

MINUTES-TOWN OF POUND, VA
AUGUST 19, 2025 @ 6:30 P.M.
8422 North River Road, Pound, Virginia 24279

REGULAR SESSION OF COUNCIL

Mayor Cauthorne opened the regular session meeting with the pledge of allegiance and Eddie Mullins opened in prayer.

ROLL CALL OF COUNCIL:

Cauthorne - Here
Hall - Here
Kennedy - Here
Mullins - Here
Powers - Here

PUBLIC HEARING FOR BOUNDARY ADJUSTMENT

Mr. Dotson states we have run this in the paper consecutively for two weeks, so that the public will know. He states it's the high school property in the county to be adjusted to be in the town limits and be a part of the town and also the JW Adams property as well.

The Mayor asks if anyone wants to discuss this matter, now is the time to do so.

No one does.

The mayor states we will move to the Consent Calendar.

He asks if there's any discussion on the consent calendar.

Councilman Cauthorne asks with the approval of council to move number 19 to SMR Update. Councilwoman Kennedy verifies that he wants to change and take off marijuana shops and make it SMR Update. Councilwoman Kennedy would like to move the Black Lung Resolution up to before the audit update. She states she doesn't want Mary Cromer to have to sit and wait that long down the list for that. She suggests making Black Lung Resolution 9A and Audit Update 9B.

The mayor asks if there's any more changes for the calendar.

Councilman Cauthorne asks the attorney, Mr. Dotson, if we need to have a closed session of number 6 or do we need to move that to, 27B? Councilwoman Kennedy states it will be more beneficial up at the front. Councilman Cauthorne asks what it's about. Mr. Dotson states without giving away protections of confidentiality, he states he just needs to give council legal advice and insights on a few matters before they erupt. Councilman Cauthorne asks which numbers from the agenda. Mr. Dotson states number 17. Councilman Cauthorne asks if we can move number 6 to 27B and number 17 to 27C, he hates for people to have to sit through a closed session. Mr. Dotson says if that's agreeable to council. Mr. Dotson states he would like to give the council some legal consultation before they take up the matter. Councilman Kennedy states she's not agreeable to that. Councilman Cauthorne makes the motion to amend the agenda so

that number 6 is 27B and 17 is 27C. There's no second, states the mayor, so we will move forward. Councilwoman Kennedy makes the motion to approve the consent calendar with the two changes that were agreed upon. Councilwoman Mullins seconds.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Cauthorne - Yes

Hall - Yes

Kennedy -Yes

Mullins - Yes

Powers - Yes

The mayor states the consent calendar is approved.

The mayor states they will now move into a closed session pursuant 2.2-3711(A)(8) of the Virginia Code for the purposes of consultation with legal counsel regarding specific legal matters requiring the provision of legal advice by such counsel and pursuant to 2.2-3711(A)(5) of the Virginia Code for discussion concerning a prospective business or industry or the expansion of an existing business or industry where no previous announcement has been made of the business' or industry's interest in location or expanding its facilities in the community. Councilwoman Kennedy makes the motion as read. Councilwoman Mullins seconds.

ROLL CALL VOTE

Cauthorne - Abstain

Hall - Abstain

Kennedy - Yes

Mullins - Yes

Powers - Yes

The mayor asks for a motion. Councilwoman Kennedy makes a motion to move back into open session. Councilman Powers seconds.

ROLL CALL VOTE

Cauthorne - Yes

Hall - Yes

Kennedy - Yes

Mullins - Yes

Powers - Yes

The mayor states the motion passes.

The mayor asks if we can have a motion to certify that only, lawfully accepted exempt matters were discussed and those matters were being closed session pursuant to 2.2-3711(A)(8) of the Virginia Code for the purposes of consultation with legal counsel regarding specific legal matters requiring the provision of legal advice by such counsel and pursuant to 2.2-3711(A)(5) of the Virginia Code for discussion concerning a prospective business or industry or the expansion of

an existing business or industry where no previous announcement has been made of the business' or industry's interest in location or expanding its facilities in the community. Councilwoman Kennedy makes a motion. Councilman Powers seconds.

