

Attendance:

Vice-Mayor Wesley Travis Dan Dabinett
Mary Lena Mears Barry Downing
Norma Spencer

Staff:

Clerk- Stacey Sparrow
Asst. Clerk- Courtney Wise
Chief of Police: Marc Marshall

Absent:

Mayor – Joseph Habel
Councilman- Robert ‘Bo’ Lewis

Members of Public- 11

Call to Order: 7:03pm
Pledge of Allegiance
Invocation- Councilman Barry Downing

Public Comment:

Greg Hardesty- 3560 Cherrystone Road Cheriton Virginia 23316

Wants clarity on Cheriton Police Department
Will submit questionnaire for council to answer at next regular town council meeting. (attachment 1)

Ken Eshelman- 21212 Stoakley Court Cheriton Virginia 23316

Questions for council regarding formation on Cheriton Police Department,
Will submit questionnaire for council to answer at next regular town council meeting.(attachment 2)

Phil Custis- Randy Custis Memorial Park

Progression on Randy Custis Memorial Park, one hundred thousand dollar lighting project has been completed, new dugouts and hoping to acquire more land.

Jason VanMarter- Owner of the Local

Happy to be seeing the improvements to the town by the Cheriton Police Department. In full support of the Cheriton Police Department.

Geri Carpenter- Sunnyside Road in Cheriton

Pleased to report that the street light has been fixed in front of the parsonage and is working.

Carol Habel- Sunnyside Road in Cheriton

In Support of the Cheriton Police Department, Glad to see it’s here.

Kay Downing- Pine view Drive, Cheriton Virginia 23316

Urging council to continue to support the Randy Custis Memorial Park. So beneficial to the shore and the town residents.

Jim West- 21202 Mill Street Cheriton, Virginia 23316

In favor of Cheriton Police Department, however that the hiring was done incorrectly.

Linda Jones- Sunnyside Road Cheriton, Virginia 23316

Letter Submitted into the Record. (attachment 3)

Anonymous- Cheriton Resident

Letter Submitted into Record. (attachment 4)

Barry Downing- Pineview

Letter Submitted into the Record. (attachment 5)

Beings no further comment, public comment was closed.

New Business:

VML Risk Management Grant information provided

Old Business:

Contact lawyer about adding lien to Mill Street property that was demolished.

Reports:

Police Report- Marc Marshall

Maintenance Report- Drainage discussion, Barry Downing will get Joe to survey ditches with him when he arrives back in town.

Budget & Finance- Budget work session scheduled for February 7, 2018 at 6pm.

Visionary- Brochure & Website need to be next focus and to get started

The next regular scheduled meeting is February 28,2018 at 7pm.

With no further items of council the motion from Councilman Barry Downing was made to adjourn.

It was second by Norma Spencer and unanimous.

Stacey A. Sparrow: _____
Clerk

Council Approval: _____
Date: _____

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 - Attachment 2-** 1 page Ken Eshleman
 - Attachment 3-** 3 pages Linda Jones
 - Attachment 4-** 1 page Anonymous
 - Attachment 5-** 2 pages Barry Downing