

**TOWN OF COWPENS
SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING
5330 N. Main Street
Cowpens, SC 29330
November 10, 2020**

The Town of Cowpens held a special council meeting on Tuesday, November 10, 2020, at 6:00 p.m. Present were, Council Members Roy Logan, Jarred S. Spencer, and Thomas Voelker. Absent: Mayor Michael D. Hamrick and Mayor-Tem Brenda J. Adair. Jarred S. Spencer called the meeting to order and held prayer.

Approval of Agenda

Roy Logan made a motion to approve the agenda for November 10, 2020, second by Thomas Voelker and carried. Thomas Voelker made a motion to amend the agenda adding the paving request to the agenda, second by Roy Logan and carried.

Christmas Parade

Council discussed cancelling the Christmas Parade due to restricted guidelines. There is a possibility of having a tree lighting ceremony. After discussion and with restricted guidelines, town council was in agreement to cancel the 2020 Christmas parade.

Telephone System

Council has documentation for a new telephone system consisting of seven phones and cabling system. The contract cost is \$3,203.00. We will be saving money by changing our lines and upgrading to an internet based system. Jarred S. Spencer made a motion to purchase the new system, second by Roy Logan and carried.

Billboard Contract

Steve Bolin updated council on new billboards on I-85. Mr. Bolin suggests that we lay claim to the billboard at our exit or we could lose it. He suggested we commit to the billboard at our exit and get the artwork started. Thomas Voelker made a motion to contract for a billboard for South Bound I-85 with the option of obtaining a second billboard, Roy Logan Second and carried.

Street Department Truck

Mr. Bolin presented an updated quote to purchase a new truck for the street department. Council approved the purchase of the truck within the last year. Mr. Bolin wanted to let town council know that he was pursuing the purchase of the equipment.

Paving

Steve Bolin gave an update on roads to be paved for 2021. Tumble Rock Dr. and Pebble Ct. will be a complete overhaul. Savannah Street needs to be patched and capped. Steve Bolin will work with Robert Burton to get the turn through completed. The East Church Street strip that is a town road is need of repair. Council will continue the discussion of these issues at the next meeting.

Thomas Voelker made a motion to adjourn, second by Roy Logan and carried.

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