

MINUTES  
LOUISBURG TOWN COUNCIL  
APRIL 17, 2017

The Louisburg Town Council met on Monday, April 17, 2017, at 7:30 p.m. at Town Hall. Mayor Karl Pernell and Council Members Bill Williamson, Tom Clancy, Joe Shearon, Boyd Sturges, Emma Stewart and Chris Neal were present.

Assistant Administrator Tony King gave the invocation.

Council Member Sturges moved that the minutes be approved. Council Member Shearon seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

Dr. Mark LaBranche, President of Louisburg College, was honored for his outstanding community service as he has accepted a position to lead Martin Methodist College in Tennessee. Town Clerk Carolyn Patterson read a resolution in his honor, and Mayor Karl Pernell presented him with an award on behalf of the Louisburg Town Council.

Council Member Sturges moved to approve Capital Project Ordinances for the following projects: Police Car Project, Parking Lot Project, Parks & Recreation Building Project, and Treated Wastewater Pipeline Project. Council Member Clancy seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

Council Member Sturges moved to go into closed session at 7:45 p.m. Council Member Stewart seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

Council Member Williamson moved to return to open session at 8:30 p.m. Council Member Clancy seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

Council Member Williamson moved that Jason Abbott be hired as Interim Police Chief for six months and that his salary be increased by 5%, and at the end of the six months the Council will revisit his full time status and salary. Council Member Neal seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

Council Member Sturges moved that the meeting be adjourned. Council Member Williamson seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

Carolyn D. Patterson

Administrative Assistant/Town Clerk CMC