



**TOWN OF ABINGDON, VIRGINIA  
TOWN COUNCIL COUNCIL MEETING  
MONDAY, APRIL 3, 2023 – 6:30 pm  
TOWN HALL – COUNCIL CHAMBERS**

**DRAFT AGENDA**

*Please note there will be an opportunity during the meeting for citizens to address the Town Council when the Mayor declares public comments open. We request that anyone addressing the Council sign up, approach the podium when called, state your first and last name, and provide your complete mailing address.*

- A. WELCOME** – *Mayor Pillion*
- B. ROLL CALL** – *Kim Kingsley, Clerk*
- C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE** – *Councilmember Derek Webb*
- D. PRAYER** – *Associate Pastor Barbara Farmer, Pleasant View United Methodist Church*
- E. APPROVAL OF AGENDA** – *Mayor Pillion*
- F. PUBLIC COMMENTS** – Please place your name on the sign-up sheet provided; comments are limited to three (3) minutes per person.
  - Town of Abingdon residents
  - Other public comments (e.g. property owners, organizations)
- G. APPROVAL OF MINUTES** – *Mayor Pillion*
  - March 23, 2023
- H. PROCLAMATIONS**
  - 1. Proclamation designating April 6, 2023 as Arbor Day
- I. PUBLIC HEARING** - Please place your name on the sign-up sheet provided; comments are limited to five (5) minutes per person.
  - 1. Public Hearing - the construction of a sidewalk addition, within the existing right of way, along the north side of East Main Street from an existing sidewalk at the Dollar General store to an existing concrete entrance gutter near St. John’s Lutheran Church for a length of approximately 345 feet. Funding for this project was secured through VDOT using the Highway Safety Improvement Program.
- J. RESOLUTIONS**
  - 1. Resolution approving the application for Industrial Revitalization Funds – *Mayana Rice, Assistant Town Manager and Director of Community Development*
- K. FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES**
- L. SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES**
- M. CONSIDERATION OF BIDS**
  - 1. Consideration of bids for annual asphalt resurfacing – *Michael Surrett, Director of Public Works*

**N. NEW BUSINESS**

1. Presentation from Abingdon Arts Commission – *Greg Lilly, Chair of Abingdon Arts Commission*

**O. OLD BUSINESS**

**P. MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS AND COMMUNICATIONS FROM TOWN MANAGER**

1. Recognition of Coomes Recreation Center lifeguards Carrie Bradshaw and Abby Holmes
2. Arborist annual report – *Kevin Sigmon, Town Arborist*

**Q. COUNCIL MEMBER REPORTS**

**R. APPOINTMENTS TO BOARDS AND COMMITTEES**

1. 1. Recreation Advisory Commission
  - Appointment to fill the unexpired term of Robert “Bob” Howard
  - Appointment to fill the unexpired term of Amanda Pillion
  - Reappointment of Steven Bednar, who is eligible for an additional term

*If Council so desires, Closed Session pursuant to the Code of Virginia, 1950, as amended, Section 2.2-3711(A)(1) for the purpose of considering applications for appointment/reappointment the position(s) on Recreation Advisory Commission*

- S. CLOSED SESSION** with members of the Economic Development Authority to discuss a prospective business or industry or the expansion of existing businesses or industries where no previous announcement has been made of the businesses or industries interest in locating or expanding its facilities in the community, pursuant to Virginia Code §2.2-3711(A)(5), as amended.

**T. ADJOURNMENT**