

**WHITE PINE TOWN COUNCIL MEETING**

March 1, 2022

7 P.M. – Town Hall  
1548 Main Street

**I. Call to Order**

**II. Communications from Citizens and Property Owners**

**III. Communications from Mayor**

- A. Approve February 1, 2022 Council Meeting Minutes
- B. Ordinance #1-22 – Amending water and sewer tap fees – 2nd reading
- C. Ordinance #2-22 – Amending the food truck ordinance – 1<sup>st</sup> reading
- D. Hire Wastewater Treatment Plant operator
- E. Vote on date for Pine Festival – September 17<sup>th</sup> – 10 am- 4pm

**IV. Reports from Departments and Committees**

- A. Police Department
- B. Fire Department
- C. Planning Commission
- D. Recreation
- E. Water/Sewer
- F. Street/Sanitation
- G. Industrial Board
- H. Financial Report
- I. PineFest

**V. Unfinished Business**

**VI. New Business**

-Pay bills

**VII. Announcements**

**VII. Adjournment**

## **Town Council Meeting February 1, 2022**

Mayor Taylor called the meeting to order with all council members present except Mrs. Strom. Attorney Drinnon was also present.

Under communications from citizens, Jenni Koella introduced herself to the board as a trustee for the Jefferson County Library Board. She is working with Carolyn Allen on the budget and wanted an update concerning funding for the library. She said the city and county mayors were supposed to meet and come up with funding for the library. Mayor Taylor explained that they had met several times and had also exchanged emails pertaining to the funding. They were waiting on census numbers and trying to come up with a formula that would work for everyone. Ms. Koella expressed an interest in working together to build a better library system and making our town more appealing to citizens that move into the area.

On a motion from Mr. Dukes, second from Mr. Marshall, the minutes of the January 4, 2022 council meeting were unanimously approved.

On a motion from Mrs. Voiles, second from Mr. Dukes, the minutes of the January 18, 2022 Special Called meeting were unanimously approved.

On a motion from Mr. Marshall, second from Mr. Dukes, Resolution #22-1, authorizing the fire department to apply for a FEMA assistance grant, passed unanimously.

On a motion from Mr. Marshall, second from Mr. Dukes, Ordinance #1-22, amending the water and sewer taps, passed unanimously in a roll call vote on first reading.

Police and fire departments are reporting a busy month.

The Planning Commission approved four lots on Zimmerman Street for development as well as another regional plan that will be carried over to the next month.


Mr. Hardy reported the water and sewer departments as well as the street and sanitation departments, having a very busy month.

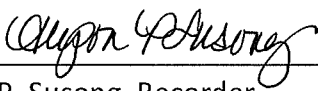
The recorder gave a financial report on the expenditures and expenses through January. She stated the property taxes are coming in and things are looking good for the town. The audit statements have come out and are being reviewed.

Under unfinished business, the mayor reported that the ongoing project of the red light at Roy Messer Highway and Highway 113 is still going strong. The State is working on right-of-way's and moving utilities.

On a motion from Mr. Stump, second from Mrs. Voiles, it was unanimously voted to pay bills.

On a motion from Mr. Dukes, second from Mr. Marshall, it was unanimously voted to adjourn at 7 :25 pm.

  
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Fred Taylor, Mayor

  
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Alyson P. Susong, Recorder