

## Minutes February 14, 2022

The Creswell Town Board of Commissioners met on Monday at 7:00 p.m. with the following members present: Mayor Edwin Blount, Commissioner Syble Spruill, Commissioner/Mayor Pro Tem Ronald Ambrose, Commissioner Brenda Logan and Commissioner Joel Harris.

Commissioner Ambrose provided the invocation.

Commissioner Spruill provided the Pledge of Allegiance.

Commissioner Spruill moved to approve the minutes and waive the reading of the January meeting(s). Commissioner Ambrose seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

The finance summary was presented to the board by the clerk and accepted. Commissioner Ambrose moved to accept the proposed budget amendment presented by the clerk. Commissioner Spruill seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

### Unfinished Business:

-Commissioner Harris moved to accept the only bid the town has received for replacing the fire hydrants that are not working, only if the town does not have to get any other bids. Commissioner Ambrose seconded the motion and it carried unanimously. The clerk will check and let the board know if bids are needed.

### New Business:

-Sara Phelps from the Eastern 4-H center appeared before the board to inform them of Cycle NC that will be coming through Creswell on Friday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022. Ms. Phelps wanted to inform the board there will be a rest stop somewhere in Creswell on that day, possible Main Street from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

-The clerk presented to the board a proposal from Spruill Business Machine for a new coping machine for the town office. The current coping machine has been repaired twice and still having problems. The cost of the new coping machine is \$1,695 plus tax or a showroom version without fax for \$1,295 plus tax. Commissioner Harris moved to accept the proposal from Spruill Business Machine for the new coping machine for \$1,695 plus tax. Commissioner Spruill seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

-The clerk presented to the board the Tax Collector's Report for unpaid 2021 Taxes that are liens on real property for January 31, 2022. Commissioner Harris moved to accept the Tax Collector's Report for unpaid 2021 Taxes that the clerk presented to the board. Commissioner Spruill seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

-Carol Phelps, County Commissioner, appeared before the board to inform the board that Main Street to Spruill's Bridge plans of paving this year has been moved to 2028.

After no further discussion, the meeting was adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

  
Edwin Ray Blount, Mayor

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Penny Chapman, Town Clerk