HILLIARD TOWN COUNCIL MEETING

Hilliard Town Hall / Council Chambers 15859 West County Road 108 Post Office Box 249 Hilliard, FL 32046

TOWN COUNCIL MEMBERS

John P. Beasley, Mayor Kenny Sims, Council President Lee Pickett, Council Pro Tem Joe Michaels, Councilman Jared Wollitz, Councilman Dallis Hunter, Councilman

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

Lisa Purvis, Town Clerk Cory Hobbs, Interim Public Works Director Gabe Whittenburg, Parks & Rec Director

TOWN ATTORNEY

Christian Waugh

AGENDA

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2023, 7:00 PM

NOTICE TO PUBLIC

Anyone wishing to address the Town Council regarding any item on this agenda is requested to complete an agenda item sheet in advance and give it to the Town Clerk. The sheets are located next to the printed agendas in the back of the Council Chambers. Speakers are respectfully requested to limit their comments to three (3) minutes. A speaker's time may not be allocated to others.

PLEDGE OF CIVILITY

WE WILL BE RESPECTFUL OF ONE ANOTHER
EVEN WHEN WE DISAGREE.
WE WILL DIRECT ALL COMMENTS TO THE ISSUES.
WE WILL AVOID PERSONAL ATTACKS.
"Politeness costs so little." – ABRAHAM LINCOLN

CALL TO ORDER
PRAYER & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
ROLL CALL

PUBLIC HEARING

ITEM-1

Ordinance No. 2023-15 - Amend Chapter 54, Traffic and Vehicles, Article III - Golf Carts

Amending Chapter 54 to correct the original placement from section 54-31 – 54-36 to 54-61 – 54-66; and Amending Section 54-64, Limitations on Operating Golf Carts to Comply with Recently Enacted Amendments to State Law.

Mayor Beasley

Open Public Hearing
Call for Public Comments
Close Public Hearing on Ordinance No. 2023-15

TOWN COUNCIL ACTION

Town Council to adopt Ordinance No. 2023-15, on Second and Final Reading.

ITEM-2
Ordinance No. 2023-16 - Amend Chapter 58, Utilities - Septic Tanks
Amending Chapter 58 to Establish Approval Procedures for Drain Field
Locations, Grant the Town of Hilliard the Authority to Include Conditions for
Septic Tank Approvals, Mandate Affidavits for Drain Filled Boundary Compliance,
and Require Post-Construction Surveys Prior to Issuance of Certificates of
Occupancy.

Mayor Beasley

Open Public Hearing
Call for Public Comments
Close Public Hearing on Ordinance No. 2023-16

TOWN COUNCIL ACTION

Town Council to adopt Ordinance No. 2023-16, on Second and Final Reading.

REGULAR MEETING

ITEM-3 Additions/Deletions to Agenda

Town Council Introduction of Resolution 2023-22, Adopting the Public Lands Inventory for Property to which the Town Holds a Fee Simple Title that is Appropriate for use as Affordable Housing; Setting a Public Hearing and Town Council Action for Adoption on December 7, 2023.

Lee Anne Wollitz – Land Use Administrator

Town Council Approval of the Mutual Aid Agreement for Disaster Debris
Removal Services between Nassau County, Florida, and Phillips and Jordan, Inc.

Lisa Purvis, MMC – Town Clerk

Town Council Approval of Hiring Joel G. Hall P.E. for the Position of Public Works Director with a Starting Date of November 27, 2023, at an Annual Salary of \$70,000.00.

Lisa Purvis, MMC - Town Clerk

Town Council Approval to Set a Special Meeting to Adopt the Fiscal Year 2022-2023 Amended Budget by Resolution and Approval of the FDOT's Grant Agreement for the North Land Acquisition, for Thursday, November 30, 2023, at 6:00 p.m.

Lisa Purvis, MMC - Town Clerk

Town Council Approval of the Minutes for the November 2, 2023, Regular Meeting.

Lisa Purvis, MMC - Town Clerk

ADDED ITEMS

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

PUBLIC

MAYOR & TOWN COUNCIL

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

TOWN ATTORNEY

ADJOURNMENT

The Town may take action on any matter during this meeting, including items that are not set forth within this agenda.

TOWN COUNCIL MEETINGS

The Town Council meets the first and third Thursday of each month beginning at 7:00 p.m., unless otherwise scheduled. Meetings are held in the Town Hall Council Chambers located at 15859 West County Road 108. Video and audio recordings of the meetings are available in the Town Clerk's Office upon request.

PLANNING & ZONING BOARD MEETINGS

The Planning & Zoning Board meets the second Tuesday of each month beginning at 7:00 p.m., unless otherwise scheduled. Meetings are held in the Town Hall Council Chambers located at 15859 West County Road 108. Video and audio recordings of the meetings are available in the Town Clerk's Office upon request.

MINUTES & TRANSCRIPTS

Minutes of the Town Council meetings can be obtained from the Town Clerk's Office. The Meetings are usually recorded but are not transcribed verbatim for the minutes. Persons requiring a verbatim transcript may make arrangements with the Town Clerk to duplicate the recordings, if available, or arrange to have a court reporter present at the meeting. The cost of duplication and/or court reporter will be at the expense of the requesting party.

TOWN WEBSITE & YOUTUBE MEETING VIDEO

The Town's Website can be access at www.townofhilliard.com.

Live & recorded videos can be access at www.youtube.com search - Town of Hilliard, FL.

ADA NOTICE

In accordance with Section 286.26, Florida Statutes, persons with disabilities needing special accommodations to participate in this meeting should contact the Town Clerk's Office at (904) 845-3555 at least seventy-two hours in advance to request such accommodations.

APPEALS

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 286.0105, Florida Statues, the following notification is given: If a person decides to appeal any decision made by the Council with respect to any matter considered at such meeting, he or she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceeding is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Pursuant to Section 286.0114, Florida Statutes, effective October 1, 2013, the public is invited to speak on any "proposition" before a board, commission, council, or appointed committee takes official action regardless of whether the issue is on the Agenda. Certain exemptions for emergencies, ministerial acts, etc. apply. This public participation does not affect the right of a person to be heard as otherwise provided by law.

EXPARTE COMMUNICATIONS

Oral or written exchanges (sometimes referred to as lobbying or information gathering) between a Council Member and others, including staff, where there is a substantive discussion regarding a quasi-judicial decision by the Town Council. The exchanges must be disclosed by the Town Council so the public may respond to such exchanges before a vote is taken.

2023 HOLIDAYS

TOWN HALL OFFICES CLOSED

Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
 Monday, January 16, 2023
 Monday, May 29, 2023

3. Independence Day Monday Tuesday, July 4, 2023

4. Labor Day Monday, September 4, 20235. Veterans Day Friday, November 10, 2023

6. Thanksgiving Day Thursday, November 23, 2023

7. Friday after Thanksgiving Day Friday, November 24, 2023

8. Christmas Eve Monday, December 25, 2023 9. Christmas Day Tuesday, December 26, 2023

10.New Year's Eve Monday, January 1, 2024 11.New Year's Day Tuesday, January 2, 2024