

TOWN OF COWPENS
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
August 15, 2016

The Town of Cowpens held its regular council meeting on Monday, August 15, 2016, at 7:00 p.m. Present were Mayor Michael D. Hamrick, Mayor Pro-Tem Brenda J. Adair, Council Members Roy Logan, Jarred S. Spencer, and Thomas E. Voelker.

Mayor Hamrick called the meeting to order and Jarred S. Spencer held prayer.

Approval of Agenda

Jarred S. Spencer made a motion to approve the agenda for August 15, 2016, second by Roy Logan and carried.

Approval of Minutes

Brenda J. Adair made a motion to approve the minutes of July 25, 2016, second by Jarred S. Spencer and carried.

Approval of Financial Statements

Brenda J. Adair made a motion to approve the Purchase Journal, Account Registers and Monthly Bank Statements, second by Roy Logan and carried.

Department Reports

Steve Bolin reported the following for the Cowpens Fire Department: Fire Calls in Cowpens seven; Cowpens Fire District 13; Spartanburg County Mutual Aid nine; Cherokee County zero. Mr. Bolin as reported that 1,674 miles were accumulated on the fire department vehicles

The Police Department issued 14 warnings and 26 citations, one citation was for speeding. There were 5,909 miles accumulated on the police vehicles. Revenue collected was \$3,742.40 and the town's share was \$1,140.64.

The Street Department has a total of 801 miles on two vehicles.

New Business

Bids were opened on the two police vehicles that were put out for sale. A total of three bids were received on two vehicles. The bids were read before council. After checking the value of the vehicles on the NADA Guidelines for police interceptors the following action was taken:

Brenda J. Adair made a motion to accept the bid for \$205.00 on the 2005 Ford Crown Victoria (Burgundy Vehicle) in consideration of the condition of the wrecked vehicle and high mileage, second by Roy Logan and carried.

Brenda J. Adair made a motion to accept the bid of \$850 on the 2008 Ford Crown Victoria and to release the vehicle in 45 days or after one of the other vehicles is release from the repair shop, second by Roy Logan and carried.

Old Business

Steve Bolin passed our literature from Beowulf Technology for the storage of data from the Body Worn Cameras. Council discussed the storage issue and will make a decision at a later date. At

the present time the police department is waiting on the funding from the SC Department of Public Safety.

Amend Agenda

Jarred S. Spencer made a motion to amend the agenda to discuss the seized vehicles behind the town hall, second by Roy Logan and carried.

Council discussed the unsightly accumulation of vehicles seized by the police department. Chief Makupson and Steve Bolin will work to come up a solution to clear the lot and properly store the vehicles and present the plan to town council.

Adjournment

Brenda J. Adair made a motion to adjourn, second by Jarred S. Spencer and carried.

Mayor Michael D. Hamrick

Mayor Pro-Tem Brenda J. Adair

Council Member Roy Logan

Attest:

Council Member Jarred S. Spencer

Teresa D. Chadwick, Town Clerk

Council Member Thomas E. Voelker