



# APRIL REGULAR MEETING

Tuesday, April 19, 2022 at 6:00 PM

RUTH TOWN HALL

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## MINUTES

### CALL TO ORDER

David called the meeting to order.

### INVOCATION

David offered the invocation.

### ROLL CALL

#### PRESENT

Mayor David Guy

Commissioner William Steppe

Commissioner Nicholas Goode

Town Manager Amie Hanaway

Guests: Mrs. Rosie Rodezno, Mr. Anthony Carter, RJ Aiken, Koa Fernandez

### AGENDA ADOPTION

William made a motion to adopt the agenda as written. Nick seconded. Passes unanimously.

### GUEST SPEAKERS

David acknowledged our first guest speaker Mrs. Rosie Rodezno from Arepitas to Go. Rosie wanted to see if the board had guidance or direction regarding the sell of wine and beer in their proposed convenience store. Amie had shared the ABC commission phone number with Rosie last month to access guidance from their agency.

1. Mrs. Rosie Rodezno of Arepitas to Go would like to speak with the board regarding beer and wine sales from their proposed convenience store.

Rosie Rodezno requests beer and wine sales in her bodega. She shared her background and success for her businesses and for Ruth. 220 US hwy 64 quick stop. Serving custom cakes and local produce supporting farmers. She is asking for direction and support from the board.

Amie asked if the phone number to the ABC commission out of Raleigh was helpful, Rosie replied she wanted to speak with the board before approaching their agency.

William asked about the specific vision or plan for the quick stop, booths for dining in and consuming beverages on the property, or for carry out? Rosie replied both.

2. Mr. Anthony Carter with Altice USA would like to speak with the board.

Mr. Anthony "Tony" Carter from Altice USA (formerly Morris broadband) presented an internet provider opportunity to the board.

### COMMUNITY FORUM

No citizen's in attendance

### APPROVAL OF LAST MEETING'S MINUTES

Nick made a motion to approve last meetings minutes. William seconded. Passes unanimously.

### OLD BUSINESS

No old business.

### COMMITTEE REPORTS

3. Amie reviewed any noteworthy highlights and touched base on budget preparations.

Amie encouraged the board to review the budget vs actual report for any concerns or inquiries. She reviewed with the board the budget progress and requirements for fulfillment with the LGC.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

4. Amie reminded the board of the virtual or in person training suggested by the LGC UAL chair.

<https://www.nctreasurer.com/divisions/state-and-local-government-finance/lgc/information-governing-bodies/fiscal-training-local-government-elected-officials>

#### **CLOSED SESSION**

5. Amie reviewed an item with the board.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

Nick made a motion to adjourn, William seconded, passes unanimously.

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