Hearing on Ordinance #2024-9-3.

Council Members present: Brent Stetler, Jerry Faucett, Melinda Jobe, and Craig Hudzinski. Walt Minnick was absent. Jay Moore, town attorney, stated that a quorum was present.

Also present: Jay Moore, Maureen Hayden, Steve Brock, and Tara Walker

Melinda Jobe opened the Public Hearing at 7:12 pm and stated the purpose of it being Ord #2024-9-3 "An Ordinance Amending the Rates and Charges for the Sewer Works Utility".

Melinda opened up the floor for questions or comments from the audience. There were no residents in attendance. Seeing no residents in attendance, Brent Stetler made a motion to read Ord. #2024-9-3 by title only. The motion was supported by Jerry Faucett and it carried with a unanimous vote. Brent Stetler made a motion to pass the ordinance on final reading. Jerry Faucett supported the motion and it passed with a unanimous vote.

Ord. #2024-10-1 "An Ordinance Amending and Restating Bond Ordinance No. 2024-2-1 Authorizing the Acquisition, Construction and Installation of Certain Improvements to the Sewage Works System of the Town of Kirklin, Indiana, the Issuance of Revenue Bonds to Provide for the Cost Thereof, the Collection, Segregation and Distribution of the Revenues of Such System, the Safeguarding of the Interests of the Owners of Such Revenue Bonds and Other Matters Connected Therewith, Including the Issuance of Notes in Anticipation of Such bonds, and Repealing Ordinances Inconsistent Herewith". Melinda Jobe confirmed that all members had a chance to read the ordinance in advance. It was provided to the council through e-mail as well as available in their folders for pick up prior to the meeting. Jay explained that it is still the same ordinance that was passed in February 2024 but amendments are required due to the town's ability to get financing through the SRF Pool which requires different bond ordinance language than if the town were to go through regular financing. Brent Stetler made a motion to consider the Ord. #2024-10-1 read by title only. The motion was supported by Jerry Faucett and it carried with a unanimous vote. Brent Stetler then read the ordinance aloud, by title only. Brent Stetler made a motion to approve Ord. #2024-10-1 on first reading. The motion was supported by Jerry Faucett and it carried with a unanimous vote. Brent Stetler made a motion to suspend the rules to be able to consider and pass Ord. #2024-10-1 in one meeting. The motion was supported by Craig Hudzinski and it carried by a unanimous vote. Brent Stetler made a motion to pass Ord. #2024-10-1 on its second reading. The motion was supported by Craig Hudzinski and it passed with a unanimous vote. The public hearing was closed at 7:45pm.

Tara Walker, Clerk-Treasurer