WORKSHOP MEETING WALKERTOWN TOWN COUNCIL THURSDAY – MAY 9, 2024 4:00 P.M. - Town Hall

Present: Mayor Davis, Council members Vernon Brown, Wesley Hutchins, Caroline Jones, Peggy Leight, Town Manager Scott Snow and Town Clerk Rusty Sawyer.

Also present, from Alley, Williams, Carmen & King, Jeff Johnson.

Mayor Davis calls the meeting to order at 4:00 pm and opens with a prayer. Doc: Any additions to the agenda? *NO*

Discussion Items for the May 9th, 2024 Meeting

1. COMMUNITY MEETING FACILITY PROJECT UPDATE

Jeff Johnson leads this discussion.

- Ready to start painting the inside
- Hope to finish by mid-July
- Duke Power will begin underground work soon
- Water & sewer have been hooked up
- Meeting room floor will be carpet, entry way will be 12" x 12" ceramic tile, Mat outside the front door and mat with town logo inside front door
- Walking track damage from tree roots will be repaired
- Josh has suggested the removal of the Cypress trees that have gotten too large
- * Council is in agreement to have Jeff make up sample boards for colors etc.

Scott leads Town Center Park discussion.

- * Council agrees to remove wood fence between old & new park
- * Council agrees to extend black fencing inside sidewalk along Depot Street

2. <u>REVIEW OF PROPOSED FY 2024-2025 BUDGET</u> Scott leads this discussion

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Briefing Items for the May 23rd, 2024 Meeting

1. Public Hearing: WA-071

A petition requesting a special use rezoning from GB-S (Two-Phase) to GB-S (Two-Phase)

Scott leads this discussion.

The Town Hall hasn't received any in person or phone call complaints. A small lot will be left undeveloped.

The Planning Board recommended approval on May 7th.

2. RESOLUTION TO SCHEDULE A PUBLIC HEARING FOR THE FISCAL

YEAR 2024-2025 TOWN OF WALKERTOWN BUDGET

No motion needed to schedule the Public Hearing for the next Town Council Meeting

3. RESOLUTION DECLARING MAY HISTORIC PRESERVATION MONTH

MOTION: TO APPROVE A RESOLUTION DECLARING MAY HISTORIC PRESERVATION MONTH BY: PEGGY LEIGHT

- SECOND: CAROLIN JONES
- VOTE: UNANIMOUS (BROWN, HUTCHINSD, JONES, LEIGHT)

MOTION: TO ADJOURN WORKSHOP MEETING @ 6:30 PM BY: PEGGY LEIGHT

SECOND: VERNON BROWN

VOTE: UNANIMOUS (BROWN, HUTCHINSD, JONES, LEIGHT)

Submitted by: Rusty Sawyer, Town Clerk