

CHERITON TOWN COUNCIL
MINUTES
JANUARY 20, 2020

Attendance:

<u>Council:</u>	<u>Staff:</u>	<u>Public:</u>
Mayor Larry LeMond	Stacey Sparrow, Clerk	5

Robert "Bo" Lewis

Matthew Yancy

Jackie Davis

Jason Van Marter

Absent:

Barry Downing

Call to order: 7pm

Invocation: Matthew Yancy

Pledge of Allegiance

Motion to approve November 2019 minutes by Bo Lewis, 2nd Norma Spencer, Unanimous.

Motion to approve agenda as presented by Norma Spencer, 2nd Matthew Yancy, Unanimous.

Mayor's Report:

Thanks to everyone for attending and helping with the Christmas event it was a success.

Stemming from Christmas event a dusk to dawn light was installed at the park to increase visibility and safety at night.

All incorporated towns of Northampton County have signed the resolution to join the HRSD and it has been sent to HRSD's attorneys for review.

Changes to the town Charter have been submitted to the General Assembly to change the election from May to November.

Clerks Report:

DMV Connect will be at the office 01/24 to process drivers' licenses and the new real ID.

The install of the dusk to dawn light will cost the town 20.00 per month.

The cameras have been installed.

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Public Comment #1:

Wesley Travis, Sunnyside Road- A cheap tint or dye in a rainstorm could help the town figure out the flow of water from North Bayside. This will help determine if the Huntington/ Bayside ditch project would be necessary.

Old Business:

Comp Plan Discussion:

Review of each section of the plan was done and objectives reviewed, recommendations were made from Larry LeMond and council and the plan will go to the Planning Commission with the suggestions.

Resident Nancy Brauer suggested that sidewalk safety in the downtown business district needs to be a focus with possible partnership with the existing businesses to correct the aging sidewalks in that area.

New Business:

A motion to approve the 2020 Council meeting schedule was made by Norma Spencer, 2nd Bo Matthew Yancy, Unanimous.

Informational packets for the November election were distributed to council and the public. The Cheriton town council has all council seats and the mayor's seats up for re-election.

Committee Reports-

- A. Parks & Recreation- Thanks to everyone who assisted with the Christmas events in December. Plans for the 2020 Christmas event are already in motion and the date has been chosen of December 5th. Cheriton Fun day is scheduled for June 6th and plans are in motion to get sponsorship letters out before the end of February.
- B. Human Resources- no update
- C. Maintenance- Drainage on the Sunnyside /Wilson ditch is helping the flooding in that area.
- D. Budget & Finance- no update

Public Comment #2

Geri Carpenter, Sunnyside Road- The streets look great since VDOT has been through with the street sweeper.

Next meeting date February 26, 2020 at 7pm.

A motion to adjourn was made by Bo Lewis with a second from Norma Spencer, Unanimous.

End: 8:05pm