

**Stoneville Town Council
Meeting Minutes
January 5, 2021
7:00 PM via Zoom and In
Person**

Present: Present were Mayor Kathy Stanley-Galvan and Johnny Farmer. Councilmen Chuck Hundley (via ZOOM), Bill Farris (via ZOOM), Henry Thornton, Jerry Smith (via ZOOM).
Also, present were Town Manager Lori Armstrong, Human Resource/Finance Officer Joanna Dalton (via ZOOM), Town Clerk Sherri Darnell, Police Chief Frank Moore, Administrative Assistant Perry Webster, Public Works Director Mark Malloy, and Town Attorney Lisa Arthur (via ZOOM).

Welcome: Mayor Galvan welcomed the assembly. After the Pledge of Allegiance and Invocation, called the meeting to order.

Minutes: Mayor Galvan asked for a motion to approve the Minutes from the December 1, 7 and 15, 2020 meetings. Councilman Thornton made the motion to approve the minutes. Councilman Farris seconded. Motion carried.

Agenda: Mayor Galvan asked for a motion to approve the Agenda. Councilman Smith made the motion. Councilman Hundley seconded. Motion carried.

Council Comments: Comments of appreciation for Police Department, Public Works Department, Fire Department and Administration for their dedication and hard work. Suggestion regarding tagging of excessive time at curb for solid waste receptacles. Request to place on Agenda for next month with suggested fee schedule.

New Business:

2019/2020 Audit:

Mr. Craig Hopkins gave the overview of the 2019/2020 budget audit stating that overall we are in great financial shape. Copy incorporated into the minutes.

NCDEQ Notice of Regulatory Requirements:

Letter received from NCDEQ regarding an incident from 1996 at the yard on Haywood and Leslie Streets. Quotes are being requested and remediation will begin as soon as possible. Trust monies are available but not guaranteed. Copy incorporated into the minutes

Town of Stoneville Medical Services:

UNC Rockingham has agreed to a meeting on January 8, 2021 to discuss possible options for bringing medical services back to Stoneville.

Public Comments:

Mr. Ray Wiggins made comments regarding Public Safety needing more money and the building being locked up.

Mr. Al Robbins spoke about Council comments and Public comments.

Old Business:

Public Works Building:

After much discussion, Town Manager Armstrong was instructed by Council to move forward with the plans to obtain a conceptual drawing of what the building will look like as well as the site it will be erected upon.

Stoneville Youth Council:

Applications for starting a Youth Council will be distributed to 9th through 12th graders that would be interested in learning more about local government. This will include public schooled, home schooled, private schooled, etc. Copy incorporated into the minutes.

Vision Retreat:

Our vision retreat will be held on January 15th at 9AM at Town Hall.

Town Manager Report:

Town Hall remains closed to the public due to the pandemic with Rockingham County still being at a critical stage.

Quarterly newsletter has been mailed to customers.

Payment plans have decreased from 28 to 18 which will end with the February billing. Extensions will be considered for 30 days on a case by case basis.

Crosswalks at Stone Street and West Main Street have been completed.

Looking into on-line payments.

Looking for temporary storage facilities for equipment.

FEMA grant is still pending.

Our Town Facebook page is growing rapidly with 1034 likes. The reading on Christmas Eve with Chief Moore and Captain Rivera has gotten more than 5,000 views.

We would like to thank Ricky Craddock and his crew that delivered treat bags this year.

Adjourn:

Mayor Galvan then asked for a motion of adjournment. Councilman Thornton made the motion. Councilman Farmer seconded. Motion carried.


Mayor, Kathy Stanley-Galvan


Town Clerk, Sherri Darnell, CMC, NCCMC



**Stoneville Town Council Vision
Retreat Minutes
January 15, 2021
9:00 AM via Zoom and In
Person
Call to Order- Mayor Galvan
Pledge of Allegiance &
Invocation
Approval of Agenda**

Present: Present were Mayor Kathy Stanley-Galvan, Councilmen Chuck Hundley, Henry Thornton and Johnny Farmer. Councilman Smith via Zoom and then in person at 11:15 AM. Councilman Bill Farris was absent.

Also present were Town Manager Lori Armstrong, Human Resource/Finance Officer Joanna Dalton, Town Clerk Sherri Darnell, Public Works Director Mark Malloy, Police Chief Frank Moore, and Police Captain Brandon Rivera.

Agenda:

Mayor Galvan asked for a motion of approval of the Agenda. Councilman Thornton made the motion. Councilman Hundley seconded. Motion carried.

Welcome:

Town Manager Armstrong welcomed everyone to the retreat with a request to accomplish at least 3 things from this meeting. A sense of direction through improved collaborative efforts, a clear vision with better avenues for community input and a feeling of accomplishment by obtaining 60% of the goals set forth today.

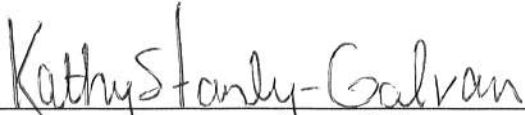
Review of 2020 Retreat:

After reviewing the goals set at the 2020 retreat and acknowledging the pandemic we were still in the midst of; some of the goals were met or at least an attempt was made to move forward while trying to keep our community and staff safe during this unprecedented time. Copy incorporated into the minutes.

2021 Vision:


What is your vision for 2021 and beyond? Much discussion was had by all. Synopsis incorporated into the minutes.

Adjourn: Mayor Galvan asked for a motion of adjournment. Councilman Thornton made the motion. Councilman Hundley seconded. Motion carried.



Mayor, Kathy Stanley- Galvan





Sherri Darnell, CMC, NCCMC Town Clerk

**Stoneville Town Council
Special Meeting Minutes
January 26, 2021
6:00 PM**

Present: Present were Mayor Kathy Stanley-Galvan, Councilmen Chuck Hundley, Jerry Smith, Henry Thornton, Bill Farris and Johnny Farmer.

Welcome: Mayor Galvan asked for the Pledge of Allegiance and Invocation and called the meeting to order.

Agenda: Mayor Galvan asked for a motion to approve the Agenda. Councilman Thornton made the motion. Councilman Hundley seconded. Motion carried.

Executive Session:

Mayor Galvan asked for a motion to enter into executive session. Councilman Smith made the motion. Councilman Farris seconded. Motion carried.

Return to Regular Session:

Motion was made to return to regular session by Councilman Smith. Councilman Hundley seconded. Motion carried.

Mayor Galvan stated that a personnel issue was discussed.

Councilman Smith made the motion to end the contract with the Town Manager. Councilman Thornton seconded. Motion carried with Councilmen Hundley and Farris voting NO.

Adjourn:

Motion to adjourn made by Councilman Smith. Seconded by Councilman Farmer. Motion carried.


Mayor, Kathy Stanley-Galvan


Town Clerk, Sherri Darnell, CMC, NCCMC

