

**The Village of Simpson
Regular Council Meeting Minutes
December 14, 2020
7:00 P.M.**

The Village of Simpson held a Regular Council Meeting at 7:00 P.M. in the Village Hall, 2768 Thompson Street, Simpson, NC.

WELCOME

Mayor Richard Zeck welcomed everyone.

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Richard Zeck called the meeting to order

ROLL CALL

Susan Ellsworth, Village Clerk/Finance Officer conducted the Roll Call and stated there is a quorum.

COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT

Richard Zeck, Mayor
Brenda Hawkins, Mayor Pro-Tem
Dianne Thomas, Councilwoman
Mary Moye, Councilwoman

OTHERS PRESENT

Susan Ellsworth, Finance Officer
Citizens

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE

Mayor Rich Zeck provided prayer and pledge.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA AND NOVEMBER MINUTES

Mayor Richard Zeck asked the council if they had anything to add or change to the agenda. Councilwoman Brenda Hawkins made the motion to approve the agenda and Councilwoman Dianne Thomas seconded the motion. All voted "Aye", the motion was carried. Councilwoman Brenda Hawkins made the motion to approve the November minutes and Councilwoman Dianne Thomas seconded the motion. All voted "Aye", the motion was carried.

PUBLIC ADDRESSES TO THE COUNCIL:

No comments

COUNCIL COMMENTS:

- Councilwoman Brenda Hawkins spoke briefly thanking everyone for attending, shared updated information on COVID, food shares locations, potholes in Village that need attention. Trash cans need to be removed from the side of street once pick up is completed.
- Councilwoman Mary Moyer spoke briefly thanking everyone for coming out, shared updated information on COVID in the schools and testing.
- Councilwoman Dianne Thomas spoke briefly thanking everyone for coming to the meeting, mentioned a streetlight on Gatlin is flickering.

ATTORNEY COMMENTS

Not in attendance due to other obligations.

MAYOR REPORTS:

Mayor Richard Zeck spoke briefly

- on November financials being in good shape.
- Finished up working on drainage on Wilson behind Philippi Church. There are several more projects for cleaning out. With a better understanding of cost and time this takes, Simpson may be able to get a few more completed in the last six (6) months of the fiscal year.
- Railroad area by Queen Street has been cleaned up.

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION:

- Adoption of Chapter 110 of Title XI: Business Regulations Itinerant Merchants, peddlers, Transient Vendors and Solicitors Ordinance.
- Rezoning request of Parcel 41152 from Agricultural Residential to General Business.

ITEMS FOR MOTION:

A motion was made by Councilwoman Brenda Hawkins to approve the adoption of Chapter 110 of Title XI: Business Regulations Itinerant Merchants, peddlers, Transient Vendors and Solicitors Ordinance. Councilwoman Mary Moyer seconded the motion. All voted "Aye", the motion was carried.

A motion was made by Councilwoman Dianne Thomas made a motion to table the Rezoning request of Parcel 41152. Councilwoman Mary Moyer seconded the motion. All voted "Aye", the motion was carried.

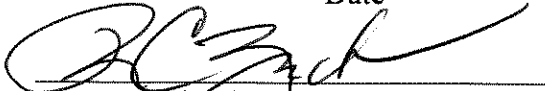
ADJOURNMENT

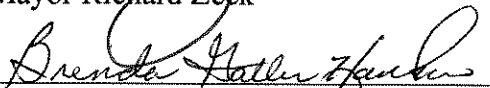
A motion was made by Councilwoman Dianne Thomas to adjourn the meeting; the motion was seconded by Councilwoman Mary Moyer. All voted "Aye", the motion carried, the meeting adjourned.


Respectfully submitted,

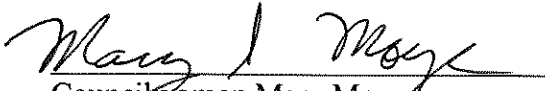

Susan Ellsworth, Village Clerk/Finance Officer

Approved On 1/25/2021
Date


Mayor Richard Zeck


Mayor Pro-Tem Brenda Hawkins


Councilwoman Dianne Thomas


Councilwoman Mary Moye

Next Council meeting – January 25, 2021