

DARLINGTON TOWN COUNCIL & UTILITY BOARD MINUTES
March 6, 2025

CALL TO ORDER: President Nicole Parker opened the meeting with the pledge. President Parker was joined by Vice President Sutherlin, Jeremy Weliever and Marilyn Cohee. Not present Jennifer Flaughter. Also joining the council was Clerk-Treasurer Michelle Cash, and Electric Superintendent Brian Mullen and Jason Gates.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

A motion to approve the February 6, 2025 minutes was made by Marilyn Cohee, seconded by Jeremy Weliever. Motion Approved (4-0)

MONEY MATTERS:

A motion to approve the payroll docket accounts receivable transfer's and appropriation report for February 2025 was made by Jeremy Weliever and seconded by Marilyn Cohee. Motion Approved (4-0). All reports are emailed *before* the meeting to be reviewed.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

A representative of V.S. Engineering came to discuss the wastewater plant and offer services for future infrastructure. The council took the information under advisement.

NEW BUSINESS:

Park Concession Contract will be moved to Old Business.

The 2025 baseball and softball contracts were under discussion with a motion made by Jeremy Weliever to collect 15% from each contract, seconded by Marilyn Cohee. Motion Approved (4-0).

OLD BUSINESS:

A motion to hire UMAC as the new wastewater operators starting April 1, 2025 was made by Jeremy Weliever, seconded by Vice President Teresa Sutherlin. Motion Approved (4-0)

Clerk Treasurer Cash gave another update on the Community Center. Clerk Cash asked for a representative from the council to meet with her and the DFI to further discuss the projects. Councilmen Jeremy Weliever volunteered.

Clerk Cash asked if the council would want an appraisal on the empty lot and the town hall for future information. Councilmen Jeremy Weliever volunteered to reach out and get an appointment on the calendar. A motion to get the appraisal done was made by Nicole Parker, seconded by Jeremy Weliever. Motion Approved (4-0)

STAFF & ELECTED OFFICIAL REPORT:

Attorney Report –None

Wastewater Report – None

Electric Report – Superintendent Brian Mullen informed the council that the underground work at Pilot was completed and they would be working on three residential areas for the Montgomery County Sewer District. Linemen Jason Gates talked to the council about a third person hire, because he was retiring four years from January 1, 2025.

MVH Report- Mr. Mullen reported on painting streets for the business only parking.

Darlington Police Department – Marshall Kevin Crull sent the February 2025 activity logs and the March 2025 police schedule in an email. Mr. Crull will be looking into cameras for the Town Hall.

Park – Nothing

Code Enforcement Officers – a report was given on a vehicle up on blocks n Meridian Street.

Clerk-Treasurer Cash presented the billing report for February 2025.

COUNCIL MEMBERS REPORT

Marilyn Cohee – None.

Teresa Sutherlin – None

Jennifer Flaughter – Not Present

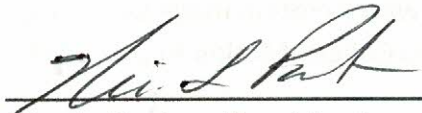
Jeremy Weliever –Wanted an update on aqua and the smart meters.

Nicole Parker – None

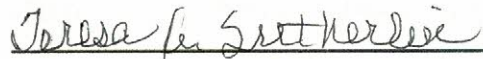
PUBLIC COMMENT - None

Town Board and Utility meeting will be on April 3, 2025 – at 5:00 p.m. – at the Darlington Community Center.

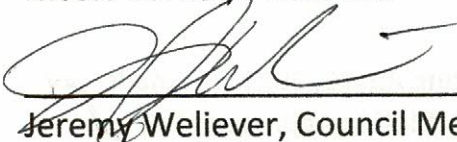
Marilyn Cohee motioned to adjourn and was seconded by Vice President. Motion Approved (4-0).



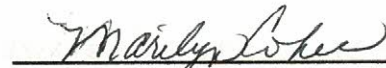
Nicole Parker, President



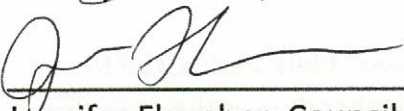
Teresa Sutherlin, Vice President



Jeremy Weliever, Council Member



Marilyn Cohee, Council Member



Jennifer Flaughter, Council Member

Attest: 

Michelle R. Cash, Clerk-Treasurer