**Town of Philipsburg Minutes**

**Ordinance Working Meeting and Public Reading**

**April 8th, 2025**

**Town Hall @ 6:00 pm**

**Council in attendance:** Jason White, Carl Sundstrom, Scott Lyons, Josh Henderson, John Laigaie. **Council absent:** Mayor Daniel Reddish, Gary Fujinami. **Others in attendance:** Clerk Rachel Parret.

**Call to Order:** Councilman Sundstrom called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm.

**Pledge of Allegiance:** Councilman Sundstrom led the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Codification**

Duty Clerk Cyndia Reddish retyped the Ordinances that will be changed and/or updated in the Ordinance Book. Once approved the Ordinance will be sent into the Codifiers.

The Town needs to have a thumb drive of all the Ordinances.

**2nd Public Reading**

Councilman Sundstrom asked for a motion to forego the public reading due to no public attendance at the meeting.

Councilman Lyons made a motion to forego the 2nd public reading due to no public attendance, Councilman Henderson seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.

Councilman Sundstrom asked for a role call on the vote.

Councilman Henderson – Aye

Councilman Laigaie – Aye

Councilman White – Aye

Councilman Lyons – Aye

Councilman Sundstrom – Aye

Councilman Fujinami – Absent

**Town Wards**

Councilman White asked if the Town Wards have been updated in the Ordinance Book, if not they need to be done.

Suggested Changes

Ordinance 1-10-2 Wards need to be changed to Ward

Ordinance 1-10-2 There shall be one designated ward in Philipsburg, MT comprised of the entirety of the Town and annexation.

Councilman Sundstrom and Clerk Rachel Parret will go over the Vendor section and make recommendations to the Council.

**Public Dancing**

Suggested change

Eliminate the entire chapter on public dancing.

**Water**

Water shut offs on unpaid bills will remain at 60 days.

**Sewer**

The Council will review the Sewer Ordinance for the next meeting. Councilman Sundstrom will ask Foreman Ed Roseboom for suggestions on the Sewer Ordinance.

**Adjourn**

Councilman Lyons made a motion to adjourn at 7:30 pm, Councilman White seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.