**Town Council Meeting**

**August 3, 2020**

**6:00 P.M.**

**Present:** Donna Bullock, Steve Cozart, Wayne Godwin, Nina Hendricks, Josh Holloway (via phone), Gretchen McPherson, Shon Owens, Eric Seib, April Watson, Crystal Weatherington

**Meeting called to order:** Shon Owens

**Prayer**: Wayne Godwin

**Pledge:** Shon Owens

**Approval of Meeting Minutes:** Mayor Owens made a motion to accept the minutes as written. Seconded by Councilwoman Hendricks. 4 Yeas. 0 Nays. Motion carried

**Operations Report:** Mr. Seib presented the operations report (attached). Discussion followed. He also gave an update on the current budget (attached).

**Financial Report:** Ms. Watson presented the financial report stating that we were in the middle of the billing period and that only 3 gas customers and 1 water customer are still shut off. Three of those four customer have been off for over a month.

**Clerks Report:** Ms. Bullock presented the council with the clerk’s report and also discussed the guidelines for social distancing in the upcoming election.

**Engineer Report:** Ms. Weatherington gave an update on projects and stated that all projects were moving forward.

**Old Business:**

* Garbage Contract – Mr. Seib discussed the garbage contract negotiations. Mayor Owens asked for the town to address service hookup fees at a later meeting.
* FY – 20/21 Proposed Millage Rate – Mr. Seib presented the council with information regarding the current millage rate. Discussion followed. Councilman Godwin made a motion to leave the millage rate as is and not to increase this rate. Mayor Owens seconded. 4 years, 0 nays. Motion carried.

**New Business:**

* Well #3 Quote – Mr. Seib presented the council with a price quote from Layne (attached). Discussion followed and it was decided to get bids from other companies as well to repair Well #3.
* Mayor Owens discussed the cutting of the grass in the new islands around town. Mr. Seib stated that he would look into who is responsible for taking care of this.

Mayor Owens made a motion to adjourn meeting. Seconded by Councilwoman Hendricks. Meeting adjourned

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Mayor, Shon Owens Town Clerk, Donna Bullock