No more discussion.

ROLL CALL VOTE

Cauthorne - Yes

Hall - Yes

Kennedy - Yes

Mullins - Yes

Powers - Yes

The mayor states the motion passes.

AUDIENCE COMMENT

None

REPORTS

POLICE REPORT

Chief Wilcox states that the dodge was at the dealership for an extended period of time and is ok now and the repair shop worked with us on the truck and getting a new rear end in it and carries a 3 year warranty. He states that there is no rush into getting any new vehicles right now. He states we may want to address that next year in our budget. He states he gave the council some paperwork with a bunch of numbers, and that is the grant money they just received. He goes over what it all is for and how it's itemized. He states they did get a contract with Vegitech today and he goes over the costs. He states the training for this is in Oklahoma and we will have to fly someone out there and he goes over all those fees. That will be a total of \$835.00, he did not commit to that because we are hoping to try to do that remotely. Mr. Dotson is going to review the contract. The Motorola project is the in car and body camera system. They are still working out the deal with that.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

None

TOWN MANAGER

Brittany Carter states that in September is when she goes to the local programs workshop which is sponsored by VDOT. We are out nothing on that, the only thing is it falls on the same day as our next meeting. She states she will be gone three days, learning how they work with their local entities on grant work and getting it paid for. We have been working on any unpaid business licenses that need to be updated. The MOU will be voted on next month with BOS. We had to replace our hot water heater here at town hall. That was all just under \$1000.00 and we submitted a correction for our water bill with PSA.

EDA

Councilwoman Mullins states our balance is \$682.66. We do have some furniture for every room. We are cleaning and anyone that wants to volunteer, it would be appreciated.

PLANNING COMMISSION

Randy Carter is not here. Councilwoman Kennedy states they had been talking about the property near the Wildcat gas station. The planning commission is making the recommendation that council update zoning to allow for the removable type housing in that area. The deed has been changed for that house and it should be coming down shortly. And she states from what she understands is the house that's beside it has come up for sale now and the hole where the Addington house was, may possibly be for sale. That is a whole section of area that could be a removable type housing and you can't put anything else there. The planning commission is making the recommendation that counsel change the zoning for that area to take care of the removable housing option.

Councilman Cauthorne asks if they'll be a public hearing at some point. Councilwoman Kennedy states, possibly at some point. She states she can make the motion to have a public hearing next month on that if he'd like. She makes the motion of the rezoning for three properties in town. Councilwoman Kennedy states to classify it as anything that may not be utilized because of the flood plain and flood zoning. Councilman Cauthorne asks if the planning commission has asked us to move on this subject. Councilwoman Kennedy states, yes. Councilman Cauthorne seconds.

ROLL CALL VOTE

Cauthorne - Yes

Hall - Yes

Kennedy - Yes

Mullins - Yes

Powers - Yes

The motion passes.

BLACK LUNG RESOLUTION

The mayor states this is in the council packets and he will read and then the council will decide whether they want to adopt it or not.

The mayor reads aloud and asks if there's any discussion. There is no discussion. Councilman Cauthorne makes a motion and Councilwoman Kennedy seconds.

ROLL CALL VOTE

Cauthorne - Yes

Hall - Yes

Kennedy - Yes

Mullins - Yes

Powers - Yes

The mayor states the resolution passes.

OLD BUSINESS

AUDIT UPDATES

Mrs. Carter states she spoke with David Cox today about the preaudit and that we should have something back by the end of September. Once he finishes up with the preaudit we should be able to move forward with the auditor we have for the job. Councilman Cauthorne asks Brittany when she thinks it will be completed. She states that the preaudit should be done before the end of September. Councilwoman Kennedy states we can't even get on the list until he's done with the preaudit. Brittany states that it is for 2022-2023/2023-2024. Councilwoman Kennedy states that the deal that's worked out with the auditor is three years, so we got special pricing and will be ready to move forward with the next audit 2024-2025, fairly quickly.

