

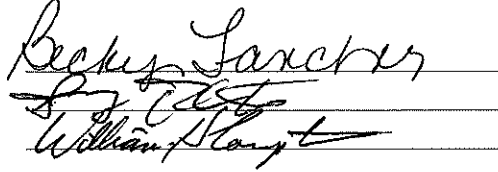
NORTH SALEM
TOWN COUNCIL
MEETING
JANUARY 4, 2024

1. **CALL MEETING TO ORDER:**

The January 4, 2024, Council Meeting was called to order by Council President Becky Fancher at 6:00 pm. She led with the Pledge of Allegiance followed by a prayer.

2. **ROLL CALL:**

Becky Fancher, President – Present
Jimmy Roberts, Vice President – Present
Bill Compton, Member – Present



3. **ELECTION OF OFFICERS:**

Becky asked if everyone was okay with officers staying the same for 2024. Bill made a motion to keep the officers the same; Becky seconded; motion passed unanimously.

4. **MINUTES:**

Bill made a motion to approve the December minutes as written; Becky seconded; motion passed unanimously.

5. **OLD ITEMS:**

a. Alley between Broadway and Nebraska Streets – This item was tabled from the December meeting. Kevin spoke to the Council regarding closing this alley as well as the one across the street (Nebraska to California) as they were not meant to be “drivable” alleys. Concerned residents were in attendance once again to voice their concerns. After much discussion, Bill made a motion to “vacate” the alley since the resident who uses the alley has access from Nebraska Street. There was no second and further discussion ensued. After much more discussion, Becky made a motion to table once again until the February meeting so more investigation could take place. Jimmy seconded; motion passed unanimously.

6. **NEW ITEMS:**

None

7. **REPORTS:**

- a. Kevin – let Council know that they have an IDEM audit in the morning; they have had some issues with Street lights but they are repaired now. We are still waiting on a Purchase Agreement from Joe Goldsmith. They are still working on finding generators – the problem is the vendors cannot get them. Harold suggested placing the order and paying when they do get them in since we have to spend the ARP money by December.
- b. NSPD – Corey’s report was submitted to Council. He also reported that the vehicle is now 100% done – lights, etc. He has ordered a new laser radar gun; Christmas on Pearl Street went very well. He also addressed the Council about possibly working four 10 hour days a couple of weeks a month. Council will discuss this with him when they discuss his 2024 contract this month.
- c. Council – None
- d. Harold – None
- e. Beth – presented Council with the 2024 contract for Harold. Bill made a motion to approve; Jimmy seconded. She then presented council with the 2024 contract for Doug Clodfelter, Waste Water Operator. Bill made a motion to approve; Becky seconded.

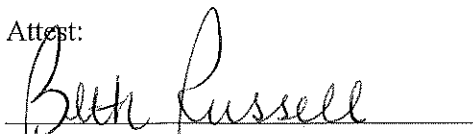
8. **PUBLIC**

a. Gary Harris was in attendance to discuss his water bill over the last four years. Linda Miller updated Council on “Christmas on Pearl Street” and how well it went.

9. **ADJOURNMENT:**

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:09 pm. The next Council Meeting will be February 1, 2024, at 6:00 pm.

Attest:



Beth Russell

Clerk-Treasurer

North Salem Police Department Monthly Stat Sheet
Dates: Jan 5 - Feb 1

	Hours Involved	Total Number
Self Initiated Runs	7	9
On Duty Dispatched Runs	6	7
Off Duty Call Outs	1	2
Reports / Arrests	0	0/0
Traffic Stops	8	13
Traffic Tickets / Warnings	N/A	3/10
Patrol Hours	110	N/A
Administrative Duty Hours	23	N/A
School Detail Hours	46	N/A
Public Relations Hours	5	N/A
Total Monthly Hours Worked	184	N/A
Day Shifts vs Middle Shifts	N/A	20/3
Total Monthly Sick Leave	0	N/A
Total Monthly Vacation Leave	0	N/A
Police SUV Beginning Mileage	N/A	3928
Police SUV Ending Mileage	N/A	4993
Total Fuel Used (Gallons)	N/A	75.9

Runs of Note:

VIN Check
 3 Accidents
 Funeral Escort
 Funeral Security
 Secure Open Door House
 Moved Radar Signs