

TOWN OF LITTLETON

LITTLETON, NORTH CAROLINA

The Board of Commissioners of the Town of Littleton held their regular meeting on Monday, May 5, 2014, at 6:30 pm at the Littleton Town Hall. Present were Commissioners Gerleen Pitchford, Sylvia Alston, Clara Debnam and Heidi Hogan.

Mayor Nada Diana Bobbitt opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance followed by the invocation.

Commissioner Alston made a motion seconded by Commissioner Hogan, to approve the Agenda for tonight's meeting. The motion was voted and carried.

Commissioner Debnam made a motion seconded by Commissioner Hogan, to approve the minutes from April as written. The motion was voted and carried.

Following review of the report, Commissioner Alston made a motion seconded by Commissioner Hogan, to submit the CDBG Monthly Performance Status Report. The motion was voted and carried and a copy is hereby incorporated by reference and made a part of these minutes.

Following discussion of interest in a Neighborhood Watch program, Commissioner Alston agreed to create a steering committee to continue efforts in in this area. We agreed to reach out to the Sheriff Wes Tripp and local churches. She will report progress as it is made.

There were no Citizens Comments or Concerns brought before the Board.

Commissioner Alston reported that the cemetery had been mowed twice in April and will be mowed twice in May. The Boy Scouts of Aston NC have adopted the Sunset Hill Cemetery as their community service project. Their efforts already noted with 2 hours of service on May 3, 2014.

Commissioner Hogan reported she had spoken with two paving contractors for repairs of the potholes associated with normal wear and tear due to weather and usage. All potholes have now been identified and marked as either WS or Powell Bill for repair purposes.

Commissioner Hogan reported Library Construction progress was continuing as on schedule. She had also recently met with Mary Sherwood who has donated her decorating expertise to the project in selecting of tiles, carpet, paint and other design issues.

Mayor Bobbitt gave the police report for April; there were no major problems with the cars this month.

Commissioner Pitchford gave the budget report; General Fund revenues YTD \$457,554 or 74%, expenditures \$370,123 or 60%, Water/Sewer Fund revenues YTD \$318,259 or 83% and expenditures \$284,186 or 74%.

Superintendent Hamm reported the Town had purchased 2,364,000 gallons of water and sold 1,715,000 Gallons, 2 bacterial tests were negative. Total used at WWTP 190,000 gallons. Total used for flushing hydrants 70,000 gallons, total unaccounted for 70,000 gallons.

Mr. Don Spraggins asked if there was a storm drain on Church Street in the vicinity of Littleton Hardware. Every time it rains he has a flooding issue in the alley and rear of the store do to run off.

Mr. Johnny Williams at 100 South Square Drive and Ms. Kim Gray at 314 W North Main reported excessive flooding and no proper storm drains in the vicinity of their yards. These issues will be noted by Commissioner Hogan on her streets report and any other storm drain issues will be noted and a list kept in the Town Clerk's office.

Mayor Bobbitt advised the next regular meeting would be June 2nd and the next work session June 17th.

Commissioner Alston made a motion seconded by Commissioner Debnam to adjourn the session at 7:20 pm. The motion was voted and carried.

Clerk