

**TOWN OF CHARLOTTE COURT HOUSE  
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES  
Tuesday January 17, 2017 7:00pm**

A regular meeting of the Charlotte Court House Town Council was held on Tuesday, January 17, 2016, at 7:00 pm. Vice-Mayor Watkins called the meeting to order. Council Members Haskins, Kurdt, Jones & Walker were present. Mayor Walker and Council Member Andrews were absent. Council Member Haskins motioned to approve the agenda as presented. The motion was seconded and carried by voice vote: 5 ayes, 0 nays. Council Member Kurdt motioned to approve the November 21, 2016 and December 4, 2016 regular meeting minutes as presented. The motion was seconded and carried by voice vote: 5 ayes and 0 nays. Council Member Kurdt motioned to approve the financial statement as presented. The motion was seconded and carried by voice vote: 5 ayes and 0 nays.

**Citizen Comments** Bobby Howard expressed his gratitude to the Town for seeking assistance from the County to enforce the dog ordinance. Mr. Howard then updated the Town Council with his concerns of neighboring dogs intruding on his property. He presented Council with personal photographs that showed the dogs in his yard.

**Agreement Unrestrained Dogs** Council Member Jones stated that because Town citizens pay County taxes, there should be no issue with the County enforcing ordinances within the Town limits. Council Member Kurdt responded that by signing the agreement with the County, they would be able to enforce such ordinance within the Town limits. Council Member Watkins stated that the Town would have to approve the agreement, and get the signatures of both the Town and the County. Council Member Jones motioned to approve the agreement between the Town and the County. The motion was seconded by Council Member Kurdt and carried by roll call vote: Council Member Haskins, Aye; Council Member Jones, Aye; Council Member Kurdt, Aye; Council Member Watkins, Aye; Council Member Walker, Aye.

**Committee Reports** None

**Water / Maintenance Report** None

**Clerk's Report** Stephanie Atwood reported that the 2016 Town taxes were being generated, and should be mailed out to the citizens by January 31, 2017. Stephanie reported that consent was given for an easement to allow for the completion of the sidewalk on Thomas Jefferson Highway.

**Council Comments** Council Member Jones expressed concern with the poor condition of Patrick Henry Avenue resulting from the water line replacement and suggested that VDOT be contacted about repairing it. Several additional concerns were raised requiring VDOT's attention including: exploring having a 'No Through Traffic' or 'Residential Traffic Only' sign installed on Patrick Henry Avenue; needed sidewalk repairs on George Washington Hwy; and repairing the man hole located at Parker Oil.

With no further business, Council Member Watkins motioned that the meeting adjourn. The motion was seconded and carried by voice vote: 5 ayes and 0 nays.

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David C. Watkins Jr., Vice-Mayor

ATTEST:

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Karen K. Price, Clerk of Council