

**TOWN OF SEAGROVE
MINUTES
REGULAR MEETING
November 5, 2013**

The meeting was called to order at 8:04 p.m. by Mayor Pro-Tem Luther. Commissioners in attendance were: Edmonds, Hewitt, and Mullin.

A. Approval of Minutes and Treasurer's Report

Items approved by motion were:

Minutes for October 1st were presented for review. Clerk Morse asked for verification of the street names that need pot holes repaired. She will make appropriate changes to the October minutes. After review, motion to accept the minutes was made by Commissioner Edmonds with second by Commissioner Hewitt. Motion carried unanimously. Minutes will be posted on the Town website within a few days.

Treasurer's Report for October was presented for review. After review, a motion to accept the Treasurer's report was made by Commissioner Mullin with second by Commissioner Edmonds. Motion carried unanimously.

B. Police Report:

The Police report was presented by Chief Maness. He detailed the number of miles driven (1273), hours worked during October were 195 with 10 hours special assignment at Seagrove School, and 5 hours in court. There were 16 field interviews, 5 warrants served, 1 prisoner processed, 4 other traffic arrests, 19 traffic citations, 6 written warnings, 28 verbal warnings, 3 pedestrian/motorist assists, and 2 officer assists. There was 1 traffic accident, 1 domestic call, 1 alarm call, 1 animal call and 5 miscellaneous calls. There were 21 miscellaneous reports filed and 97 building checks.

C. Committee Reports:

Commissioner Edmonds reported that the new stop signs have been installed. There is one more that needs to be done, however it needs a new pole. There will be two extra signs due to the state taking care of two of the signs we thought were our responsibility. The town actually only has 8 signs that need to be maintained. The street signs have not been delivered as of this date. The streets have been repaired where the pot holes were and where the new pipe was put in. Commissioner Edmonds also cut the bushes around the one stop sign that had been over grown with vines.

Commissioner Mullin had nothing new to report.

Commissioner Hewitt stated that a number of inquiries have been made on the property at the corner. Mr. Cheek has this property for sale or lease. There are people looking at this so hopefully there will be future business growth.

Mayor Pro-Tem Luther did not have anything new to report.

Clerk Morse received a request for pottery brochures at Morrow Mountain. It was suggested that the information be passed to the Traditional Pottery Group for them to handle.

D. Old Business:

There currently is no old business to be discussed.

E. Community Business:

Eddie VunCannon came forward and submitted his resignation from the Centennial Celebration group and presented a copy of the financial reports from the celebration. He stated that he will close out the account that had been set up and have it transferred to the town. He also turned in left over prizes and games from the festival.

Mr. VunCannon requested a copy of the minutes and tape recording from the August Town meeting stating that he disagreed with what was presented in the minutes. At this time he also submitted his resignation from the Water Board.

Dennette Lilly spoke about the Christmas Parade. She is attempting to set up an interview at Fox8 to promote the parade. She has had fliers made up. Van Denton is confirmed as the Grand Marshall for the Parade. The parade will line up at 4:30 across from the Fire Department. She is still currently looking for a Santa Claus. If anyone is interested please let her know.

Dr. Chaney stated that any gifts donated can be turned in at the Museum. There has also been an account set up at First Bank under the name of Union Grove Christmas Fund for those wishing to donate money for the toys. The tree is lined up and H&H Furniture has agreed to help in paying the power bill for the Christmas lights and get them up. Ed Blake is donating his time to this endeavor as well. The tree will be lit sometime between 6:00 and 6:30.

After the discussion of the parade and tree lighting, those in attendance listened to the recording from the August Town Meeting. After listening to these minutes, a motion was made by Commissioner Mullin to accept Mr. VunCannon's resignation from the Centennial Committee and the Water Board with a second by Commissioner Hewitt. Motion carried unanimously. It was decided to table the discussion for the replacement for these positions to the next meeting.

Ed Blake requested a copy of the contract for the Carolina Bats, which was given to him after the meeting. He also submitted a request for payment for repair of the lights at the ball field.

There being no other business to address, motion to adjourn was made by Commissioner Mullin and seconded by Commissioner Edmonds. Motion passed unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 9:15 p.m.

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Barbara Luther

Barbara Luther, Mayor Pro-Tem

ATTEST:

Shawn Morse
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Town Clerk