The Regular Parksley Town Meeting

June 14, 2021

Presided over by Mayor Frank Russell

Location: Parksley Volunteer Fire Company

When: 7:00 PM

***Council Members Present***

Dan Matthews, Sam Welch, Ricky Taylor, Henry Nicholson, Chris Hamlin, Mark Layne

Mayor Russell called the meeting to order at 7:02 pm.

Councilman Welch lead the Lord's Prayer and Pledge of Allegiance.

***Guests***

***The May minutes were approved.***

Councilman Nicholson made a motion to approve the May minutes with the correction of "February" to "March", seconded by Councilman Hamlin. Passed via voice vote.

***The monthly bills were approved.***

Councilman Taylor made a motion to approve the May bills, seconded by Councilman Nicholson. Passed via voice vote.

***Reports***

Councilman Taylor received a report from Chief Greer. There were no incidents last month.

Councilman Welch requested we hold a work session this month. Set for June 28th @ 7pm.

***Unfinished Business***

***New Business***

Councilman Matthews made a motion to pass the Blight Ordinance as it's written and adopt Va Codes; § 15.2-907.1. Authority to require removal, repair, etc., of buildings that are declared to be derelict; civil penalty and § 15.2-907.2. Authority of locality or land bank entity to be appointed to act as a receiver to repair derelict and blighted buildings in certain limited circumstances. Seconded by Councilman Layne. A roll call vote was taken:

Councilman Taylor- Aye

Councilman Layne- Aye

Councilman Welch- Aye

Councilman Nicholson- Aye

Councilman Hamlin- Aye

Councilman Matthews- Aye

Councilman Matthews made a motion to amend ordinance Article V- Off Street Parking to include;

*V-7 Parking of Vehicles on Residential Property*

*1. All parking within five (5) feet of the property's water meter is prohibited.*

*2. The property owner shall be responsible for any damages to water meter or town water lines on the property that are damaged as a result of driving on/over- parking on/over said lines or water meter.*

Councilman Matthews made a motion to amend his prior motion to include language regarding a fee structure for the aforementioned ordinance. Seconded by Councilman Layne. A roll call vote was taken:

Councilman Taylor- Aye

Councilman Layne- Aye

Councilman Welch- Aye

Councilman Nicholson- Nay

Councilman Hamlin- Aye

Councilman Matthews- Aye

Councilman Taylor made a motion to continue working on the 2019-2020 budget, seconded by Councilman Hamlin. Passed via voice vote.

Councilman Taylor made a motion for the Town to purchase/repair the Farmer's Market gutters, seconded by Councilman Layne. Passed via voice vote.

Councilman Matthews made a motion for Clerk Lewis to remain for Executive Session, seconded by Councilman Layne. Passed via voice vote.

Councilman Layne made a motion to adjourn to Executive Session to discuss any financial matters, seconded by Councilman Taylor. Passed via voice vote

Councilman Matthews made a motion to adjourn Executive Session, seconded by Councilman Taylor. Passed via voice vote.

Councilman Matthews made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 9:28 PM, seconded by Councilman Layne. Passed via voice vote.