



**Town of Port Deposit  
Town Council Meeting Minutes  
Legislative Meeting  
June 5, 2018**

**CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor Tome called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

**PRESENT:** Mayor Tome, Deputy Mayor Kuhs, Councilman Broomell, Councilman Brown, Councilman Haines, Councilman Knight, Councilwoman Rodgers, Town Counsel Herring and Town Administrator Rinkerman.

**SAFETY TIP** - Mayor Tome presented the safety tip of the month.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES** - Minutes from the April 17, 2018 Work Session Meeting, and May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018 Legislative Session were presented for approval.

Motion was made by Councilman Knight, seconded by Deputy Mayor Kuhs, to approve the minutes as presented. Councilwoman Rodgers – Abstained. All in favor, motion carried unanimously.

**PUBLIC COMMENT** - NONE

**OLD BUSINESS** – NONE

**NEW BUSINESS**

Ordinance 2018-01 – Fiscal Year 2019 Annual Budget - Finance Manager Sookiasian presented the FY 2019 Annual Budget.

Discussion ensued regarding the budget relative to providing a public safety officer, work being done by the Public Safety Commission, physical establishment of a town police department, services provided by the Sheriff's Office, public perception relative to adopting a budget with a public safety position, and increasing current code position to thirty-two hours per week.

Motion was made by Councilman Knight, seconded by Councilman Brown, to adopt Budget 5A, which maintained the law enforcement budget as professional fees through the Sheriff's Office. Councilman Brown – Yes, Councilwoman Rodgers – Yes, Councilman Knight – Yes, Deputy Mayor Kuhs – No, Councilman Haines – Yes, Councilman Broomell – Yes. Motion carried 5 in favor and 1 opposed.

Consideration for Appointment – Chris Komisar, 42 S. Main St. – Planning Commission and Election Board.

Motion was made by Councilman Knight, seconded by Councilman Brown, to appoint Chris Komisar to the Planning Commission and Election Board. Councilman Brown – Yes, Councilwoman Rodgers – Yes,

Councilman Knight – Yes, Deputy Mayor Kuhs – Yes, Councilman Haines – Yes, Councilman Broomell – Yes.  
Motion carried unanimously

Motion was made by Councilman Knight, seconded by Councilwoman Rodgers, to appoint Chris Komisar to the Election Board. Councilman Brown – Yes, Councilwoman Rodgers – Yes, Councilman Knight – Yes, Deputy Mayor Kuhs – Yes, Councilman Haines – Yes, Councilman Broomell – Yes. Motion carried unanimously

**REPORTS TO COUNCIL**

Finance Manager – Finance Manager Sookiasian provided the finance report as of May 31, 2018.  
Town Administrator Report – Town Administrator Rinkerman provided project and grant updates.

**PUBLIC COMMENT** - None

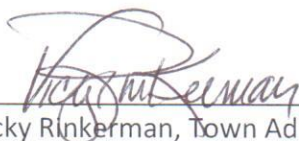
**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Lee’s Landing Shuckin’ on the River Event – June 9, Marina Park, 11:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.

**ADJOURNMENT** – Being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

The meeting was recorded and audio is available upon request.

Attest:



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Vicky Rinkerman, Town Administrator

Approved:



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Wayne L. Tome, Sr., Mayor