

**MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE
TOWN OF TARBORO, HELD AT 7:00 PM ON MONDAY, JANUARY 9, 2023 IN
THE COUNCIL ROOM, TOWN HALL, TARBORO, NORTH CAROLINA**

MEMBERS PRESENT

Councilman Woodard
Councilman Taylor
Councilman Burnette
Councilman Brown
Councilman Jenkins
Councilmember Jordan
Councilmember Bynum
Councilman Braxton

MEMBERS ABSENT

Mayor Mayo

ALSO PRESENT

Troy Lewis, Town Manager
Leslie Lunsford, Town Clerk
Chad Hinton, Town Attorney

1. MEETING CALLED TO ORDER BY THE MAYOR

Meeting called to order by the Mayor Pro-Tem, Councilman Taylor.

2. INVOCATION

Councilman Taylor.

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA BY COUNCIL

Agenda was amended to include a Cervical Cancer Proclamation. The amended agenda was approved.

John Jenkins made a motion, which was seconded by Alfred Braxton and Passed, Motion.

5. REQUESTS AND PETITIONS OF CITIZENS

None.

6. TOWN MANAGERS RECOMMENDATIONS

Consent Items

Consent Items approved as presented.

Alfred Braxton made a motion, which was seconded by Deborah Jordan and Passed, Motion.

- (1) Approve minutes of the December 12, 2022 regular meeting.
- (2) 2022 Tax Levy Adjustment
- (3) Tax Collector's Report
- (4) Budget Transfers

Action Items

(5) CMAQ Multi-Use Trail Budget Amendment

Council approved the CMAQ Multi-Use Trail Budget Amendment. Alfred Braxton made a motion, which was seconded by Deborah Jordan and Passed, Motion.

(6) Mountains to Coast Bicycle Ride

Council authorized staff to work with the Chamber of Commerce, the Tourism Development Authority, and the Tarboro Development Corporation on successfully accommodating the "Mountain to Coast" bicycle ride on October 5-6, 2023. The Town will allow event participants to utilize the Town Common for camping for 1 night during the event.

Othar Woodard made a motion, which was seconded by Alfred Braxton and Passed, Motion.

7. OTHER REPORTS

A. Town Manager

Troy Lewis acknowledged National Law Enforcement Appreciation Day.

- (1) Town Council Planning Retreat Discussion - Potential Date March 4th & 5th

Council scheduled the annual Town Council Planning Retreat for March 4th & 5th. Location to be announced.

B. Town Attorney

Chad Hinton suggested Council revisit the Golf Cart Ordinance at the Council Retreat.

C. Council Members

Councilman Woodard - hopes everyone had a good holiday.

Councilman Taylor - great New Years Eve celebration.

Councilman Burnette - requested staff look at the speed limits on Daniel Street Ext, seems like a speed trap.

Councilman Brown - none.

Councilman Jenkins - requested staff look at the speed limits on Howard Avenue by the Tarboro Fire Department.

Councilmember Jordan - none.

Councilmember Bynum - hopes everyone had a happy New Year.

Councilman Braxton - suggested the downtown area be referred to as Historic Downtown Tarboro.

8. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned.

John Jenkins made a motion, which was seconded by Alfred Braxton and Passed, Motion.