

City of Mount Holly
Mount Holly City Council Meeting
Monday, December 14, 2020
Council Chambers
7:00 pm

Call to Order

Mayor Bryan Hough called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm. The following were present:

Mayor Bryan Hough	Miles Braswell, City Manager
Mayor Pro Tem David Moore	Don Roper, Chief of Police
Councilwoman Phyllis Harris	Brian Reagan, Deputy Police Chief
Councilman Charles McCorkle	Tony Walker, Streets and Solid Waste Director
Councilman Jeff Meadows	Dave Johnson, Utilities Director/City Engineer
Councilwoman Christina Pawlish	Ryan Baker, Fire Chief
Councilwoman Lauren Shoemaker	Greg Beal, Planning Director
Kemp Michael, City Attorney	

Invocation

Councilman Charles McCorkle gave the invocation

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Councilman Meadows led the Pledge of Allegiance

SET THE AGENDA

Mayor Hough advised that there are no changes to the agenda. Mayor Pro Tem Moore made a motion to approve the agenda as presented. Councilwoman Pawlish seconded the motion. All council members voted in favor. (Motion carried)

CONSENT AGENDA

1. Approval of the 2021 Council Meeting Schedule
2. Approval of Budget Amendment
3. Approval of the Renewal of Coldwell Banker Listing Agreement - 725 Elm Street Property
4. Approval of Extending Expired Planning Commission Member Terms to January 2021
5. Approval of a Resolution to Publish a Notice of the Proposed Lease of Cell Tower Space as outlined in the Memorandum from the City Attorney
6. Approval of a Resolution Directing the Clerk to Investigate and Certify the Sufficiency of a Petition for Gaston County Parcel ID: 304155 and Call for a Public Hearing on the Question of Annexation to be held on January 11, 2021 at 7:00PM (Riverbend)

Councilman McCorkle made a motion to approve the consent agenda. Councilwoman Pawlish seconded the motion. All Council Members present voted in favor. (Motion carried)

PUBLIC COMMENT – Three (3) Minute Limit

No one was signed up to speak

NEW BUSINESS

1. Discussion of Memorial for Fallen Officer Tyler Herndon

Mayor Hough advised that Representative Torbett is here for support and will help with anything he can during the process of naming a highway as a Memorial to Officer Herndon. Representative Torbett advised that the first step is a letter of recommendation. There was discussion in regard to naming a 5 mile stretch of highway or naming the I85 Bridge. Chief Roper advised that some discussion has taken place in regard to some internal Police Department awards and memorials. It was

the consensus of Council to appoint an Officer Tyler Herndon Memorial Committee to help with the process and the recommendation.

COUNCIL APPOINTMENTS

1. Mayor Pro Tem Lauren Shoemaker
2. City Attorney Marie Anders
3. Assistant City Attorney Kemp

Mayor Pro Tem Moore made a motion to approve the Council Appointments. Councilwoman Harris seconded the motion. All Council Members voted in favor. Motion carried.

CLOSED SESSION

1. Closed Session Pursuant to N.C.G.S 143-318.11 (a)(3, 5 and 6)

Councilwoman Pawlish made a motion to enter into closed session pursuant to N.C.G.S 143-318.11 (a)(3, 5 and 6). Councilwoman Shoemaker seconded the motion. All Council Members voted in favor. Motion carried. The time was 7:30 p.m.

Councilwoman Harris made a motion to return to open session. Councilwoman Shoemaker seconded the motion. All Council Members voted in favor. Motion carried.

The time was 7:49 p.m.

Mayor Hough advised there was no action taken during Closed Session.

ADJOURN

With no additional items for discussion, Mayor Hough entertained a motion to adjourn. Councilwoman Shoemaker made the motion to adjourn the December 14, 2020 Council Meeting. Councilwoman Harris seconded the motion. All Council members present voted in favor. (Motion carried)

The meeting adjourned at 7:50 p.m.