#### Town of Eastover - Town Council Meeting Tuesday, July 30, 2019 7:00 p.m. Eastover Community Center

#### x Mayor Charles G. McLaurin, Presiding; Council Members: x Cheryl C. Hudson, x J. Lawrence Buffaloe, x M. Stan Crumpler, x Bruce R. Sykes, x Kimberly F. McPhail, and x Lee P. Hedgecoe

# MINUTES OF MEETING – July 30, 2019

Mayor Charles G. McLaurin, Council Members: Cheryl C. Hudson, J. Lawrence Buffaloe, Lee P. Hedgecoe, Bruce R. Sykes, Kimberly F. McPhail, and M. Stan Crumpler were in attendance at the July 30, 2019, Eastover Town Council Meeting. A quorum was present at the Town Council Meeting. Also in attendance were Attorney Tim Smith, and Ms. Elizabeth Bass, Town Clerk.

#### I. Invocation

Mayor Charles McLaurin called the July 30, 2019 Eastover Town Council meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. and welcomed all in attendance. Mayor Charles McLaurin gave the Invocation.

## 2. Replacement of Town Manager

Mayor McLaurin informed the Council that Mr. Harold Owen from the League of Municipalities would assist in hiring an interim Town Manager. He also said that a few people have already been recommended for Interim Town Manger. After some discussion the Council decided to hire one of the recommendations.

Council Member Lawrence Buffaloe will be contacting Mr. Tim Kinlaw and Mr. Ronald Autry to see if they are interested in becoming the Interim Town Manager. The candidate will then be asked to attend the August 13<sup>th</sup> 2019 Town Council Meeting.

## 3. Paying out Annual Leave/Sick Leave

Mr. Nazarchyk had 232.49 hours of annual leave and 413.37 hours of sick leave. The Council decided to pay Mr. Nazarchyk for the annual leave and have the sick leave rolled into his retirement.

## 4. Life Insurance

The Town of Eastover has a term life insurance policy for each employee in the amount of \$10,000.00 with a \$10,000.00 accidental death and dismemberment policy.

Mayor McLaurin asked the Council how they felt about giving Mr. Nazarchyk's family a severance package. After a brief discussion the Council voted.

Council Member Stan Crumpler made a motion to pay Mr. Nazarchyk 3 months' salary for a severance package. Council Member Bruce Sykes 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. The vote was unanimous for approval.

Council Member Bruce Sykes stated that a memorial should be set up in Mr. Nazarchyks' name, like a bench in his honor. The Council discussed the matter and decided to wait until the ballpark walking trail was completed then they would re-visit setting up a memorial.

## 5. Consider a Motion to Adjourn

Mayor McLaurin asked for a motion to adjourn.

A motion to adjourn was made by Council Member Bruce Sykes at 7:42 p.m. The motion was 2<sup>nd</sup> by Council Member Lawrence Buffaloe. The vote was unanimous for approval.

Town of Eastover

Charles G. McLaurin, Mayor

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_, Town Clerk Elizabeth S. Bass