## TOWN COUNCIL MINUTES Discussion July 11, 2023

**Council Members:** Mayor Paige, CM Venable

Council Members Absent: CM Harris, CM Baker, CM Reams, CM Frank, VM Moss

Others: Donna McRae-Jones, Dennis Carney, Planning Consultant, Bob Pinelli, Travis Towns

Call to Order at 7:09 p.m.

**Open the Meeting:** The meeting was held at 1030 Main Street, Dillwyn, VA (Town Hall). Mayor Paige established that a quorum was not present. The following announcements and discussion were held.

Ms. McRae-Jones reported that the Relay for Life had raised over \$4,000. Habitat for Humanity will hold its annual Gospel fest on October 7, 2023, at 2:00 p.m. at the Frances Redwood Center.

On September 30, 2023, Habitat will have its annual pig roast in Farmville from 6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Mr. Carney reported that the front door had been installed. He introduced Mr. Robert Pinelli, Town citizen, who wants to operate a business on Warehouse Street. That area is currently zoned light industrial (M-1) and needs to be changed to business (B-1). Mr. Carney will contact absent councilmembers and the Planning Commission members to set up a public hearing at the next Town Council meeting on August 8, 2023. Mr. Pinelli discussed plans for his business.

Mr. Towns suggested that the town check out having a "National Night Out" collaborated with the County Sheriff's Office.

## **Announcements:**

## **COMMITTEES**:

Finance – Linda Paige, Karen Sue Moss, Ossie J. Harris, III, Janel Venable

Town Buildings/Grounds – Ossie J. Harris, III, Gilbert W. Reams

**Planning Commission** – Karen Sue Moss, James O'Bryant, Bill Carmines, Joseph Patterson, Beverly Hudgins-King, Dennis W. Carney

Beautification - Gilbert Reams, Sandra Moss, Mark Brown, Tricia Taylor

Ordinance - Linda Paige,

**Christmas Parade** – Linda Paige, Diane Holman-James, Sarah Walker, Sharon Baker, Rachel Frank **Community Service Workers** – Linda Paige, RW Maxey, Janel Venable

**Halloween Event** – Sharon Baker, Gilbert W. Reams, Melissa Wallace, Buckingham Chamber of Commerce, Adrian Jones, Rachel Frank

**Adjournment:** The meeting was adjourned at 7:52 p.m.