

CASWELL COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
MEMBERS PRESENT

February 15, 2024
OTHERS PRESENT

Jeremiah Jefferies, Chairman
Finch Holt, Vice Chair
Frank Rose
Ethel Gwynn

Scott Meszaros, County Manager
Melissa Williamson, Deputy County Manager
Carla Smith, Clerk to the Board

The Board of Commissioners for the County of Caswell, North Carolina, met in a joint meeting with the Town of Milton and Town of Yanceyville on Thursday, February 15, 2024 at 6:00 pm at the Yanceyville Municipal Building.

Members present from the Milton Council: Angela Daniel-Upchurch, Mayor, and Shirley Wilson, Town Clerk, Jackie Jeffries, and Sherri Gerrard.

Members present from the Yanceyville Town Council: Mayor Alvin Foster, Kamara Barnette, Yanceyville Town Manager, Darrell McLean, Kenneth Darnell, and Miranda Harrelson, Deputy Clerk.

WELCOME:

Mayor Foster called the meeting to order, and welcomed all to the meeting and then offered a blessing before the meal. The Board and Town Councils then had dinner.

CALL MEETING TO ORDER

Chairman Jefferies called the Board of Commissioners meeting to order, and Mayor Daniel-Upchurch called the Milton Town meeting to order. Mayor Foster called the Town Council meeting to order. Then Mayor Foster had a moment of silent prayer followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

GENERAL UPDATES FROM LOCAL GOVERNMENTS

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County Manager Meszaros gave the following updates:

- The 2021 audit was approved at the Feb. 5, 2024 meeting. The 2022 and 2023 audits are in progress, and we hope to have them caught up this year.
- The Hyco Zoning ordinance amendment was approved at the Feb. 5, 2024 meeting
- Had some timber cruised in Pelham Industrial Park.
- IEDC Report was finalized, and we will share that with you.
- Broadband:
 - Zitel is mobilized and awaiting funds from NCDIT.
 - Spectrum has 3600 homes and received 606 additional addresses with the GREAT grant.

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TOWN OF MILTON

Mayor Daniel-Upchurch gave the following updates:

- Received a water-sewer report that will enable Milton to qualify for grant applications. Outlined over \$7 million in repairs in the coming years.
- Had a meeting with Greg Meyers and Renee Price
- State recognizing the Thomas Day House as a Historic site. Hoping they will get assistance for infrastructure.
- Feb. 29 at 10 am ceremony. Presbyterian Church will be the setting for the initial part of the ceremony and the reception will follow in the Thomas Day House.
- Milton has formed a partnership with PTRC.
- Awaiting a .gov domain from the State.

TOWN OF YANCEYVILLE

Mayor Foster then gave the following updates:

- 2023 Audit was approved by the LGC and posted on the website.
- Working on a master plan for the pavilion and the Farmer's market. In the next 10-15 years, what do the citizens want to see. Grant received from the Danville Regional Foundation.
- Water issues have been corrected. It is older infrastructure so there will be some hiccups.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- February 29, 2024 at 10 am Thomas Day State Historic Site Ceremony

SCHEDULE NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will be hosted by the Town of Milton on Thursday, May 16, 2024 at 6:00 pm at Thomas Day House.

ADJOURNMENT:

At 6:43 pm Mayor Foster adjourned the Town of Yanceyville meeting. Vice Chairman Holt made the motion and it was seconded by Commissioner Gwynn to adjourned the Board of Commissioners meeting. Mayor Daniel-Upchurch adjourned the Town of Milton Meeting.

Carla R. Smith
Clerk to the Board

Jeremiah Jefferies
Chairman

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