

DARLINGTON TOWN COUNCIL & UTILITY BOARD MINUTES
March 5th, 2026
LIVESTREAM ON YOUTUBE – Town of Darlington Council

CALL TO ORDER: President Nicole Parker opened the meeting with the pledge. President Parker was joined by, Vice President Teresa Sutherlin, Jeremy Weliever, Jennifer Flaughner and Marilyn Cohee. Also joining the council was Clerk-Treasurer Michelle Cash, and Electric Superintendent Brian Mullen.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

A motion to approve the February 5th, 2026, monthly meeting, Executive Session Meeting on February 5, 2026, and a Special Meeting on February 9th, 2026, meeting was made by Vice President Teresa Sutherlin and seconded by Jennifer Flaughner. Motion Approved (5-0)

MONEY MATTERS:

A motion to approve the payroll docket, accounts receivable, and appropriations report for February 2026 was made by Jeremy Weliever and seconded by Vice President Teresa Sutherlin. Motion Approved (5-0). All reports are emailed *before* the meeting to be reviewed.

NEW BUSINESS:

A motion to approve Amanda Wilson to the Darlington Library Board was made by Jennifer Flaughner, seconded by Marilyn Cohee. Motion Approved (5-0)

OLD BUSINESS:

Community Center spreadsheet was handed out for an update of the expenses paid for February 2026.

Marilyn Cohee gave an update on a recent Darlington Forever Inc, meeting she had attended. Clerk Cash let the board know that the DFI paid for the January – March utility bills for 2026.

A motion to approve the contract between Darlington Forever Inc and the Town of Darlington was made by Marilyn Cohee, seconded by Jennifer Flaughner. Motion Approved (5-0)

Clerk Cash reported there was no update on the ATT new telephone system.

There is no update on the Community Crossing Grant currently.

At this time the Keystone BSA/Cloud upgrade will not be a good fit for the Town Hall.

STAFF & ELECTED OFFICIAL REPORT:

Attorney Report –Not Present

Wastewater Report –Superintendent Brian Mullen gave a report there were no violations for the month of February and the IDEM letter recommendations have been completed according to UMAC. Mr. Mullen reported that UMAC is looking into the clarifier and the cost to re-build.

Electric Report – Superintendent Brian Mullen report on the maintenance for the electric line. Mr. Mullen will be meeting with tree trimmers to get estimates for work to be done in the next month.

MVH Report- Mr. Mullen reported he will be painting the streets for the business parking downtown.

Darlington Police Department – Marshall Kevin Crull sent the February 2026 activity logs and the March 2026 police schedule in an email. Marshal Crull would like the council to look into the Toll House. The current location is presenting problems with the Truck route.

Park - None

Code Enforcement Officers – None

Clerk-Treasurer Cash presented the council with billing report for February 2026. Clerk Cash will be looking into seeing if the Town Hall needs its own server and will update the council at the April meeting.

COUNCIL MEMBERS REPORT

Marilyn Cohee – None

Teresa Sutherlin – None

Jennifer Flaughner – Mrs. Flaughner reported that the National Guards will be using the Community Center for no fee on May 16th, 2026.

Jeremy Weliever – None

Nicole Parker - None

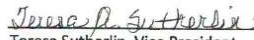
PUBLIC COMMENT – None

Town Board and Utility meeting will be on April 2, 2026 – at 5:00 p.m. – at the Darlington Community Center.

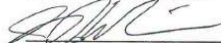
Jeremy Weliever motioned to adjourn and was seconded by Jennifer Flaughner. Motion Approved (5-0).




Nicole Parker, President




Teresa Sutherlin, Vice President



Jeremy Weliever, Council Member



Marilyn Cohee, Council Member



Jennifer Flaughner, Council Member

Attest: 

Michelle R. Cash, Clerk-Treasurer