

Town of Bermuda Run

Town Council Meeting Minutes

October 10, 2017 – 7:00 PM

The Town Council of Bermuda Run held its scheduled meeting on Tuesday, October 10, 2017 at 7:00 PM. The meeting was held at Bermuda Run Town Hall.

Council Members Present: Mayor Kenneth A. Rethmeier, DrPH; Ed Coley; Rick Cross
Mike Ernst; John Guglielmi; and Jerry West

Council Members Absent: None

Also Present: Lee Rollins, Town Manager and Brian Williams, Town Attorney

Call to Order Mayor Rethmeier called the meeting to order.

Pledge of Allegiance

Moment of Silence

Adoption of the Agenda

Council Member Mike Ernst made a motion to approve the October 10, 2017 meeting agenda as presented. Council Member Rick Cross seconded the motion. The motion was approved by a vote of five (5) in favor and none opposed.

Approval of the September 12, 2017 Meeting Minutes

Council Member Jerry West made a motion to approve the September 12, 2017 Town Council Meeting Minutes as presented. Council Member John Guglielmi seconded the motion. The motion was approved by a vote of five (5) in favor and none opposed.

Citizens Comments – None

Proposed Meeting Action Items

A. Agreement with the Davie County Sheriff's Department

The agreement presented before the Town Council is for the Davie County Sheriff's Department to provide for one fully equipped and fully trained law enforcement officer for duty in the Town for forty (40) per week. The assignment of duties is to be made under the direction and full control of the Sheriff as to days and hours of scheduling.

Each Council Member provided their comments as to the advantages and disadvantages of such an agreement. Mayor Rethmeier provided a history of conversations from Council Members, residents, the County and the Sheriff's Department to this point.

Council Member Jerry West made a motion to approve the agreement with the Davie County Sheriff's Department as presented. Council Member Rick Cross seconded the motion. The motion was approved by a vote of three (3) (Rick Cross, Mike Ernst, Jerry West) and two (2) (Ed Coley, John Guglielmi) opposed.

Council/Mayor Comments:

- Rick Cross - Heard the presentation on the East Davie Sewer Project. Would like the Town to take extra steps to make sure residents are informed as to what's going to be done.
- Mike Ernst - Would like the Town to look at opportunities to improve communication with residents.
- Ed Coley - No comment.
- John Guglielmi – No Comment
- Jerry West - Thanked all the Council Members for their deliberation regarding the agreement with the Sheriff's Department. Looks forward to working on futures issues, acknowledging and valuing differences of opinion.
- Mayor Rethmeier - Looks forward to a joint meeting with the Planning Board to provide feedback for the draft update to the Comprehensive Plan.

Adjourn

With no further business to discuss, Council Member Jerry West made a motion to adjourn. Council Member Ed Coley seconded the motion. The motion was approved by a vote of five (5) in favor and none opposed.

Approved



Kenneth A. Rethmeier, DrPH – Mayor

Respectfully Submitted



Lee Rollins, Town Manager