

**MINUTES OF
TOWN OF NORTH SALEM
COUNCIL MEETING
JANUARY 5, 2023**

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER:


The January 5, 2023 Council Meeting was called to order by Council President Becky Fancher at 6:00 pm. Becky led with the Pledge of Allegiance followed by a prayer from Jimmy.

2. ROLL CALL:

Becky Fancher, President – Present

Jimmy Roberts, Vice President – Present

Bill Compton, Member - Present



3. ELECTION OF OFFICERS: Bill made a motion to keep officers as they are currently (see above); Becky seconded; motion passed unanimously.

4. MINUTES:

Becky asked if there were any additions or corrections to the minutes of the December Council meeting. There being none, she made a motion to approve as written; Jimmy seconded.

5. OLD ITEMS:

- a. Ordinance 2022-8 – Tap On Fees – THIRD AND FINAL Read – Becky made a motion to pass as is; Bill seconded. Motion passed unanimously.
- b. Ordinance 2022-9 – Peddlers Fees – Becky made a motion to pass as is; Bill seconded; motion passed unanimously.

6. NEW ITEMS:

- a. 2023 Salary Ordinance – Amended – Kyle has taken a job and has to be away at training for 6 months and therefore Mark will have to fill in, it was necessary to amend the salary ordinance. Bill made a motion to approve; Becky seconded; motion passed unanimously.
- b. 2023 Contractual Agreements – Becky made a motion to approve the 2023 contract for legal services for Harold Blake; Bill seconded; motion passed unanimously. Becky then made a motion to approve the contract for Doug Clodfelter, Wastewater Operator, for 2023; Bill seconded; motion passed unanimously.
- c. Annual Nepotism Forms – Beth asked that Council complete and return to her tonight.

7. REPORTS:

- a. Mark/Kevin – Mark spoke about the PFAS documents. Mark spoke with Sherry at Alliance of Rural Water and she recommends that we become a part of this program. Since Harold recommends also, Mark will complete the forms. Kevin reported that they have swapped out the No Soliciting signs; also will be installing Melrose Lane when the ground thaws. Street light has been repaired. Gas tanks will be delivered next Wednesday.
- b. NSPD – Becky reported that Ron Kneeland was no longer our Town Marshal. She introduced Corey Shaffer, who will begin his duties on February 1st. She also recommended that we have a “Meet the Marshal” night in the Community Building.
- c. Council – None.
- d. Harold Blake – None.
- e. Beth – None.

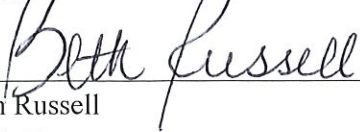
8. PUBLIC

Aimee Albright spoke about the Chili Cook Off taking place in the Community Building, January 21st. We currently have 5 entries. Karen Roberts thanked the Town for all the help with Christmas on Pearl Street. It was a huge success. Only complaint was that the Marshal did not put up “no parking” signs as requested.

9. ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 6:22 pm. Council signed claims. The next Council Meeting will be February 2, 2023 at 6:00 pm.

Attest:



Beth Russell
Clerk-Treasurer