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"A West Virginia Blueprint Community"

The Town of Ansted held a planning meeting on November 19, 2020 at 6:00 PM. Those present were Mayor Kalispel Holcomb, Recorder Siobhan Wilson, Councilmembers Larry Grose, Kathi Miller, Wayne Hogg, and Johnny Osborne.

Mayor Holcomb gave an update about sewer lift stations #1 & #2. No additional property will be needed in addition to the 30'x30' lots the Town already owns.

The sewer rate increase public hearing is scheduled for 5:30 PM on December 3rd in the Council Chambers.

Larry Grose made a motion to go into executive session to discuss personnel issues. Wayne Hogg seconded the motion and it passed unanimously. Recorder Siobhan Wilson recused herself from the executive session.

Mayor Holcomb brought the meeting back to order after the executive session was finished.

Kathi Miller made a motion to move Donald Wilson from a part-time to a full-time supervisory maintenance position with a pay rate of \$11.00 per hour retroactively effective November 16, 2020. Wayne Hogg seconded, and the motion passed unanimously.

Kathi Miller made a motion to give a fifty (50) cent per hour raise to employees Siobhan Wilson, Patricia Breeden, Harold Columer, and Brent Lewis retroactively effective November 16, 2020. Larry Grose seconded the motion. Larry Grose, Kathi Miller, Johnny Osborne, Wayne Hogg, and Kalispel Holcomb voted for the motion and Siobhan Wilson abstained.

Kathi Miller made a motion to give a fifty-six (56) cent raise per hour to employees Nicholas Adams and Anthony Kidd retroactively effective November 16, 2020. Larry Grose seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

Kathi Miller made a motion to give a one-time pay adjustment to all full-time employees of \$150.⁰⁰ and to give all part-time/temporary employees \$75.⁰⁰. Wayne Hogg seconded the motion. Larry Grose, Kathi Miller, Johnny Osborne, Wayne Hogg,

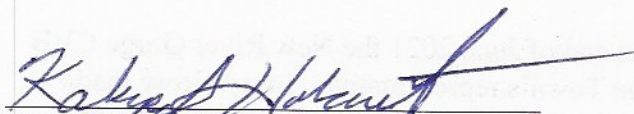
and Kalispel Holcomb voted for the motion and Siobhan Wilson abstained.


Johnny Osborne made the announcement that there would be no Christmas dinner or hams/turkeys given to employees for 2020.

Siobhan Wilson brought up concerns that other employees were having about paid time off should any of them contract the Corona Virus (Covid-19). Larry Grose made a motion for the Town to pay full-time employees for up to ten (10) days at eight (8) hours per day at their regular rate of pay without the employee having to use any of their own personal/sick/vacation time should they have a positive (+) Covid test. The employee must prove a negative (-) test result to return to work. Part-time employees working twenty-four (24) hours or more per week are also eligible for the Covid-19 pay but only receive five (5) days. Wayne Hogg seconded the motion. Larry Grose, Kathi Miller, Johnny Osborne, Wayne Hogg, and Kalispel Holcomb voted for the motion and Siobhan Wilson abstained.

Mayor Holcomb started discussion about renovating the Council Chambers with a new table for Council and new flooring. Kathi Miller made a motion to purchase a 16 foot "boat-shaped" table in Cherry from Tri-Sate Furniture at a price of \$1,265.52. Motion was seconded by Larry Grose and passed unanimously. Quotes for new flooring will be gotten and brought back to Council at the next meeting.

With no further business to conduct, Larry Grose made a motion to adjourn the meeting; Wayne Hogg seconded, and motion passed unanimously.


Kalispel Holcomb, Mayor


Siobhan Wilson, Recorder