Minutes August 22, 2018 Regular Meeting

Town of Cheriton

Attendance:

Council:	Staff:	Public:
Mayor LeMond	Stacey Sparrow- Clerk	10
Vice-Mayor Lewis	Warren Wisneski- Building & Code Enforcement	
Matthew Yancy	John Burdiss- Attorney	
Jackie Davis		
Barry Downing		
Norma Spencer		
Wesley Travis		

Call to Order, 7pm by Mayor LeMond.

Invocation- Barry Downing

Pledge of Allegiance

Adoption of Agenda- Motion by Bo Lewis, 2nd Barry Downing, Unanimous.

Approval of July 25th Minute's- Motion Barry Downing, 2nd Matthew Yancy, unanimous.

Public Comment #1:

Rita Berger Mill Street- Will the town council purchase yard signs that say, "Meeting Wednesday Night" at intersections of town and town office and post the agenda at the town bulletin in front of the post office?

Mary Mears Maple Drive- The Railroad crossing is still in bad shape and thank you to council for the sympathy gifts and calls during the passing of my mother.

Jim West Mill St.- The Cheriton Police depart is a joke of a police force, Joe Habel pushed the formation of the police department down the throats of the prior council. There is no way that this police department is taking care of its self. If a police department should have ever been formed it should have been 40 or 50 years ago when the town actually needed it.

Rita Berger Mill Street- We haven't had a police officer since Friday, traffic had become quieter, now they are speeding again.

Danielle Romeo Mill St-The Police Department is generating revenue and the money is coming in. This is a small town and it makes me feel comfortable having an officer. Also knowing that it makes a difference. If we don't offer amenities different from the county then give it back to the county.

John Carstens Sunnyside Road- No other sightings or hearing of coyotes since last reported.

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Warren Wisneski South Bayside Road- Creating a police department makes the county see we are trying to take care of ourselves.

Public comment closed.

Public Hearing #1- Election Change

Public Comment-

Rita Berger Mill St- wonderful idea!

Danielle Romeo Mill St- Just correcting what should have been done years ago.

Jim West Mill St- makes more sense.

Jason VanMarter North Bayside Road- saving money is good

Richard Romeo Mill St- What does it save money on?

Public Comment Closed.

Council Comments-

Barry Downing- good idea.

Bo Lewis- should have been done long ago.

A Motion to adopt Ordinance No. 20180822-A, was made by Norma Spencer and second by Bo Lewis with the vote recorded as follows:

Barry Downing- Aye Norma Spencer- Aye Bo Lewis- Aye Wesley Travis- Aye Matthew Yancy- Aye Jackie Davis- Aye Unanimous.

Public Hearing #2- Code Changes

Public Comment

Rita Berger Mill St- Town should notify Davis Disposal of Changes because they pickup prior or near these times.

Danielle Romeo Mill St- Curfew, the town does not need to have curfew. The town should not be acting as a parent. Opposed to curfew.

John Carstens Sunnyside Road-Virginia Beach has a 10pm curfew.

Matthew Yancy- Danielle, What is your opposition? Age?

Danielle Romeo- I see no reason to allow people not to have time to walk around town. Why spend time giving citations, town should be focusing on other problems.

Motion to approve changes to Ordinances Bo Lewis, 2nd Norma Spencer, Unanimous.

Stacey Sparrow - gave the clerk report that was also included in the packets in written format.

Building and Code Enforcement Report-Warren Wisneski

Holland Road, warrants have been served court date as of now is September 20th. Slow progress has been made but some is being done. Would like to talk to council about adopting E&S code and Maintenance Code. Most states and counties have already adopted these.

Made aware of situation on pet pigs according to town code written that no hog farms or pig fattening will be allowed. Should amend code to allow with restrictions for pet pigs and include enclosures being sanitary and have proper vet care.

Reviewed NFP resolution, I have done a breakdown of the resolution the cause and effects of flooded areas. If adopted a yearly report is required to be submitted that is fairly easy.

Discussion-

Norma Spencer- Will this effect new builds or all current homes?

Rita Berger- Cannot get flood insurance without the town passing the resolution.

Wesley Travis- Explanation of how it works?

Warren Wisneski- Shows that the town will do due-diligence.

Larry LeMond- recommends that Warren Wisneski be the Flood Plan Coordinator.

A motion to adopt the NFIP Resolution was made by Barry Downing and 2nd by Wesley Traivsi it was unanimous.

Old Business-

PAPA- Lee Goldman

Larry LeMond- I spoke with Lee last week, she is trying to get a new safety switch designed as the first one submitted to the coast guard for review was not approved. She has a meeting with the propane company next week to get a better idea of the installation of the tanks from them.

Public Comment #2-

Rita Berger Mill St- the Planning Commission held a meeting on August 13th minutes from the meeting is attached in the package.

Jim West Mill St- What is the cost that Lee Goldman pays to the town the fire house is getting double the amount the town is receiving.

Public Comment Closed

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A motion to move to Executive or Closed session in accordance with Section 2.2-3711 of the Code of Virginia 1950, as amended:

Paragraph 1: Discussion or consideration of employment, assignment, appointment, promotion, performance, demotion, salaries, disciplining or resignation of specific public officers, appointees or employees of any public body, was made by Jackie Davis and 2nd by Barry Downing, it was unanimous.

Motion to return to open session Bo Lewis, 2nd Norma Spencer. A poll was taken of council stating only discussion regarding Paragraph 1 of code section 2.2-3711 was had.

Poll:

Jackie Davis- Yes
Matthew Yancy- Yes
Wesley Travis- yes
Larry LeMond- yes
Robert Lewis- yes
Norma Spencer- yes
Barry Downing –yes
It was unanimous.

The next regular meeting will be held Wednesday September 26th at 7pm in council chambers.

A motion to Adjourn was made by Barry Downing and Second by Matt Yancy and was unanimous. The meeting ended at 9:15pm.