

**Town of Yacolt
Council Meeting Minutes
Monday, September 21st, 2020**

Regular Council Meeting of the Yacolt Town Council
Virtual attendance only via Go To Meetings video and telephone conferencing.

Council Member Amy Boget has been designated as the Clerk Pro-Tempore for the purpose of roll call and creation of the minutes.

Call to Order: Mayor Listek called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call:

Council:

Mayor Katelyn J. Listek:	Present
Position #1 - Amy Boget:	Present
Position #2 - Michelle Dawson:	Present
Position #3 - Malita Moseley:	Present – Arrived at 7:05 pm
Position #4 - Herbert Noble:	Present
Position #5 - Marina Viray:	Present

Staff:

Town Attorney:	David Ridenour
Public Works Director:	Tom Esteb

Late Change to the Agenda:

None

Approve Minutes of Previous Meeting(s):

1. Draft Council Meeting Minutes 9-8-2020

Motion by: Noble
Seconded by: Viray
Voting Yea: Noble, Viray, Boget, Dawson
Voting Nay: None
Absent: Moseley
Motion Passed

Unfinished Business:

None

New Business:

2. Big Hollow Fire Update

- We are no longer in a level 1.
- Very grateful for the donations from the community and the work done by everyone in support of the Fire Fighters and victims.

Town Clerks Report:

Mayor Listek:

- Working on data for the upcoming Budget Workshop
- Getting access to more and more systems

Public Works Report:

Tom Esteb:

- Did a fall-time application for broad leaf weeds to stay ahead of them
- Working on invasive plants and weeds
- They recently painted the curbs. It is a slow process as it was done by hand.
- Chipper is ready to go for when the weather allows
- Preparing department budget wants and needs for the upcoming workshop
- Working on grants and funding opportunities

Attorney's Comments:

None

Citizen Communication:

Mary Rowe:

- Jorgensen Lot- Does not want building of houses to happen there
- Brought up sewer concerns
 - Council member Noble addressed her questions regarding his position
- Attorney Ridenour recommended discussing the potential need for sewer at the next meeting but reiterated its an unlikely eventuality in connection to building within our current growth boundaries and building practices.

Council Comments:

Council Member Dawson:

Thanked everyone for their donations to the fire fighters. Donations for the fire fighters and victims of the wild-fires were delivered to multiple places including Amboy and Sandy Oregon.

Mayors Comments:

- 5 applications for the Clerks position have been received
- Is hoping that interviews will begin next week
- If you volunteered, please advise on availability.
- Our deepest condolences to the families who have lost loved ones that recently purchased burial plots.

Approve to Pay Bills on Behalf of the Town:

The bills were not available due to connectivity issues the town experienced. Approval to pay the bills was granted unanimously provided that they meet with Finance Committee Approval.

Motion to pay the bills on condition of Finance Committee approval:

Motion by: Council Member Boget

Seconded by: Council Member Moseley


Voting Yea: Boget, Viray, Moseley, Dawson, Noble


Voting Nay: none

Motion Passed

Adjourn:

Mayor Listek ADJORNED the meeting at 7:17 PM



Amy Boget
Council Member, Position #1
Clerk *Pro Tempore* / Secretary for Meeting

Katelyn J. Listek
Mayor

These Minutes were approved by the Town Council at its regular meeting on October 5, 2020.