

**TOWN OF GARLAND
SPECIAL MEETING
OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
THURSDAY, JUNE 16, 2016
6:00 PM**

The special meeting of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Garland was held at the Garland Town Hall in Garland, N.C. on Thursday, June 16, 2016 at 6:00 PM.

The following members of the Board of Commissioners were present:

Haywood Johnson
Judy C. Smith
Ralph Smith
S. J. Smith
Carolyn Melvin

There were no citizens in attendance.

ADMINISTRATIVE

Mayor Winifred Murphy called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm and welcomed everyone in attendance. Town Clerk, Pamela Cashwell, was present serving as clerk recording notes for the meeting minutes.

QUORUM

Mayor Murphy and Clerk Pamela Cashwell established there was a quorum present.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Mayor Murphy requested the Board consider the agenda for approval. Commissioner Ralph Smith made a motion to approve the agenda as presented, seconded by Mayor Pro Tem Haywood Johnson and carried unanimously.

CLOSED SESSION

Mayor Pro Tem Haywood Johnson made a motion to enter into closed session at 6:02 pm to discuss personnel matters, seconded by Commissioner S. J. Smith and carried unanimously.

Mayor Pro Tem Haywood Johnson made a motion to exit closed session at 7:09 pm, seconded by Commissioner Ralph Smith and carried unanimously.

OPEN SESSION

No action taken in closed session.

Commissioner Ralph Smith made a motion to hire James Ivy Bordeaux for full time employment in the Public Works Department at a pay rate of \$10.00/hour, seconded by Mayor Pro Tem Haywood Johnson and carried unanimously.

Board members reviewed the proposed advertisement for hiring a Police Chief and requested years of experience be changed to five years instead of three years. Board members requested advertisement be placed on the town web site and Facebook page.

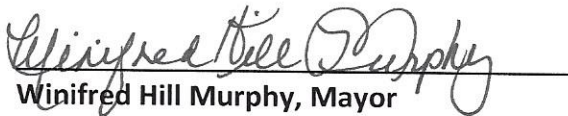
ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Ralph Smith made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Carolyn Melvin seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 7:25 pm.



Pamela Cashwell, Town Clerk/Finance Officer

BOARD APPROVED:



Winifred Hill Murphy, Mayor