

The Richlands Town Council held a "Workshop" on August 29th, 2022, in the Richlands Council Chambers at 5:30 pm with the following present:

Mayor: Rod D. Cury

Town Manager: John O'Daniel

Town Clerk: Rebekah Hackworth

Council Members: Doug Ratliff, Jeff Hurst, Rick Woods, Kristen Thompson-Whitt, Seth White and Laura Mollo.

Town Attorney: Michael Thomas

Mayor Cury opened the meeting.

Due to us reconvening from our last meeting, we will dispense with the Invocation and the Pledge of Allegiance.

The only thing on our agenda for tonight is an Executive/Closed Session by VA Code 2.2-3711 (A)(1) regarding a Personnel Matter.

Is there a motion to go into Closed Session?

Jeff- I make a motion to go into Executive/Closed Session by VA Code 2.2-3711 (A)(1). Rick seconded the motion.

Mayor Cury- We have a motion and a second, any further discussion? All those in favor of the motion say yes. All those that oppose say no. Roll Call- Doug- Yes, Jeff- Yes, Rick- Yes, Kristen- Yes, Seth- Absent, Laura- Yes. Motion carries -5/1 absent.

Mayor Cury- We are back in regular session. I will entertain a motion to return to regular session.

Rick- I make a motion to return to regular session. Kristen seconded the motion.

Mayor Cury- We have a motion and a second, any further discussion? All those in favor of the motion say yes. All those that oppose say no. Roll Call- Doug- Yes, Jeff- Yes, Rick- Yes, Kristen- Yes, Seth- Yes, Laura- Yes. Motion carries -6/0.

Mayor Cury- Thank you. Next, I would ask council to make a motion to certify that the entirety of the conversation was precisely to observe the Executive/Closed Session Pursuant to Virginia Code section 2.2-3711(A)(1) -Personnel. In doing so you are certifying that nothing was discussed other than the business at hand. Is there a motion for that?

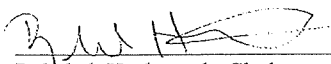
Jeff- I make a motion that nothing was discussed except for the business at hand. Rick seconded the motion.

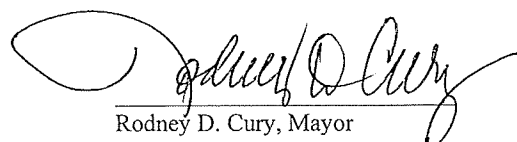
Mayor Cury- We have a motion and a second, any further discussion? All those in favor of the motion say yes. All those that oppose say no. Roll Call- Doug- Yes, Jeff- Yes, Rick- Yes, Kristen- Yes, Seth- Yes, Laura- Yes. Motion carries -6/0.

Rick- I make a motion to adjourn this meeting. Laura seconded the motion.

Mayor Cury- We have a motion and a second, any further discussion? All those in favor of the motion say yes. All those that oppose say no. Roll Call- Doug- Yes, Jeff- Yes, Rick- Yes, Kristen- Yes, Seth- Yes, Laura- Yes. Motion carries -6/0.

Adjourned!!


Rebekah Hackworth, Clerk


Rodney D. Cury, Mayor