TOWN OF WINFALL TOWN COUNCIL MEETING April 9, 2018 7:00 PM WINFALL TOWN HALL, WINFALL, NC 27985

The regular monthly meeting of the Winfall Town Council was called to order by Mayor Fred Yates at 7:00 p.m... Invocation was given by Councilman Preston White and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Fred Yates.

Those in attendance were Mayor Pro-Tem Debbie Whedbee, Councilman Preston White, Councilman Steav Congdon, Councilman Kenneth Rominger, and Attorney William Crowe.

Mayor Yates asked Council if there was a conflict of interest. None was declared.

A motion was made by Councilman Kenneth Rominger to approve the agenda with changes after Mayor Yates added Arlene Yates to new business on the agenda and was seconded by Councilman Steav Congdon and so carried.

A motion was made on the approval of the March 12, 2018 minutes by Councilman Steav Congdon, and seconded by Councilman Kenneth Rominger and so carried.

Financial Report:

The Financial Report for November 2017 was prepared by our new Accountant Reba Jordan it was put in motion for approval by Councilman Kenneth Rominger and seconded by Councilman Preston White and so carried. Mayor Yates told council that they had to set aside a day to discuss the 2018-19 Budget. He suggested council take a look at their schedule and let the clerk know when they are available.

Old Business:

Mayor Yates told Council that he heard that the Post Office will be opening sometime in April. He said the building has lights to it now.

Sharon Smith was present from the Perquimans Tourism Dept. she talked about the upcoming Riverbash between Hertford and Winfall and all the activities that were happening at the Riverbash. She went on to say there would be a fishing tournament on April 28 given by Fishers of Men. Sharon also left her budget for 2018-19.

New Business:

Mayor Yates asked Council was anyone going to the Solar Farm Workshop for Public Officials on April 10, 2018 but they all had previous engagements.

Department Reports:

Administration: None.

Roads & Grounds: Mayor Yates told Council that they were a lot of pot holes that were made during the winter storms that damaged the streets and soon as the weather breaks he was going to hire someone to fix the streets.

Sewer: None

Police Department: None

Fire Department: Chief Thomas Roach was there from the Fire dept. and he told Mayor and Council that on June 12th the County will be a having an active shooter scenario at the Perquimans County Middle School. He went on to say that the area would be closed down. Chief Roach also said that the County would also be hosting a hazardous safety

program in the County but he did not know the date at that time when it was taking place. He said the fire dept, was doing well.

Committee Reports:

Recreation: Councilman Steav Congdon said the Recreation Department was having issues about a basketball court.

Beautification: Councilwoman Debbie Whedbee said Reginald White was getting together a lot of activities for the RiverBash.

Attorney: None

Other Business: Mayor Yates read a letter from Mayor Pro-Tem Debbie Whedbee on giving her seat up as a council member because she is moving out of the Town. She will no longer serve on the Board after May 2018. Mayor Yates accepted her letter and told her the Town was losing a good friend and servant.

At 7:10 p.m. A motion was made to **adjourn** the meeting by Councilman Ken Rominger and seconded by Councilman Steav Congdon and so carried.

Frederick L. Yatek, Mayor

Brenda Dillard, Town Clerk