

## Town of Yacolt Special Council Meeting/Budget Workshop Minutes Tuesday October 15, 2024 6:00 PM Town Hall

Call to Order 6:00 PM

## Flag Salute

## Roll Call

Council Members Present: Jeff Carothers, Kandi Peto, Craig Carroll, Marina Viray

Absent: none

Vacant seat: position #4

Also present: Mayor Ian Shealy, Public Works Director Terry Gardner, PW Admin Sean LaBarbera and

Clerk Stephanie Fields

## **Budget Workshop**

Mayor Shealy shared that he met with leaders from the City of LaCenter to understand how they accomplish various community goals, including funding, staffing, security, and what resources the Town might consider for 2025.

The council, Mayor Shealy and staff reviewed and discussed payroll expenses. Mayor Shealy and council refined budget front to back, looking at areas to pare down expenditures. Clerk Fields made many changes on the spot. It was determined that once a few specific questions have been answered, the budget will be adjusted to reflect those and therefore no additional budget workshops will be necessary. Mayor will present the Proposed Budget at the first budget hearing in November.

Adjourn: 8:39pm	2
Mayor Ian Shealy	Olerk Stephanie Fields
Approved by Council vote on 11/12/24	