Town of Hurt
Minutes
November 5, 2024

Meeting Called to Order

Gary Hodnett calls Town Council Meeting to order for the town of Hurt scheduled for November 5 at 6:00 PM.

Roll Call

In attendance Steve, Paul, Wanda, Bob, and Gary Poindexter establishing a quorum.

Motion for Closed Session

- Gary Hodnett requests a motion to move into a closed session, emphasizing the need for legal counsel.
- Gary Poindexter makes a motion to convene a closed session under Virginia Code 2.2-3711, citing sections A-1, for discussions on personnel matters, Section 2.237A real estate, and section 5 prospective business, section 8 for legal consultation respectively.
- Bob seconded the motion, unanimously approved, and the meeting is moved to a closed session at 6:03pm.

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Certification of Closed Meeting

- Mayor Hodnett asks for a motion to certify the closed session.
- Bob Majure makes a motion to certify the closed session held in accordance with the Virginia Freedom of Information Act.
- The motion is seconded and approved by all members: Steve, Paul, Wanda, Bob, and Gary Poindexter.

Invocation

- Gary Poindexter leads an invocation, thanking for the time to handle town business and asking for guidance.

Pledge of Allegiance

- Lead by Mayor Hodnett

October Expenditures

- Gary Hodnett asks if there are any questions about the expenditures.
- Requests a motion to move forward.
- Bob Majure moves that the expenditures as presented be passed.
- The motion is seconded and approved unanimously.

Public Works Assistant

- Gary Hodnett requests a motion to make an offer.
- Steve makes the motion, Wanda seconded, voted unanimously approved.

New Business

- Balico, everyone in the town should take a look at the project. May be good for the town. Hoping to pass pretty quick.

Staff Reports

- No treasurer at this time
- Bob made a motion to contact Evelyn Vaden to help get caught up upon her approval. Motion was seconded and unanimously approved.
- No administrative report tonight
- Gary Poindexter made a motion to approve Shannon Race as town clerk retro actively as of November 4, 2024. Seconded by Bob Majure. Unanimously approved.
- Joe taking care of water bill corrections. Helping Shannon.
- Jason was at the poles.

Counsel and Staff Christmas Dinner

- December 5 at 6:30pm, Judith and Cathy, should have a price in a couple days.
- Trying to get the Methodist Church
- Santa and Mrs. Claus will be arriving December 8.

Violations of Ordinances

- 615 Lynn Street dog kennel needs to be attended.
- 611 Lynn Street pile of pizza boxes.

Garbage Collection

- Collectors are being rough with the trash cans. It's not every week.

Sidewalk at Hurt Elementary School

- Jason got a quote of $2,200.00 materials and labor for the sidewalk at the school.
- John asked for him to get another quote.

Brunswick Stew Fund Raiser

- Raised $2,300
- Took place last weekend.
- Amount made was almost perfect.

Christmas Tree Lighting Reminder

- December 8 4pm-6pm
- Tree Lighting at Dusk
- Hot chocolate, popcorn, Santa and fun for the kids.

Action Items

- Check on heavy item pickup from Garbage Collection

- Get another quote for the sidewalk work.

M**eeting Adjourned**

- The meeting was adjourned at 7:20 PM.