GRANT UPDATE

Councilwoman Kennedy states we are still waiting on the approval letter with VDEM. The monuments across Appalachian Va, we have to have the unveiling by the end of March and that plays a role in the Ratliff building. The surveyor was supposed to be out here by the end of this week to do the survey and set the markers to remove the alley way section, so that the deed can be done and we can move forward there. The ARC grant, pays Abbys wages. We have the VOF grant, we still have the money setting there. She states that in discussions with VOF, they have told us, is we can keep \$8000.00 because that's what we paid for the property plus any expenses, which is roughly \$156 dollars out of that grant money. However, if we can get the county to provide us an evaluation of the property without restrictions, if we had never done the deed of dedication to make that public property, what would that be? Then we could keep that amount of money plus expenses. She states the paper she handed out, has the evaluation of that property at \$27,700.00. She states that the discussion with VOF about the money is that they want the money to be spent on something outdoorsy. She states we do have the pickleball courts that are being worked on, the property that needs to be maintained and we have been looking at a piece of equipment that will assist the town overall, in mowing, scooping, backhoe/bucket. The possible price was about \$29,000.00. This would be a little over but we are going to go back to the company and offer cash on the spot and see what we can get it for. She states that Lyndon has been taking his own mower and has had a few mishaps along the way and has repaired his mower and has kindly done so without asking for a penny to help him. She states that is her proposal on what we do with the money from that grant. Councilman Cauthorne asks if that's the money that was for the campground. Councilwoman Kennedy states, yes. Councilwoman Kennedy states she's making that motion to use the money from the grant for the equipment (Mahindra 1126) to maintain the high school property as well to use throughout town, with the approval of VOF. Councilman Hall seconds.

ROLL CALL VOTE

Cauthorne - Yes

Hall - Yes

Kennedy - Yes

Mullins - Yes

Powers - Yes

The motion passes.

Mayor Cauthorne asks if there's anymore grant updates.

Councilwoman Kennedy states AMLER, still waiting on audit, still waiting on VDEM. The DEQ grant, once the demolition of the alleyway is completed we can request reimbursement for what DEQ would owe. We are also waiting on the contractor on the monuments grant to come and finish demolition.

Councilman Cauthorne says we have to have the pocket park dedicated by the end of March.

Councilwoman Kennedy says, not the pocket park. She says the pocket park is the AMLER money we are waiting on audits for and we can't proceed without that audit with the pocket park portion. The monument has to be unveiled by the end of March. Councilman Cauthorne asks if the monument will be set up temporarily somewhere else. Councilwoman Kennedy says no.

She states when the alleyway comes down, it returns that building to an exterior wall. The problem was the alleyway wall was not stable enough for us to put the monument up against that wall. The AMLER money is not enough to complete the pocket park and would only give us \$500,000 and wanted us to come back and ask for more. We can go back and request more

AMLER. Councilman Cauthorne asks what is the estimated time that we will have the retaining wall up. Councilwoman Kennedy states, she can't tell, no way of knowing due to waiting on VDEM to give us the go ahead. Councilman Cauthorne states, so the monument can be placed without the retaining wall being in place. Councilwoman Kennedy states, yes. She states when the contractor starts with the retaining wall, it will be less than 60 days for the slope stabilization and having the retaining wall up. Councilman Powers states his concerns about putting up a very expensive monument then having to work around it with big equipment for demolition.

Councilwoman Kennedy states, it won't touch it. Councilman Powers asks if it would be insured. She states, yes it would.

