

Town of Mount Airy  
Council Meeting  
October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2016 7:00 pm

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

- Mayor Morris called to order the regular scheduled council meeting, the Councilmember McAllister led the invocation and pledge.
- The agenda was accepted as presented.
- Councilmember McAllister made a motion to accept the minutes from August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016 and September 12<sup>th</sup>, 2016 as presented. Motion was seconded by Councilmember Ayers, passed with all in favor.
- There were no comments from the public at this meeting.
- Nothing substantial to report during department reports. Councilmember McAllister requested that the Water Committee pursue ways to improve water pressure Grandview Ave. He will discuss options with Public Works.
- Next agenda item was consideration or a lease with Duplicating Products for copier for City Hall. Councilmember McAllister made a motion to approve said lease. Motion was seconded by Councilmember Tullis, passed with all in favor.
- Next item up for consideration was a request for a business license from Jamela Crowell, The Groomer LLC, 453 Lois Lane Drive to open a dog grooming business. Councilmember McAllister made a motion to approve the business license application as presented. Motion was seconded by Councilmember Hughes, passed with all in favor.
- The discussion for water rate increases was tabled at this time.
- During discussion of the Old Schoolhouse project, Mayor Morris reported the maintenance contract for the generator was selected; it will include two service calls, two oil changes and cost \$325 per year.
- Clerk Berrong then asked the Mayor and Council to select dates for upcoming holiday events. It was agreed that Christmas in Mount Airy would take place on Thursday, December 8<sup>th</sup> (time to be determined later) and the employee Christmas dinner would be held at Town Hall (Old Schoolhouse) on Friday, December 16<sup>th</sup>.
- Because of several schedule conflicts and the upcoming General Election, there was a brief discussion about changing the date for the regular scheduled November council meeting. Councilmember Tullis made a motion to schedule the November council meeting for Wednesday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2016 at 5 pm. Motion was seconded by Councilmember Hughes, passed with all in favor.

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

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Mayor Gary E. Morris

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Councilmember McAllister

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Councilmember Linda Hughes