



Town Council Workshop Meeting Minutes March 4, 2024

Present: Mayor Jeff Schomisch, Vice Mayor Jeannette Ripley, Councilmembers Joe Williams, Kathleen Walker, Mike Walker, Glenda Johnson, and Todd Over. Also in attendance were Town Manager Rommel Pazmino, Chief of Police Robert Liberati, and Code Enforcement Mike Thompson.

Call to Order: Mayor Schomisch called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Announcements by Mayor and Council:

CV3 Meeting: Mayor Schomisch and Town Manager Pazmino met with CV3, which is an IT company that Town could switch to for IT services. In the meantime, Town Manager Pazmino informed the Council that a representative from Now Technologies, Inc. (NTI) will be coming to Town Hall to upgrade our email storage. He hopes this will correct the email issues people were having.

Community Meeting: Mayor Schomisch reminded the Council of the community meeting on March 11 at Ebenezer Church. The meeting will be to learn about the Dominion Apartments proposal, and it will start at 7:00 p.m.

Mayor's Conference: Schomisch briefly discussed his experience at the Mayors Conference.

Annexation Discussion:

Mayor Schomisch reminded the Council that at the next council meeting, on March 18, there will be a public hearing to discuss the annexation. He stated that two council members will not be attending that meeting, so the Town attorney suggested holding off on signing the Annexation Resolution until there was a full council present. Mayor Schomisch suggested still holding the public hearing on March 18 and continuing the meeting on March 19 to sign the Annexation Resolution. This will ensure that all Council members are present. The Council agreed to have an open meeting on Tuesday, March 19 at 7:00 p.m.

Animal Ordinance Discussion:

Mayor Schomisch reminded the Council that the Town Attorney revised the Animal Ordinance and a copy of it was handed out at the previous meeting.

The Mayor and Council began reviewing the Animal Ordinance in detail. Once the review was completed, Mayor Schomisch agreed to send a copy of the corrections made by the Council to the Town Attorney.

Additionally, Chief Liberati will be helping with the writing of some sections of the Ordinance and he will send those to the Town Attorney as well.

Miscellaneous:

- The Council asked if the Town still had a contract with Outlaw Kitties. Mayor Schomisch answered yes, the agreement was once she spayed/neutered 100 cats in Town, then the Town would consider renewing the contract.
- Mike Thompson informed the Council that he has a meeting scheduled with the Assistant State Attorney office to discuss the inconsistencies in court cases. The meeting is on Friday, March 22.

Adjournment:

Mayor Schomisch entertained a motion to adjourn the meeting. Councilman Over moved to adjourn the meeting and Councilman Walker seconded. All present voted in favor and the meeting adjourned at 10 p.m.