NEW EQUIPMENT FOR HIGH SCHOOL/MOU

New equipment was already discussed above in the Grant Update. Councilwoman Kennedy said the county made the suggestion we extend the MOU. They have not committed to the extension yet. She states the only thing she would say is that we have worked really hard to build bridges and she feels like sometimes those bridges are being burned. They will vote on the MOU at the next BOS meeting next month. That is to extend the MOU for the high school property. Councilman Cauthorne asks, if we are able to develop the property, they give it to us and we get to keep it? The answer was yes.

NEWLY ACQUIRED BUILDING

Councilman Cauthorne asks if it's been sold yet. Councilwoman Kennedy states no that it can't be sold until the deed and survey is done. Councilman Cauthorne asks how long will that be, she states that she thinks he is supposed to be here by the end of the week and we would have the survey, the plats, the markers set and everything before the end of the month. Councilman Cauthorne asks how much the survey was, she states \$1300.00. Mr. Dotson states that he assumes he's doing the legal description for the deed and everything. Councilwoman Kennedy states that's her understanding.

BOUNDARY ADJUSTMENT

Mr. Dotson states that this is for the council to either enter into or not. He states the county is still looking into it. Councilman Cauthorne makes a motion to adopt this. Councilwoman Kennedy seconds. The mayor asks if there's any more discussion on it.

ROLL CALL VOTE

Cauthorne - Yes

Hall - Yes

Kennedy - Yes

Mullins - Yes

Powers - Yes

The motion passes.

STREET LIGHTS

Councilman Hall states he called them and they told him that he had to have the number off the pole. Councilwoman Kennedy states that's what we've been waiting on you to get for us, she states she told him that. He says he's not getting out in the night to get them, he's scared and he works and isn't going to get out to get them. Councilman Hall makes a motion for the police to get the pole numbers when he notices they are out at night. Councilman Cauthorne seconds. Councilwoman Kennedy would make a friendly amendment, that if they are out and see a street light out that they notify us but we don't need to send them out specifically to get pole numbers. Councilman Cauthorne states the motion would be, if the police are patrolling at night and see a town street light out, they will take the number off the pole and report it to the town manager.

ROLL CALL VOTE

Cauthorne - Yes

Hall - Yes

Kennedy - Yes

Mullins - Yes

Powers - Yes

The motion passes.

MUNICODE

Councilwoman Kennedy states we did talk to Municode in regards to updating our ordinances and they don't do that. Mr. Dotson states they categorize the ordinances that the administrative or police department work on upgrading, so you save on attorneys fees. Councilwoman Kennedy states it's quite expensive. He states that after looking into it since the last meeting, that it's really not for our use or purpose but we may need to sit down and go through some old ordinances that we can update. Councilwoman Kennedy states the good news is she has them in digital form now, so now she can drop them in emails and send them to him. Councilman Cauthorne asks if there's any way to put the ordinances on the website. She states she doesn't think we are quite there yet but she thinks Brittany has been trying to get things up. Councilman Powers asks if these codes are specific to Pound. Mr. Dotson states we may need to sit down and go through them and decide what we may need in the ordinances and what we may be missing or what we can put to use.

TOWN HALL BUILDING

Councilwoman Kennedy states she's back to making the motion that we, in regard to the building, proceed with the structural engineer to evaluate the building and see what's needed on our part. She states that's her motion. Councilman Cauthorne asks what the cost was. Brittany states \$7,000.00. Councilwoman Kennedy states preplanning grant and a planning grant you have money that is there to cover those initial costs to try to get to the grant writing process. We were denied a preplanning grant and a planning grant. We have to go through this process with the structural engineer and what he will do is list everything that he feels needs to be done and then we may have to prioritize those things. There are historic building grants that we qualify for, we've found them but our hands are tied. Councilman Cauthorne states that Gary has a good point, and they say to condemn it. Councilwoman Kennedy states they aren't going to condemn it. The building is not so far gone that it can't be repaired. He has looked under the building but says it needs a broader look, he only done a quick look as a favor while he was here for the other building. Mr. Hall asks if there's airflow under the building. Councilwoman Kennedy states yes but the problem is, there's only one small door on the end to get up under it. Mr. Hall states to fix the exterior first and if it needs a french drain then to get that done. She states the other side has taken care of their side of the building. Brittany states that the neighboring owner does not feel the need to go in on the structural engineer. Councilwoman Kennedy states we are constantly seeing changes in the building. Councilman Cauthorne is not in favor of going into debt on this building or investing in this building but if we can get free grant money to fix this building then we aren't going into debt over it. He states then the people can decide next November if they want to invest in this building or give it to the county. Councilwoman Kennedy states the motion is to move forward with the structural engineer to evaluate the building so that we can apply for grants to assist in fixing it.

