

Public Hearing- 2018-2019 Budget- no one spoke

**Minutes of Regular Meeting
May 3, 2018**

Determination of Quorum

A quorum was determined with the presence of Mayor Kevin Barbee, Commissioners Larry Sides, Jerry Williams, James Griffin and Rick Williams.

James Griffin made a motion to excuse Greg Lucas. All were in favor. Motion carried.

Call to Order

Mayor Kevin Barbee called the meeting to order at 7:01 pm.

Approval of Agenda

Larry Sides made a motion to accept the agenda as written. All were in favor. Motion carried.

Approval of Minutes

James Griffin made a motion to accept the minutes from April 5 and April 19, 2018 as written. All were in favor. Motion carried.

Approval of Bills

Jerry Williams made a motion to pay the bills. All were in favor. Motion carried.

Public Comment:

Bessie Garmon- These comments are in regards to last council meeting, we need to be respectful, we need to respect our neighbors, when the commissioners are conducting business, we in the audience do not want to hear bad language coming from the commissioners.

Peter Ascitutto- Gave a presentation of Stanly County School system. We have open seats in the school, and schools needs lots of work, we have more homeschoolers, more in private school and more in charter schools. We need to fix the problem and stop putting band-aids on it. We need a senior center in Western Stanly County. Stanly County Commissioners may go for the Sales and Uses Tax again. All towns need to be aware.

George Crooker- Stanly County YMCA- gave a presentation on Stanly County YMCA, need a senior center, a place for people to get together, a place to come to and feel better, a pool, exercise area, he is asking for Stanfield's help to get something like this at the Western End of the county. He is trying to find a building. He is asking for all help. This is volunteer driven. We do swimming lessons, back pack program.

Public Comment session closed at 7:33pm.

Finance

The fiscal status report was available. The budget is on target.

Public Safety-

The subject has been brought up about marking police cars. James gave several reasons as to why we should mark some cars and leave some cars unmarked. Larry Sides spoke up and he thinks this decision should come from the Police Chief and Police Commissioner, not the whole board. James, Corie, and Bridgette will come up with a marking of police cars policy. This will be presented next month.

The Regional Law Enforcement Mutual Aid Agreement is up for renewal for 3 years.

James Griffin made a motion that we adopt the Regional Mutual Aid Renewal Resolution for 3 years. All were in favor. Motion carried.

Streets

Nothing at this time.

Parks & Recreation

The Parks and Recreational Trust Fund Grant has been submitted and will not hear anything until end of August. Larry also announced that the Outdoor Market will be held at Log Barn Park on Saturday, June 16, 2018. Vendors are needed.

Water & Sewer

Jerry Williams made a motion to adopt a resolution for approving Local Water Supply Plan for both systems 20-84-006 and 20-84-008. All were in favor. Motion carried.

Planning & Zoning

Rick Williams ask the ones that was present from the Land Use Plan to stand and be acknowledged. He wanted them to know how much he appreciated them. The surveys from the Land Use plan has been mailed. There is also a flyer that has a code that you can scan from your phone and do the survey with you phone.

Mayor

Kevin Barbee explained on commissioners voting. Everyone has to vote one way or another. If you don't vote it will be a Yes. Also he wanted to mention that years ago we agreed to making 1 motion and not a 2nd motion, since we only have 5 commissioners.

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