

Town of Huntertown Utility Service Board Meeting Minutes for Monday, December 16, 2024
Huntertown Town Hall, 15617 Lima Road

A public meeting of the Huntertown Utility Service Board was held on Monday, December 16, 2024. The meeting was held at Huntertown Town Hall, 15617 Lima Road, Huntertown, IN. Members in attendance were board members Zachary Kerley and Michael Stamets; Town Manager Hannah Walker; Clerk-Treasurer Ryan Schwab; Derek Frederickson, Jim Breckler, and Stephan Cardenas of Engineering Resources Inc; Town Attorney David Hawk of Hawk Haynie Kammeyer & Smith; eleven (11) members of the public and zero (0) member of the media. Board member Tony Ramey eight (8) members of the public and one (1) member of the media attended the meeting via Microsoft Teams.

Zachary Kerley called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance.

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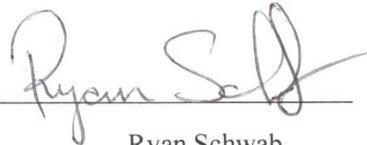
Hannah Walker introduced Amanda Trakas, Source Water Specialist with Alliance of Indiana Rural Water. Trakas provided a PowerPoint presentation covering the role local ordinance can play in protecting source water. Following her presentation, she introduced retired hydrogeologist Tony Fleming, who provided a PowerPoint presentation on the various sources of aquifer for source water in and around Huntertown, both present day and historically; as well as long term issues facing the source water in the area. Upon conclusion of the presentation, the floor was opened for discussion. Topics of discussion included interest in taking a county-wide approach to source water protection; its potential impact on local development; and the concern with source water recharging areas being taken over by housing developments.

After no further discussion, Zachary Kerley made a motion to adjourn. Michael Stamets seconded. Motion passed with a voice vote, and the meeting was adjourned at 6:41 p.m.

Attest:



Anthony Ramey
President



Ryan Schwab
Clerk Treasurer