# **Town of Bermuda Run**

## **Town Council Meeting Minutes**

May 11,2021 - 6:00 PM

The Town Council of Bermuda Run held its scheduled meeting on Tuesday, May 11, 2021 at 6:00 PM. The meeting was held at the Bermuda Run Town Hall.

**Council Members Present:** Mayor Rick Cross, Heather Coleman, Curtis Capps, Mike Ernst, Chris

Fowler, and Ken Peacock

#### **Council Members Absent:**

Also Present: Lee Rollins, Town Manager; Cindy Poe, Town Clerk; Brian Williams,

Attorney

<u>Call to Order</u> Mayor Rick Cross called the meeting to order.

#### Pledge of Allegiance

#### **Moment of Silence**

It is the intent of the Town Council to solemnize the proceedings of this meeting and the business brought before the governing board, to offer the opportunity for a reflective moment of silence.

#### Adoption of the Agenda

Council Member Mike Ernst made a motion to approve the agenda. Council Member Heather Coleman seconded the motion. The motion was approved by a vote of five (5) in favor and none opposed.

#### Approval of the April 13, 2021 Town Council Meeting Minutes

Council Member Curtis Capps made a motion to approve the April 13, 2021 meeting minutes. Council Member Chris Fowler seconded the motion. The motion was approved by a vote of five (5) in favor and none opposed.

#### **Public Comments - None**

### Public Hearing -Town Manager's Proposed 2021-2022 Budget

Town Manager Lee Rollins presented his proposed 2021-2022 balanced budgets for the following funds:

• General Fund: \$1,800,000.00

• Gate Operations Fund: \$566,017.00

• Utilities (Sewer) Fund: \$530,850.00

Mayor Rick Cross opened the Public Hearing

Mike Brannon of 1179 Riverbend Drive stated that he fully supported the proposed budget, but stated his desire to see the Council Meetings live streamed to allow more residents to be involved. He feels that the Council should be seen and heard by their constituents and embrace technology and change.

#### Mayor Rick Cross closed the Public Hearing.

Council Member Curtis Capps made a motion to adopt the proposed budget ordinance as presented. Council Member Heather Coleman seconded the motion. The motion was approved by a vote of five (5) in favor and none opposed.

#### Council/ Town Manager/ Mayor Comments

*Heather Coleman – No further comments.* 

Chris Fowler - Thanked Mike Brannon for his input.

Mike Ernst – Stated that the budget was well done, thanking Lee Rollins for his hard work. Shared that residents are confused about recycling since Davie County no longer provides that service for free. Curtis Capps – Appreciates Mike Brannon's suggestion saying the Council would look into options. Ken Peacock – Felt Lee Rollins did a very thorough job on the budget. Mike Brannon's comments were very thoughtful and timely.

Lee Rollins – Recognized Cindy Poe as last week was Municipal Clerks' Week, adding that he appreciates her desire to continue her education. Informed the Council that the Town will be receiving funds from the state of NC as a result of the American Rescue Plan. The money will be in two allocations, one year apart and we will be given guidelines on how the money can be spent.

#### Mayor Rick Cross –

- Thanked Mike Brannon for his input, adding that he feels strongly that we need to stay connected.
- Thanked Mike Dixon of Kinderton Village for sending the town photos of blue herons in the area.
- June 5 Community Event celebrating WinMock's 10-year Anniversary.
- Leadership Davie group visited Town Hall last week to meet with Lee and the Mayor.
- Summer Concert Series begins August 7.
- Drive-through Covid vaccination clinics have stopped, and you can now make appointments at Davie Health and Human Services.
- Shredding Event by Garden Club, and the Town's Spring Clean were both successful.

#### **Adjourn**

With no further business to discuss, Council Member Heather Coleman made a motion to adjourn. Council Member Mike Ernst seconded the motion. The motion was approved by a vote of five (5) in favor and none opposed.

Rick Cross, Mayor

Cindy Poe, Town Clerk

Respectfully Submitted