

Town of Onancock
Town Council – Budget Public Hearing
April 17, 2017
7:00 PM

Call to Order and Roll Call:

Mayor Jones called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM and roll was called. Mayor Russell Jones and Councilmembers Robert Bloxom, Catherine Krause, T. Lee Byrd, Ray Burger, Joshua Bundick and Fletcher Fosque were present. All members were present and a quorum was established.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Public Business:

- a. Public Hearing, Proposed FY18 Budget: Mayor Jones opened the budget public hearing at 7:02 PM. Mayor Jones asked if council had any questions regarding the proposed budget.

Councilmember Bloxom thanked town manager, Mr. William Kerbin, and Mrs. Lisa Fiege for all their hard work on the edits council suggested last week. Councilmember Bloxom stated that he supports this proposed budget.

Councilmember Fosque asked if the Virginia Department of Transportation Integrated Directional Signing Program (TODS) advertising was still being budgeted for the coming fiscal year. Mrs. Fiege stated that it is the proposed budget for FY18.

Councilmember Krause and Councilmember Byrd echoed Councilmember Bloxom's acknowledgement of Mr. Kerbin and Mrs. Fiege's hard work on the proposed budget.

Mayor Jones stated it would have been nice to have been making these types of increases over previous fiscal years, acknowledging that it would been more graceful in smaller increments.

Mayor Jones asked if the public had any comments, questions or concerns with the proposed budget.

Mr. David Krause, Market Street, asked Mr. Kerbin if he felt that this budget help the town proposer in the coming year. Mr. Kerbin stated that he felt that this budget was not everything he had hoped but that it was good foundation. Mayor Jones shared that the town's goal for this coming year was not to prosper but to hopefully break even.

Mayor Jones closed the public hearing at 7:10 PM.

Councilmember Bloxom made a motion to send the proposed FY18 budget to the next council meeting for a vote. Councilmember Bundick seconded the motion. The motion passed by unanimous voice vote.

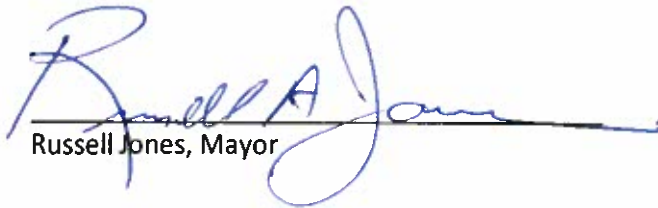
Closed Session, if needed:

None.


Adjourn:

Councilmember Byrd made a motion to adjourn. Councilmember Bloxom seconded the motion. The motion passed by unanimous voice vote.

The meeting was adjourned that 7:12 PM.



Russell Jones, Mayor



Lisa Fiege, Deputy Clerk