# Town of Parkton Board of Commissioners Meeting Minutes

March 7, 2017

Mayor McMillan called to order the regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners at 7:00 pm on March 7, 2017 at Parkton Town Hall Conference Room.

The following members of the Board of Commissioners were present: Mayor Al McMillan, Commissioners Annette McColl, Doris Underwood, Wanda Matute and Robin Hill. Absent was Commissioner Nathaniel Solomon.

Residents in attendance Susan Champion, Tony McVicker, James Vchulek, Paula McVicker.

Wanda Dockery gave the invocation and Mayor McMillan lead the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mayor McMillan presented the agenda and asked if there were any changes before calling for action. Commissioner Matute made a motion to approve agenda Commissioner McColl seconded motion, the motion carries.

Mayor McMillan called for approval of the consent agenda.

Commissioner Underwood made a motion to approve Minutes of February 7, 2017 meeting. Commissioner Matute seconded, motion carries.

#### END OF CONSENT AGENDA

## **Agenda**

#### **Old business**

• Adopt A Highway tabled until later date due to the absence of Mr. Little

## **New business**

• **Police report:** Chief May summarized written report.

The individual that vandalized the police cars has been arrested and charged court date will be scheduled in April.

The bay where the police car is kept was cleaned along with the kitchen area.

- Water report: Mr. Little was absent no report submitted.
- Town Clerk: Written report summarized

The board reviewed and approved using a Leak Adjustment Request Form. This form will be completed by residents that have had a leak and request that the board approve and adjustment in their bill. Request for adjustments may be made no more than once in a twelve (12) month period.

The application for Water Tank Rehabilitation Project (WTRP) has been approved. Commissioner Matute made a motion that the Water Tank Rehabilitation Project be exempt per G.S.143-64.32 (Mini-Brooks Act), Commissioner Underwood seconded motion carries.

Commissioner Matute made a motion that funds from the Water/Sewer Capital Improvement fund be used to cover the startup cost for the WTRP, Commissioner McColl seconded motion carries.

Commissioner Matute made a motion that Mr. Allsbrook be allowed to set a preregistrations booth in front of Depot on April 15, 2016 for the LA's 1<sup>st</sup> Annual 5K walk/run, Commissioner Underwood seconded motion carries.

Residents have been inquiring as to Open burning within the town limits. Parkton does not have anything specifically addressing this topic in the ordinance so the Town would refer to current State Law. The North Carolina Department of Environment and Natural Resource Division of Air Quality has an informational flier that it is not ok to burn trash in barrels nor is it ok to burn leaves and branches. If a city offers the service of picking up yard waste it is illegal to burn. The N.C. Division of Air quality enforces the state open burning rules. Research and review will continue how best to amend the ordinance and inform the residence of the upcoming change.

Correspondence from the The Robeson County Committee of 100 inviting the Town to attend the Annual Dinner Meeting on April 11, 2017 at 6:00 p.m.

- **Board Comments** Commissioner McColl will check with Mr. Little as to items on his water report and send that out to all the board members.
- **Public Comments** Susan Champion and Tony McVicker.

# • Adjournment

Commissioner Matute made a motion to adjourn meeting Commissioner McColl seconded motion carries meeting adjourned at 7:40pm.

Minutes submitted by: Wanda H. Dockery, Town Clerk