



Town of Luray

45 East Main Street
P.O. Box 629
Luray, Virginia 22835



PUBLIC NOTICE

February 15, 2022

At their February 14, 2022 Council Meeting, the Luray Town Council reviewed the following issues and took the following actions.

Under the Roll Call item:

All members were present with Vice-Mayor Schiro attending remotely.

Under Addition or Deletion from Agenda item:

Council unanimously added a Closed Meeting to discuss the acquisition of real property.

Under the Consent Agenda Item:

Town Council unanimously approved the minutes from the January 10th Regular Meeting, the January 25th Work Session, financial reports for January 2022, acceptance of a \$15,000 private donation for the purchase of patrol rifles, and the accounts payable totaling \$256,048.42

Under the General Citizen Comments Agenda Item:

- 1) Annette Sinclair of 606 East Main Street spoke against an increase in the Meals Tax. She stated that costs were going up and businesses could not afford the increase. She further stated that snow had been pushed into the driveway of her business. She concluded that the Town should tax vape equipment, CBD oil products, and marijuana.

Under the Presentations agenda item:

- 1) Jackie Elliott, Program Manager for the Luray Downtown Initiative, wished everyone a Happy Valentine's Day. Ms. Elliott expressed her thanks to Ashley and Danielle with the Town for their assistance in locating information to provide to the Main Street Program. Ms. Elliott invited everyone to the Downtown Mardi Gras celebration on Saturday, March 5th that will include specials and in-store events. Ms. Elliott also invited Council to the ribbon cutting for the new Alcova Mortgage Office on West Main Street on Wednesday, February 16th.

Under the Public Hearings agenda item:

- 1) Council conducted a Public Hearing to receive public input on the rezoning of sixteen split-zoned parcels in the Town limits. No speakers spoke. Town Council unanimously approved the rezonings as presented.

Under the Action & Discussion agenda item:

- 1) Town Council unanimously approved the change of name of a portion of North Alley from Lee Street to the Hawksbill Greenway, maintain North Alley from North Broad Street to the dead end, and remove the name designation from the railroad to Williams Street.



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- 2) Town Council unanimously approved the Code Amendment to Chapter 74, Article IV – E-911 Addressing to more closely align Town Code with the County’s Code. Council also referred Appendix B – Subdivisions – Section 402.8 to the Planning Commission for revision as it relates to street names and addressing.
- 3) Town Council unanimously approved the 2021 Planning Commission Annual Report.
- 4) Town Council unanimously approved the Sketch Plat for Parcel 42A12-A-101 to develop twelve lots.
- 5) Town Council unanimously approved and accepted dedication of a 10-foot Access & Utility Easement from Edward and Anita Faye Baker on Parcel 42A6-1-45.
- 6) Town Council unanimously approved the second one-year extension of the Dean Park Concession Contract to the Luray Little League.
- 7) Town Council unanimously approved the updated Field Use, Equipment & Maintenance Agreement between the Town and the Luray Little League.
- 8) Town Council unanimously approved the VDOT Project Administration Blanket Resolution.
- 9) Town Council unanimously approved the date and time for the Town’s Christmas Parade as Thursday, December 15th at 6:30 pm with a rain date of Friday, December 16th at 6:30 pm. The Tree Lighting Ceremony will be Friday December 2nd at 7:30 pm.
- 10) Town Council unanimously authorized the Chief of Police to develop the Luray Police Foundation to accept donations to support local law enforcement initiatives.
- 11) Town Council unanimously approved converting a full-time Patrol Officer position from a part-time Investigator position in the Police Department.
- 12) Town Council unanimously approve the FY 2022-2023 Budget Calendar.

Under the Town Attorney’s Report agenda item:

No update provided.

Under the Council Comments agenda item:

Councilman Vickers wished everyone a Happy Valentines Day. Chief Cook thanks Town Attorney Jason Botkins for his assistance with a recent TDO incident.

Under the Mayor’s Announcements agenda item:

Mayor Dofflemyer thanked Council for their participation in the recent Council Retreat to develop short-term and long-term goals, invited Council to the Alcova Mortgage ribbon cutting, and wished everyone a Happy Valentine’s Day.

The February 14th Town Council Meeting can be viewed on the Town’s YouTube page at <https://youtu.be/nE-l6iEcpaw>

For more information about the February 14th Council Meeting, please contact the Town Manager at sburke@townofluray.com or (540) 743-5511.