

VILLAGE OF DRY PRONG
MINUTES
SEPTEMBER 22, 2020
SPECIAL MEETING
OFFICE HOURS
MONDAY-FRIDAY 8:30-1:30

INTRODUCTION:

Mayor Shane Davis called the meeting of the Village of Dry Prong to order. Invocation was led by Della Barbee. Alderman Della Barbee, Elisa Holton and Daryl Bryant was present. Chief Spillman led the Pledge of Allegiance. Mr. Donald Smith was present at the meeting.

COMMENTS FROM THE FLOOR:

There were no comments from the floor at this time.

MINUTES:

Alderman Elisa Holton made a motion to approve the August minutes. 2nd by Della Barbee.

OLD BUSINESS:

Mayor Shane Davis commented that our Sales Tax will be on the December 5, 2020 ballot for a vote to only to change what account the money will be going into. This will allow us to spend more money throughout the Village on much needed items such as water wells, sewer problems, etc. Mayor Davis also commented they are working on Land Use Tool Kit to be presented to the council.

Mayor Davis commented on the letter received from the Board of Ethics on Hillview Subdivision. The Village of Dry Prong annexed this subdivision in 2003 and we will maintain all roads to the best of our ability in this subdivision.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mayor Davis commented on Hurricane Laura and all damages that were in the Village. We had several buildings and fences that were damaged, we are waiting on Insurance claims. He wanted the residents to understand the DCR will make three passes through the Village to pick up debris. There are certain guidelines that must be followed in order to be picked up. Alderman Della Barbee wanted to mention a big thank you to all who worked to keep things going in the Village during this disaster.

Mayor Davis commented there is new business to open up in the Village. The name is The Perk Nutrition and should be opening in the middle of October.

Alderman Elisa Holton made a motion to accept the Resolution that was passed on Support of Broadband High-Speed Internet. See attached.

Mayor and council commented that Traditional Trick-or-Treat will be happening this year in the Village of Dry Prong. This is due to Covid-19 and also to the damage in the park due to Hurricane Laura. Trick-or-Treaters will be going house to house for candy this year. There will be no Halloween in the Park this year. Mayor Davis commented hopefully next year we will be back to normal.

Mayor Davis commented due to everything that has happened in the last months we will cancel our Christmas parade also. There will be a Christmas tree lighting in front of Town Hall on December 12, at 4 P.M. The children can bring ornaments to decorate the tree. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Alderman Elisa Holton made a motion to adjourn. 2nd by Della Barbee.


Derrick Shane Davis-Mayor


Lisa Locker-Clerk