

DARLINGTON TOWN COUNCIL & UTILITY BOARD MINUTES

June 1, 2023

CALL TO ORDER:

President Nicole Parker opened the meeting with 3 council members present and Nick Riddell came in 40 minutes later. Joining the council was Clerk-Treasurer Michelle Cash.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Jessica Burget, Director Montgomery County Emergency Management & Homeland Security presented Resolution 2023-2 Multi- Hazard Mitigation Plan, to update the county-wide Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan (MHMP). This plan is updated every five years. The MHMP focuses on the mitigation phase of the disaster life cycle. In order for National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) communities to be eligible for future mitigation funds, we must adopt either our own or their MHMP or participate in the development of a multi-jurisdictional MHMP. This adoption will assist the Town of Darlington in receiving funding from FEMA if a disaster takes place. A motion to approve the request was made by Noelle Suiter, seconded by Teresa Sutherlin. Motion Approved (4-0)

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Marilyn Cohee motioned to approve the May 4, 2023, regular meeting, seconded by Teresa Sutherlin. Motion Approved (4-0).

MONEY MATTERS:

The motion to approve the payroll docket, accounts receivable and appropriation report for May 2023 was made by Teresa Sutherlin and seconded by Noelle Suiter. Motion Approved (4-0). All reports are emailed *before* the meeting to be reviewed.

NEW BUSINESS: None

OLD BUSINESS:

Clerk Treasurer Cash updated the council on the lock change coming in the next week for the Community Center, The DFI will be looking into replacing the kitchen floor, they have received one estimate so far and our waiting on the other. The DFI will be having the outside doors stained and sealed one at a time to preserve them. The power washing will be finishing up this week at the current locations in town.

STAFF & ELECTED OFFICIAL REPORT:

Attorney Report –no report.

Wastewater Report –

Tom Astbury with Astbury Water Technology, Inc reported that the wastewater received full compliance for May 2023. Mr. Astbury updated the council on the different projects being done at the plant and lift stations.

Electric Report – No Report

MVH Report- No Report

Mr. Riddell was present at this time.

Darlington Police Department – Marshall Kevin Crull sent the May activity logs and the June 2023 police schedule email.

Park – Baseball and Softball season going well.

President Parker had to excuse herself from the meeting at this time.

Code Enforcement Officers – No issues at this time

Clerk-Treasurer-

Clerk-Treasurer Cash presented the billing report for the month of May 2023. Clerk Treasurer Cash completed the flower pots downtown. Clerk Cash reached out to have the Insurance Inspector complete an assessment on any hail damages to the buildings own by the Town.

COUNCIL MEMBERS REPORT

Marilyn Cohee – Nothing

Teresa Sutherlin – Requested that the Summer Reading Program at the Library be posted on the town website.

Noelle Suiter – requested an update on the electric rate increase and the loan, would like to schedule a meeting for Thursday, June 22nd at 5:30 p.m. with the electric guys.

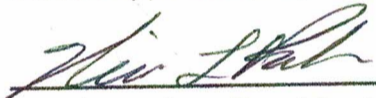
Nick Riddell – Nothing

Nicole Parker – Nothing

PUBLIC COMMENT - None

The next scheduled Town Board and Utility meeting will be on July 6, 2023 – at 5:00 p.m. – at the Darlington Community Center.


The motion to adjourn was made by Vice President Riddell and seconded by Noel Suiter. Motion Approved (4-0).

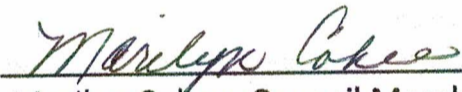


Nicole Parker, President

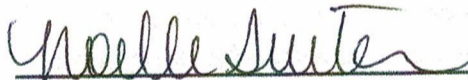


Teresa Sutherlin, Council Member



Nick Riddell, Vice President

Marilyn Cohee, Council Member



Noelle Suiter, Council Member

Attest: 

Michelle R. Cash, Clerk-Treasurer