

WAYNESBORO, VIRGINIA CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION MINUTES



Council for the City of Waynesboro, Virginia held a Work Session on Monday, June 13, 2022 at 6:30 p.m. in Council Chambers, 503 W. Main Street, Waynesboro, Virginia, with the City Manager opening the meeting.

PRESENT: Council Members: Lana Williams, Vice Mayor
Terry Short, Jr., Council member
Bruce Allen, Council member
Sam Hostetter, Council member

City Staff: Michael Hamp, City Manager
Cameron McCormick, Assistant City Manager - Finance
Michael Wilhelm, Assistant City Manager Public Safety
Todd Wood, Assistant City Manager Operations
Julia Bortle, Clerk of the Council
Luke Juday, Community Development Director
Alisande Tombarge, Associate Planner

City Attorney: Melisa Michelsen, LLC, Litten & Sipe, PC

ABSENT: Bobby Henderson, Mayor

The City Manager reviewed the agenda for the upcoming regular business meeting, including the purpose for the public hearings, the next round for the community development block grant and the corrected voting ward boundary ordinance.

The proposed amendments to the city code regarding animals contains two elements, one being a review of the regulations, a focus on primarily chickens, roosters and swine. The second element relates to dangerous and nuisance animal provisions. The ordinance for tonight's consideration pertains to Article 1. Council member Hostetter asked for clarification relating to free-range chickens being permitted when a portion of the ordinance states the chickens must be penned. The city attorney clarified that chickens must be kept on the owner's property and council can remove section 5 to avoid confusion.

The City Manager then reviewed the Memorandum of Understanding that governs how the three participating jurisdictions conduct business for the Shenandoah Animal Services Center.

The Assistant City Manager Finance reviewed the proposed ordinances amending fiscal year 2022 budget.

An update from the City Manager regarding the West End Fire Station is anticipated in mid-July.

With no further matters to review, the meeting concluded at 7:00 p.m.

Julia Bortle, MMC, Clerk of Council

Lana Williams, Vice Mayor