

NOVEMBER 2022 MINUTES

Attendees: Mayor Joe Slaton; Council Members: Austin Hedden and Harry Baughn; Town Clerk: Suzanne Hedden; Zoning Administrator, Ron Wallace
Others: Sandy Zimmerman, Lorraine Bennett

Mayor Slaton called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

MINUTES

October 2022 Town Council Meeting Minutes

Mr. Hedden moved to approve the October 2022 Town Council meeting minutes. Mr. Baughn 2nd. Motion approved.
Mr. Hedden moved to approve the October 2022 Public Hearing minutes. Mr. Baughn 2nd. Motion approved.

FINANCE REPORTS

October 2022 Balance Sheet and Profit & Loss Statement – reports are attached.

Mr. Baughn moved to approve the Balance Sheet and Profit & Loss Statement. Mr. Hedden 2nd. Motion approved.
Mrs. Hedden informed the Council members that a budget amendment in the amount of \$15.97 is needed for the Fire Service Contract line item. Mr. Baughn made a motion to approve the increase in the line item; Mr. Hedden 2nd. Motion approved.

Mrs. Hedden stated that the October interest amount for NCCMT investments was \$1032.07.

OLD BUSINESS

- Mayor Slaton updated Council members about the status of the Anna Rutledge situation. He is hoping to meet with Sheriff Deese, Director of Clay County Health Department, and Clay County Building Inspector to establish a firm plan to get this area cleaned.
- Mayor Slaton also discussed updates for the street erosion on Mill Street. The hole has been filled with stone and no reason could be found for the problem. Paving should be done soon.
- Plans and preparations for the bike racks are progressing smoothly according to Mayor Slaton. The president of the bike club and Joanna Padgett-Adkisson have recommended putting the pump station and workstation on Town of Hayesville lawn. They also suggested putting a bike rack on the Town Square; permission must be granted by the Beal Center Board of Directors. All bike racks must be installed by December 8th. Mr. Hedden stated that Clay County Schools are still working on the exact spot for the bike rack to be placed on the school campus. Mr. Hedden made a motion approving and agreeing with the placement of the bike racks and work station, etc. Mr. Baughn 2nd. Motion approved with exception of hesitation in agreeing with bike rack on Town Square.
- Mayor Slaton reported that the Crypto Mining Ordinance has been recorded.

NEW BUSINESS

- Mayor Slaton asked for suggestions concerning the Staff Christmas Party. Preliminary plans are for a dinner at Copper Door on Thursday, January 12, 2023.

ZONING ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

See attached report

MAYOR'S REPORT

See attached report.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Ms. Zimmerman reported on: Christmas lights, Shop Small/Shop Local/Concert, Business after Hours with Chamber of Commerce, Investors visiting Town of Hayesville, Awning repairs on Centennial Building.

Mr. Hedden made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:09 pm. Mr. Baughn seconded.



Joe Slaton, Mayor

ATTEST: 
Suzanne G. Hedden, Town Clerk