

Town of Spring Lake
Work Session of the Board of Aldermen
Municipal Building
300 Ruth Street
Spring Lake, NC 28390

September 13, 2021

MINUTES

6:00 p.m.

The Spring Lake Board of Aldermen held a work session meeting in the Grady Howard Conference Room of the Spring Lake Municipal Building with Mayor Larry G. Dobbins presiding.

Board Members Present: Mayor Pro Tem Taimoor Aziz
Alderwoman Soña Cooper
Alderwoman Jackie Jackson
Alderman James O'Garra

Others Present:

Samantha Wullenwaber, Interim Town Manager
Catherine Bamba, Attorney
Brittani Johnson, Attorney
Melissa Pereira, Interim Town Clerk
Banard Lemon, Audio Visual Coordinator
Dysoaneik Spellman, Interim Police Chief
Jason Williams, Fire Chief
Tamra Morris, Interim Public Health Educator Supervisor

1. Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance

Mayor Dobbins declared a quorum and called the meeting to order.

Alderwoman Jackson gave the invocation and led the meeting in the Pledge of Allegiance.

2. Additions or Deletions

Alderwoman Cooper requested to delete item 4 Approval of consent items with item 4a draft minutes of the July 26, 2021, Regular Meeting minutes, item 4b draft minutes of the August 9, 2021, Work Session Meeting minutes, and item 4c draft minutes of the August 23, 2021, Regular Meeting minutes after the Town manager reviews, and add to next board meeting.

3. Approval of Agenda

Action: Approval of the September 13, 2021 Board of Aldermen Work Session Meeting agenda with deletion of item 4, Approval of Consent Items.

Motion by: Alderwoman Cooper

Second by: Mayor Pro tem Aziz

Vote: Unanimous

4. Public Comment

Mr. Julian Stackhouse from the Fayetteville Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity stated they are expanding their services to the Spring Lake area. Mr. Anthony Henderson, who's the Chapter President, presented to the Board their mentoring services they are offering to schools.

5. Presentation

Interim Police Chief Dysoaneik Spellman presented a Certificate of Appreciation to John Springer, owner of Stitch in Time, for his unwavering support and donations to the Special Olympics.

6. Closed Session

- a. N.C.G.S. §143-318.11(a)(6) - Personnel
- b. N.C.G.S. §143-318.11(a)(3) – Attorney-Client Privilege
- c. N.C.G.S. §143-318.11(a)(4) – Economic Development

Action: The Board approved a motion to go into Closed Session pursuant to N.C.G.S. §143-318.11(a)(6) – Personnel, N.C.G.S. §143.318.11(a)(3) – Attorney-Client Privilege, N.C.G.S. §143-318.11(a)(4) -Economic Development.

Motion: Mayor Pro tem Aziz

Second by: Alderwoman Jackson

Vote: Unanimous

Mayor Pro tem Aziz made a motion, seconded by Alderwoman Cooper, to reconvene in an open session.


10. Adjournment.

Action: There being no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned at 7:50 p.m.


Motion: Mayor Pro tem Aziz

Second by: Alderman O'Garra

Vote: Unanimous


Melissa Pereira
Interim Town Clerk

ATTEST:


Larry G. Dobbins
Mayor