

**TOWN OF COWPENS
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
5330 N. Main Street
Cowpens, SC 29330
December 29, 2020**

The Town of Cowpens held its regular council meeting on Tuesday, December 29, 2020, at 5:00 p.m. via teleconference due to COVID-19. Present were Mayor Michael D. Hamrick, Council Member Roy Logan, Jarred S. Spencer, and Thomas Voelker. Absent: Mayor-Tem Brenda J. Adair.

Mayor Hamrick called the meeting to order and Jarred S. Spencer 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 December 29, 2020, second by Jarred S. Spencer and carried.

Approval of Minutes & Financial Statements

Council reviewed the minutes of October 19, 2020 and November 10, 2020, purchase journals, accounts register, and monthly bank statements.

Jarred S. Spencer made a motion to approve the minutes, second by Roy Logan and carried.

Thomas Voelker made a motion to approve the purchase journals, accounts register, and monthly bank statements as presented, second by Jarred S. Spencer and carried.

Mayor Hamrick talked with town council about the Cowpens Middle School facility. District Three will be holding a meeting on January 21, 2021, at 7:00 p.m. to listen to the Town of Cowpens ideas for the facility. Mayor Hamrick would like to make the facility more attractive and would be in favor of private or public use.

Jarred S. Spencer inquired about First Baptist Church's plan since the recent fire. Steve Bolin informed council that DHEC had environmental concerns. First Baptist Church is planning temporary fencing to keep the community safe. Mr. Bolin will offer help to provide security from the police department until the fencing is in place.

Mayor Hamrick noted that Walgreens will be closing January 21, 2021. Town Council discussed ideas for investors and franchise relationships for a possible grocery store.

Jarred S. Spencer made a motion to adjourn, second by Thomas Voelker 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