Town of Cowpens
Work Session
October 3, 2016

The Town of Cowpens held a work session on Monday, October 3, 2016 at 6:00 p.m. Present were, Mayor Michael D. Hamrick, Mayor Pro-Tem Brenda J. Adair, Council Members Roy Logan, Jarred S. Spencer, and Thomas Voelker. Mayor Michael D. Hamrick called the meeting to order.

Towing & Storage

Council advised administrator to work on the disposal of the vehicles currently on town property, seek partnership for storage with Spartanburg County Sheriff's Office, develop a policy to be used in advising the defendant of their responsibility regarding cost, pick up, etc.

Body Worn Cameras

The body worn cameras have been ordered and training will be scheduled in the near future. Steve Bolin is looking at an in-service date of January 1, 2017.

Limb Pick Up

Council discussed limbs placed on the street by a resident when the resident has an abundant amount. Council will clarify by ordinance the quantity that will be allowed for pick up, what is a measurable load, and cost for additional loads.

Legal Issues

Steve Bolin met with the assigned attorney from Selective Insurance and informed council that the case involving the fire truck was still in litigation.

Mr. Bolin, Chief Makupson and Ruth Wolfe will meet with the assigned attorney on October 4, 2016, regarding litigation on a traffic stop.

Animals in Businesses

Council discussed the merchant's argument about animals in some businesses in the town. Jeff Shacker, of the Municipal Association of South Carolina, was in Mr. Bolin's office earlier this week and reviewed our ordinances. The town ordinances do not appear to cover allowing animals in businesses.

Meeting adjourned.

Michael D. Hamrick, Mayor

Brenda J. Adair, Mayor Pro-Tem

Roy Logan, Council Member

Jarred S. Spencer, Council Member

Attest: Thomas Voelker, Council Member

Teresa Chadwick, Town Clerk