

TOWN OF UPLAND, INDIANA, OCTOBER 26, 2011

The Town Council of the Town of Upland met in regular session on the above date. Bonham and Jagers were absent from the meeting. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by President Michael Cooper. There was a motion by Martz seconded by Schwartz to approve the minutes from the October 12, 2011 meeting. Those voting aye: Cooper, Martz, Schwartz. Nays: No one.

SECOND STREET BRIDGE: Bruce Sebestyen presented a proposal to the Council on repairing the Second Street Bridge. As part of the Charette last year, it was the consensus of the Council to focus on getting the Second Street Bridge usable again. It would be assessable for pedestrians and golf carts. Before any work could be done, it needs to be inspected by an Engineer to make sure that it is structurally sound. The Council thanked Mr. Sebestyen for his proposal and will consider it after inspection of the bridge.

181 E. URBAN STREET: Greg Batic owner of 181 E. Urban Street had to vacate his home at this address because of toxic mold. The home will be going up for Sheriff sale and he is concerned that someone will buy it and not be informed of the toxic mold. He was asking the Council if the home could be condemned. It was the recommendation of Attorney James Forcum to wait until it goes to sheriff sale, see who buys it and monitor it from there.

NEW STREET SIGNS: A federal mandate that would make street signs easier to read was relaxed due to the financial impact to communities. The mandate would have required all signs to be replaced by 2018. This deadline has been dropped, saying instead that bigger, brighter street signs should be installed whenever current signs need to be replaced.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned. The next regular meeting will be Wednesday, November 9th at 7:00 p.m. in the Upland Town Hall.

ATTEST  SIGNED: _____
JANE E. ROCKWELL, C.T. COUNCIL PRESIDENT