

Onley Town Council  
2021-2022 Budget Workshop  
Minutes of March 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2021

2021-2022 Budget Workshop of the Onley Town Council held at the Onley Baptist Church, 25501 W. Main Street, on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of March A.D., 2021:

**Council Members Present:** Matt Hart, Mayor  
Rose Pierson, Vice Mayor  
Brian Corbin  
Billye D. Custis  
Bill Ferguson  
Claudia Harmon  
Woody Zember

**Staff Present:** John Spivey, Chief of Police, OPD  
Jess Long, Sergeant, OPD  
Carl Bundick, Attorney (present during closed session only)

**Call to Order**

Mayor Hart called the special meeting to order at 6:00pm.

**Invocation & Pledge of Allegiance**

The invocation was given by Bill Ferguson and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Billye D. Custis.

**Adoption of Agenda**

Councilwoman Custis requested that a closed session be added to the agenda as 5A and move 5. Hiring Committee – Town Manager Vacancy to 5B.

**Motion:** To accept the agenda with the addition of the closed session by Billye D. Custis and seconded by Rose Pierson.

**Roll Call Vote:** Corbin- yes; Custis-yes; Ferguson- yes; Harmon – yes; Pierson – yes; Zember - yes

**MOTION PASSED**

**Closed Session**

**Motion:** To go into Closed Session in accordance with Section 2.2-3711(A) of the Code of Virginia of 1950, as amended for the purpose of Paragraph 1: Discussion or Consideration of Personnel Matters pertaining to Town Manager, Clerk/Treasurer and Zoning Administrator by Billye D. Custis and seconded by Rose Pierson.

**Roll Call Vote:** Corbin- yes; Custis-yes; Ferguson- yes; Harmon – yes; Pierson – yes; Zember - yes

**MOTION PASSED**

**Open Session & Certification of Close Session**

**Motion:** To return to Open Session by Billye D. Custis and seconded by Rose Pierson.

**Roll Call Vote:** Corbin- yes; Custis-yes; Ferguson- yes; Harmon – yes; Pierson – yes; Zember - yes

**MOTION PASSED**

A roll call vote was taken after reconvening in Open Session, at which time each member certified by his/her vote whether only the matters previously disclosed were discussed during Closed Session:

**Roll Call Vote:** Corbin- yes; Custis-yes; Ferguson- yes; Harmon – yes; Pierson – yes; Zember – yes

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**Hiring Committee – Town Manager Vacancy -**

**Motion:** To present the proposal that the committee suggested to Alissa Yoder after Carl Bundick checks with VML to inquire about having a clerk/treasurer by Billye D. Custis and seconded by Rose Pierson.

**Roll Call Vote:** Corbin–yes; Custis–yes; Ferguson–yes; Harmon–yes; Pierson–yes, Zember–yes  
**MOTION PASSED**

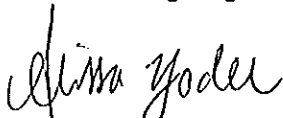
**2021 – 2022 Budget -** Council was provided a copy of the draft 2021-2022 police budget from Chief Spivey and a blank budget for 2021-2022 by Ms. Salazar. Council went down line by line with Chief Spivey and discussed all items and proposed budget totals.

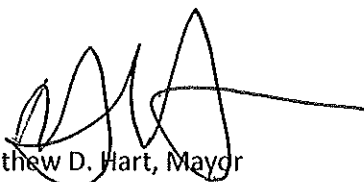
**Adjourn**

**Motion:** To adjourn by Rose Pierson and seconded by Billye D. Custis.

**Roll Call Vote:** Corbin–yes; Custis–yes; Ferguson–yes; Harmon–yes; Pierson–yes, Zember–yes  
**MOTION PASSED.**

Translated through digital recording and respectfully submitted,

  
Alissa Yoder, Clerk

  
Matthew D. Hart, Mayor