



**TOWN OF ABINGDON, VIRGINIA  
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING  
MONDAY, AUGUST 1, 2016 7:30PM  
COUNCIL CHAMBERS AT THE TOWN MUNICIPAL BUILDING**

*Welcome to the Town of Abingdon, Virginia Regular Council Meeting. We appreciate your interest and we encourage public participation in our meeting. Your comments are important to our decision making process. Please note that there will be two (2) opportunities during the meeting for you to address the Council members. The first opportunity will come when the Mayor declares a public hearing open for comment. The second opportunity to address the council will come near the end of the Agenda when the Mayor will inquire if anyone wishes to speak to Council members regarding matters not listed on the Agenda. We do request that anyone addressing the Council, approach the podium, identify your first and last name and give your complete mailing address.*

**A. WELCOME – *Mayor Lowe***

**B. ROLL CALL – *Tonya Triplett, Deputy Clerk***

**C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – *Cecile Rosenbaum, Assistant Town Manager***

**D. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

- July 1, 2016 Regular/organizational Meeting
- July 20, 2016 Mid-month Work Session, Tour of Town Departments

**E. PETITIONS, PUBLIC HEARINGS AND FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES –**

**F. SECOND READINGS OF ORDINANCES**

**G. CONSIDERATION OF ANY BIDS – None.**

**H. RESOLUTIONS – None.**

**I. REPORTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER AND ASSISTANT TOWN MANAGER**

1. Consideration of moving meeting date in September as the first Monday is Labor Day-  
*Cecile Rosenbaum, Assistant Town Manager*
2. Consideration of request for traffic study relative to the sports complex property as recommended by Planning Commission- *Greg Kelly, Town Manager*

3. Consideration of declaring a vehicle as surplus. 1998 Dodge Ram pickup, Street Department, VIN# 1B7HF16Y9WS713383. The vehicle has had some parts removed to repair/modify another department vehicle and will be auctioned off on line at PublicSurplus.com. – *John Dew, Director of Public Services and Construction*
  
4. Consideration of a Certificate of Appropriateness (COA) for: Marathon Realty Corp., owners, P.O. Box 518, Abingdon, VA 24212; Application for Certificate of Appropriateness for new construction, lighting, landscaping, signage, located near 440 Green Spring Road, Abingdon, VA 24210, including a portion of Tax Map Number 021-1-5B *Matthew Johnson, Director of Planning*
  
5. Abingdon Senior Center – *Natalie Graham, Director of Abingdon Senior Center*

**J. OLD BUSINESS - None.**

**K. MATTERS NOT ON THE AGENDA**

1. Members of the public may address Council members regarding matters not listed for action on the regular agenda – *please keep comments to 3 minutes*
  
2. Council will consider any agenda items not covered in the prior Work Session meeting

**L. APPOINTMENTS TO BOARDS AND COMMITTEES**

- Reappointment of John E. Legard, III on the Economic Development Authority, who is eligible to serve another term
  
- Appointment of members to the Sustain Abingdon Committee

**M. COUNCIL MEMBER REPORTS**

**N. ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- July 29-August 7 – Virginia Highlands Festival
- August 1-7- Telling the Stories at the Abingdon Muster Grounds 1-4pm.
- August 27 - Living History Presentations at the Abingdon Muster Grounds 1-4pm.
- August 20th A Night with Janis Joplin Opening Performance – Main Stage – 8:00 p.m.
- September 21-23 – A call to Arms at the Abingdon Muster Grounds 9am-2pm.
- September 24 – Overmountain Victory Celebration at the Abingdon Muster Grounds 9am-3pm.

**O. ADJOURNMENT**