

Town of Mount Airy
Council Meeting
May 2nd, 2016 7:00 pm

Present: Mayor Gary E. Morris Councilmember Adam Tullis
 Councilmember Linda Hughes Councilmember Mike McCoy
 Councilmember Bobby Ayers Councilmember Ray McAllister
 Clerk Sheri Berrong Chief Corey Allen

- Mayor Morris called to order the regular scheduled council meeting, then Councilmember McAllister led the invocation and pledge.
- Agenda was accepted as presented.
- The Minutes from meeting held April 4th, 2016 were accepted as presented.
- During public comments, Carole Lonergan from Arbor Gate Subdivision addressed the mayor and council. She has noted recent activity on the corner lot leading into the subdivision and requested that if any action or request was brought before the council, she would like to be notified. Next, Roy Benefield (candidate for state senate) introduced himself. Also, Stacy Hall (candidate for Habersham County commissioner) introduced himself. Both left contact information and asked for our support. Andrea Harper, current county commissioner was present and informed the council she would not seek re-election when her term was up. She also let the mayor and council know the County was in the early stages of budget prep.
- During department reports, Clerk Berrong reported that the 2015 FY audit was complete and that Duncan & Kitchens would present the audit results at the July council meeting. She also reported the Town had received a small refund on their 2015 audited workers compensation premiums. Chief Allen reported GCIC numbers were slightly down but should recover. He stated that employee ID's needed to be issued and he would look into getting those. Water loss was down to 14%, no major water leaks.
- Next on the agenda was a consideration of a business license for Taylor's Guns 209 Lural Drive, Cornelia as a home occupation. All concerns were addressed. Councilmember McAllister made a motion to approve the business license for Taylor's Guns. Motion was seconded by Councilmember Tullis, passed with all in favor.
- Another request for a business license was up for consideration by Total Performance Cycles 895 Dicks Hill Parkway, Mount Airy. The application was complete with the exception of the sub-lease agreement between herself and the current occupant of the premises, as well as the agreement between the current occupant and the owner of said premises. Councilmember McAllister made a motion to approve the business license for Total Performance Cycles, contingent upon all required lease agreements being turned in. Motion was seconded by Councilmember Tullis, passed with all in favor.
- In regards to the Old Schoolhouse project, Chief Allen reported the back room windows were being framed in. Mayor Morris reported that the sinks were installed in the break room and the floor would be refinished soon.

With no other business to discuss, Councilmember Ayers made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Councilmember McAllister, passed with all in favor.

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