

**TOWN OF COWPENS
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
Timken Community Center
July 20, 2020**

The Town of Cowpens held its regular council meeting on Monday, July 20, 2020, at 6:00 p.m. Present were Mayor Michael D. Hamrick, Mayor-Tem Brenda J. Adair, and Council Member Roy Logan. Jarred S. Spencer. and Thomas Voelker were absent.

Mayor Hamrick called the meeting to order and Brenda J. Adair held prayer and included a moment of silence for the families of area residents who had lost loved ones and those who have sickness in their families.

Approval of Agenda

Roy Logan made a motion to approve the agenda for July 20, 2020, second by Brenda J. Adair and carried.

Approval of Minutes & Financial Statements

Council reviewed the minutes of June 22, 2020, purchase journals, accounts registers, and monthly bank statements.

Brenda J. Adair made a motion to approve the minutes, second by Roy Logan and carried.

Roy Logan made a motion to approve the purchase journals, accounts registers, and monthly bank statements as presented, second by Brenda J. Adair and carried.

Department Reports

Steve Bolin reported the number of calls for the police department. The police department issued 38 citations during the month of June and 39 warnings. Fines collected totaled \$3,222.50. The town's portion was \$534.59.

The fire department answered 21 calls for the month of June 2020. Ten calls were in the town, eight calls in the fire district, three calls were mutual aid in Spartanburg County, and zero in Cherokee County.

Mileage for each department included: Police – 7,007 Street Department –1,307 and Fire Department – 2,527.

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

Procurement Ordinance Update

Council discussed proposed changes to the Procurement Ordinance, as presented by Steve Bolin. Roy Logan made a motion to continue discussion of any changes until a workshop scheduled for August 3, 2020, second by Brenda J. Adair and carried.

Streetscape

Steve Bolin informed council of the possibility of applying for a Streetscape Grant. He presented several ideas that included updating the sidewalks due to their condition, the faded color in the sidewalk, reflective paint, solar powered crossing lights, etc. Mr. Bolin informed council that encroachment permits were already on hand. Council will consider the Streetscape Grant during the next scheduled workshop.

Mr. Bolin informed town council of the problems with some pipe collapsing under the road on Santee St. He discussed options with town council as well.

Roy Logan made a motion to adjourn, second by Brenda J. Adair and carried.

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Mayor Michael D. Hamrick

Mayor Pro-Tem Brenda J. Adair

Council Member Roy Logan

Attest:

Council Member Jarred S. Spencer

Teresa Carter, Town Clerk

Council Member Thomas Voelker