



**TOWN OF ABINGDON, VIRGINIA
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
MONDAY, APRIL 6, 2015 – 7:30 P.M.
COUNCIL CHAMBERS
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 Morgan*

B. ROLL CALL – *Cecile Rosenbaum, Town Clerk*

C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE - *Tony Sullivan, Chief of Police*

D. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- March 2, 2015 Work Session minutes
- March 2, 2015 Regular Meeting minutes
- March 4, 2015 Budget Work Session Meeting
- March 11, 2015 Budget Work Session Meeting
- March 18, 2015 Budget Work Session Meeting
- March 25, 2015 Budget Work Session Meeting

E. EMPLOYEE RECOGNITIONS – *Greg Kelly, Town Manager*

- Recognition of Glenn Foster, Supervisor for the Town Sewer Services Department for his **FIFTY (50) YEARS OF SERVICE** to the Town.

F. PETITIONS, PUBLIC HEARINGS AND FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES

1. **Public Hearing** – Proposed Rezoning – Consideration of Clifton Stewart Developers, LLC, 16325 Taylor Place, Abingdon, VA 24211, applicants, application to rezone property located at 484 Colonial Road, Abingdon, consisting of .38 acres, from R3, Residential to O & I, Office and Institutional. Tax Map No. 018-1-28 – ***Matthew Johnson, Director of Planning***

2. **Public Hearing** – Consideration of the Council’s desire to establish the Green Spring Realignment Project in the Virginia Department of Transportation’s Six (6) Year Plan and further to move previously allocated Revenue Sharing Funds for the French Moore, Jr., Blvd project to the Green Spring Realignment Project – *John Dew, Director of Public Services and Construction*
 - a. Consideration of **Resolution** of the Council of the Town of Abingdon, Virginia to establish a new revenue sharing project, being the Green Spring Road Realignment Project and add the project to VDOT’s Six (6) Year Improvement Program, and to transfer existing Revenue Sharing Funds from the French Moore, Jr. Blvd Extension to the Green Spring Road Realignment Project.
3. **Public Hearing – First Reading** – Consideration of Ordinance to repeal, amend, and reenact Chapter 7-; Article III – Town Licenses, §70-66 through §70-78 of the Code of the Town of Abingdon, Virginia to eliminate the requirement of display of a decal to prove payment of Town motor vehicle license tax – *Deb Icenhour, Town Attorney*

G. SECOND READINGS – None.

H. SECOND READINGS OF ORDINANCES – None.

I. CONSIDERATION OF ANY BIDS

1. Consideration of bids for asphalt resurfacing in the town – *John Dew, Director of Public Services/Construction*

J. REPORTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER

1. Consideration of the town’s audit report for FY 2013/2014 – *Greg Tucker, Bostic & Tucker Associates*
2. Presentation by Highlands Community Services Washington County Coalition Prevention Project – *Jordan Whitesides, Project Director Assistant*
3. Consideration of the town’s annual tree report – *Kevin Sigmon, Town Arborist*

4. Consideration of appropriation of funding to sponsor the annual YW Tribute to Women –
Jayne Duehring, Council Member

K. RESOLUTIONS – None.

L. OLD BUSINESS

1. Consideration of Council motion relative to the Cruise In Classic Car Club – Greg Kelly,
Town Manager (*matter tabled at the March 2nd, 2015 Regular Meeting*)

M. MATTERS NOT ON THE AGENDA

N. APPOINTMENTS TO BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

O. COUNCIL MEMBER REPORTS

P. ANNOUNCEMENTS

- April 2nd - First Thursday
- April 7th-12th- Quilt Block Party
- April 12th- Music on the Lawn – Blue Ridge Trio, 1-3pm at The Martha
- April 14th- Relay for Life BBQ Fundraiser at Coomes Center from 11:30am-12:30pm
- April 18th- Earth Day Celebration and E-Waste Recycling
- April 19th- Music on the Lawn -- The Jazz Doctors, 1-3pm at The Martha
- April 26th- Music on the Lawn – Le Hotclub de Biglick, 1-3pm at The Martha

Q. ADJOURNMENT