## **Goldsboro Town Council Meeting Minutes**

Dec. 8,2020

Attendees: Mayor Robin Cahall, Comm. Robert Jarrell, Comm. Kelly Carver, Dr. Cindy Burns-Town Manager, Jeannette DeLude-Town Clerk

The meeting was called to order at 6pm

The minutes from the November meeting were approved as submitted.

Caroline County Sheriff's Office – Lt. Baker was asked to attend the meeting to answer questions from the council. The Mayor explained that some residents have questioned why we pay for the overtime from the Sheriff's office when other towns get for the service for free. Lt. Baker explained how hours are allocated. There are two deputies per shift for the county. Priorities for patrol are set based on areas without their own police departments first then they patrol the county areas and backup those towns with departments. The allocated hours for Goldsboro is done via overtime money and the officer is assigned exclusively for Goldsboro for the hours paid unless there is an extreme emergency requiring them to leave and help another officer.

The earlier car break ins were discussed. Lt. Baker advised an arrest was made, the issue was not just Goldsboro but was in this area. Mayor asked how to educate people that they need to report to Sheriff's dept. Lt Baker said if town hall or one of the council members hear something to let him know and they will forward the information to the patrol officer.

Comm. Carver was called away on an emergency and had to leave the meeting.

Treasurer's Report - approved as submitted

Announcements - None

Old Business -

Bids for site drainage - No bid from Hutchinson yet. Dr. Burns spoke with DNR. They want people to come together and not bid against each other for the same pot of money. Dr. Burns met with Carrie Decker and Eric Buehl onsite to see what they can do to help with the flooding in the back lot. They suggested we install black corrugated piping (approx. cost \$100) and run it to the existing pvc pipe via a joint and hand dig a swale to redirect the water for a temporary fix. They suggested the final solution would be to get an engineered solution with proper drainage to send it to the wetland areas. Carrie Decker is looking for grants for us to do the work.

Quote for parks work – Golden Hills Farms' quote to fix the potholes and remove the wood by the swing sets was approved. Ms. DeLude will advise Golden Hill Farms of the approval.

**Miscellaneous** - Ms. DeLude advised the board that a resident had been in to report a car at the park that had been parked there for a couple of months. Ms. DeLude had notified the sheriff's office about this. They said they knew it was there and the Town could have it towed if they wanted to do so. The Council advised Ms. DeLude to send Lt Baker memo about the car at the park and another car that was abandoned at Mr. Delps property.

New Business - None

Mayor's report - No written report

Circuit Rider Town Managers Report – See attached

Clerk Report – See attached - Ms. DeLude gave an update on the website and stated that she would be working with Kionna Shizak with Dear James Photography on some pictures for the website as she is a professional and would do much better pictures that Ms. DeLude could do with her cell phone. The Council approved Ms. Shizak to do the pictures and agreed to pay her \$100 for the pictures.

Codes Report – See attached – The Mayor asked for Code Enforcement to contact 427 Main St and advise them they need to cover up graffiti on their shed more and to keep an eye on the junk in back yard to see if it gets cleaned up. It may be from construction they are doing.

Energy audit update - Need to wrap up by Jan 5th.

The meeting was adjourned at 706pm