

**MINUTES**  
Town of North  
September 14, 2009  
North Town Hall

Mayor Jeffcoat called the regular meeting of Council to order at 6:00 p.m. and declared a quorum. Present were Council members Drew, Binyard, Lane and Gleaton. Also in attendance were Mark Fallaw, Chief of Police, and Carrie Garrett, Town Clerk.

Mayor Jeffcoat led council and visitors in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mayor Jeffcoat welcomed visitors.

Councilwoman Lane made a motion to approve the minutes from the August 14, 2009 meeting, seconded by Councilwoman Binyard, and upon vote minutes were approved.

Public Comments:  
None.

Water/Sewer Report:  
Mr. Jeffcoat presented the water / sewer report for August, 2009 (copy attached).

Police Report:  
Chief Fallaw reviewed the North Police report (copy attached).

Street Scape Report:  
Mayor Jeffcoat announced that we are still waiting for one hole in the asphalt to be repaired.

Old Business:

- o Jeffcoat reviewed the financial statement for August, 2009. It was noted that we received over \$30,000 from DOT which has elevated the income since this was expected last fiscal year.

New Business:

- o Jeffcoat discussed that the Community of Character Trait for June is Trustworthy.

Mayor's Report:

- o Jeffcoat commented that Dr. Sanders is only in North one day a week right now (he is in St. Matthews the other days) but there is a full time PA at the North office.
- o Jeffcoat updated Council on the progress of the park – the County removed the large tree for us at no expense and Neal Livingston disked and leveled the property. The fence construction should start this week.
- o Jeffcoat reported that he attended a grant meeting in Orangeburg, that we have two people working on grants available and deadlines.
- o Jeffcoat reported that he plans to attend a meeting in Summerville on September 15<sup>th</sup> regarding possible grants.
- o Jeffcoat also reported that he attended a Mitigation Plan meeting in Orangeburg, which our participation is required for FEMA to provide assistance in times of need.
- o Jeffcoat also reported that he has been asked to sit on the Board of Aging and Transportation for Lower Savannah, and has agreed to do so if they chose to elect him.

Public Comments:

- o Rev. Wright announced that the Annual North Day of Prayer will be November 14 from 1 – 3.

- Jeff Washington introduced himself as a candidate for the North Town Council.
- Jeff Washington, Lee Scarborough Hughes, Johnny Sweat, Bill Courtney and Rose Binyard were all present and acknowledged as candidates for two council positions.

Councilwoman Lane made a motion to adjourn into Executive Session, motion was seconded and meeting was adjourned to Executive Session at 6:40 p.m. Rev. Wright closed the meeting in prayer.

Jeffcoat called the meeting back to order at 7:00 p.m. Councilwoman Lane made a motion to follow the auditors recommendations pertaining to our court system. Motion was seconded by Councilwoman Binyard and upon vote carried.

There being no further business, Councilwoman Lane made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded and meeting was adjourned at 7:01 p.m.

The next Council meeting will be held on Monday, October 12, 2009 at 6:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Carrie Garrett

**APPROVED: SEPTEMBER 14, 2009 MINUTES**

Mayor Earl Jeffocat: \_\_\_\_\_

**Council Members:**

Paul Drew: \_\_\_\_\_

Rose Binyard: \_\_\_\_\_

Harriett Lane: \_\_\_\_\_

Aubrey Gleaton: \_\_\_\_\_