# TOWN OF GARLAND RECONVENED REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS THURSDAY, JUNE 23, 2022 6:30 PM

The Reconvened Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Garland was held at the Garland Town Hall in Garland, N.C. on Thursday, June 23, 2022 at 6:30 pm.

The following members of the Board of Commissioners were present:

Carolyn R. Melvin

Jo A. Strickland

Barbara A. Peterson

Andy Johnson

Ralph Smith Jr.

Also present: Pamela Cashwell, Town Clerk/ Finance Officer. There were no citizens in attendance.

#### CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Austin Brown called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm and welcomed everyone in attendance. Town Clerk, Pamela Cashwell, was present recording notes for the minutes.

## **QUORUM**

Mayor Austin Brown and Clerk Pamela Cashwell established there was a guorum present.

PRESENTATION & ADOPTION OF THE 2022/2023 BUDGET ORDINANCE AND FEE SCHEDULE Clerk Cashwell presented and reviewed the recommended 2022/2023 Budget Ordinance and Fee Schedule. (See attached). Mayor Pro Tem Carolyn R. Melvin made a motion to adopt the 2022/2023 Budget Ordinance and Fee Schedule as recommended and presented. Motion seconded by Commissioner Ralph Smith Jr. and carried unanimously.

### **OUTSTANDING INVOICES**

Clerk Cashwell informed the board of two outstanding invoices for their consideration. Neat Front Inc. in the amount of \$1,447.13 and Johnnie Gibbs in the amount of \$1,911.00. Both invoices are for work completed on the concession stand. Mayor Pro Tem Carolyn R. Melvin made a motion to approve both invoices, seconded by Commissioner Barbara A. Peterson. During discussion, Commissioner Jo A. Strickland stated the invoices were not approved by the board prior to the work on the concession stand and it is illegal to pay the invoices. Mayor Brown called for the vote and the motion carried with a vote of three to two. Commissioners Jo A. Strickland and Andy Johnson voted against the motion.

Clerk Cashwell asked for the status of the fencing for the recycle dumpster to be placed at town hall. Commissioner Johnson stated he would get to work on this tomorrow morning. Commissioner Andy Johnson made a motion to approve up to \$1,500.00 to place fencing for the dumpster at town hall, seconded by Commissioner Barbara A. Peterson and carried unanimously.

Clerk Cashwell informed board members that Mr. Carroll had reported he had extra contract hours over the last three years he hasn't submitted. Board members agreed to look into this with Mr. Carroll.

# <u>ADJOURNMENT</u>

Mayor Pro Tem Carolyn R. Melvin made a motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Commissioner Barbara A. Peterson and carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 7:05 pm.

Panela Cashwell
Pamela Cashwell, Town Clerk/Finance Officer

Board Approved:

Austin Brown, Wayor