



**TOWN OF ABINGDON, VIRGINIA
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
MONDAY, MAY 3, 2010 – 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.

AGENDA

A. WELCOME AND ROLL CALL

B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

C. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- March 30, 2010 Budget Work Session
- April 5, 2010 Work Session
- April 5, 2010 Regular Meeting
- April 19, 2010 Budget Work Session

D. EMPLOYEE ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

- Recognition of the Town's recent graduates of the Washington County Chamber of Commerce Leadership Program
 - Tonya Triplett, Sales Manager, Tourism Department
 - Aaron Widener, Visitors Center Manager, Tourism Department
 - Floyd Bailey, Dir. of Information Technology
 - Rob Case, Network Administrator, IT Department
- Recognition of Glen Foster, Sewer Maintenance Superintendent for his forty-five (45) years of service to the Town of Abingdon.

E. PETITIONS AND PUBLIC HEARINGS – None.

F. CONSIDERATION OF ANY BIDS

1. Consideration of bids for police/fire safety radio equipment – *Tony Sullivan, Chief of Police*

G. REPORTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER

1. Presentation and demonstration of the Town's new Tourism website (www.abingdonva.us) – *Floyd Bailey, Dir. of Information Technology*
2. Consideration of funding request from Abingdon Senior Center – *Dexter Peltzer, Director*
3. Consideration of funding request from Abingdon High School regarding trail project- *Adam S. Alley, Representative*
4. Consideration of funding request from Destination Imagination, EB Stanley Middle School team – *DeDe Whichard, Representative*
5. Consideration of funding for the Town's delegation to attend the All America City awards competition in Kansas City, Missouri in June - *Greg Kelly, Town Manager*
6. Presentation of award to the Town of Abingdon from the Black's Fort Chapter of the DAR – *Garrett Jackson, Dir. of Planning*

H. PASSAGE OF RESOLUTIONS – None.

I. FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES - None.

J. SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES – None.

K. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

L. MATTERS NOT ON THE AGENDA

M. COUNCIL MEMBER REPORTS

N. MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS AND COMMUNICATIONS

O. ANNOUNCEMENTS

- May 1, 2010 – Opening of Holston Mountain Artisans on Park Street
- May 3, 2010 – Council Meeting
- May 4, 2010 – Town Council Elections, Abingdon Town Hall
- May 8th- Rollin in the Bluegrass- Abingdon Market Pavilion- 6pm-9pm with the *McNally's, Duty Free, Gospel Grass, Whitetop Mountain Band*(Free Concert)
- May 29th – Plumb Alley Day
- May 29th – Memorial Day with *Elvis (Elvis Impersonator)* – Abingdon Market Pavilion 6pm to 9pm (Free Concert)
- May 31st – Memorial Day – Town Offices Closed
- June 7th – Council meeting

P. ADJOURNMENT