ROLL CALL VOTE

Cauthorne - Yes

Hall - Yes

Kennedy - Yes

Mullins - Yes

Powers - Yes

NEW BUSINESS

SMR UPDATE

Brittany states she and some other BOS and Councilwoman Kennedy attended a seminar at UVA-WISE called Nuclear 101 and they talked with us a little bit about what type of SMRs we would be looking at if it were to go in this area. How they worked, how they disassembled them and not a whole lot on the economic side but alot about the power grid and things like that. Councilwoman Kennedy states they talked about decommissioning of nuclear power plants. She states that in this seminar someone mentioned a power plant in New Jersey and she got online and looked it up. It was shut down in 2018 and in 2025 it is still not totally decommissioned. They also talked about one that was shut down in 1970 and in 2025, it is still not totally decommissioned. Councilman Cauthorne states he sees that a new road is being built near Red Onion and then the new road down by the airport in Wise. He says it seems like they are wanting to move fast on this. Brittany states that they didn't give a timeline on this or that it was for sure coming to this area at the seminar. It was just informational. Councilwoman Kennedy states they said it would be at least ten years or more before we would see anything if it were approved.

LINDA HUBBARD/HELEN DOTSON PROPERTY

Councilwoman Kennedy states Linda had expressed concern saying they had been billed for property outside of town limits and we found that she was. She states we reached out to the county and they have made an adjustment. She states that Linda and her sister Helen will be getting a refund for 3 years plus current because that's all we can refund back to them. She states they are aware and that this is already in the process.

RED FOX FESTIVAL

Councilwoman Kennedy states the festival will take place on October 25, 2025. She also states that on Oct. 24th they'll be a viewing of a video at town hall with regards to the Pittston strike. The festival will be from 12-5 and at hanging rock they will have something in the evening.

ASSISTANT TREASURER APPOINTMENT

Mrs. Carter states that just as a reminder that Abby Hamilton will be leaving and studying abroad between Sept and Dec. Abbys last day at work will be September 4, that is a pay period ending date. Councilman Cauthorne asks if there's any recommendation. Brittany states they had discussed appointing Miracle and she's totally fine with having her as an assistant treasurer but her only concern there would be internal controls. She states as it stands right now, everything is a three or four step process before a check gets signed, so that way everyone has eyes on it. Councilman Powers asks if this is just a temporary position and Brittany states, yes, that Abby will be back in December, right around Christmas time. Councilman Cauthorne states he would feel comfortable with Miracle having that position due to honesty. Councilman

Cauthorne makes a motion to appoint Miracle as interim (temporary) treasurer while Abby is gone until she returns in December 2025. Councilman Hall seconds. Councilwoman Kennedy asks if we are going to give her any more money for taking on more responsibilities. She asks if we would be willing to give Miracle the treasures pay for the temporary period, then she would be good with it. Mr. Dotson asks if we can clarify when she will start and end date. Brittany states Abbys last day at work will be September 4, 2025 and will be through December 31, 2025. Councilman Cauthorne states she is a grant sponsored employee and is that grant paying her while she's not here? Brittany and Councilwoman Kennedy states, no. Councilman Cauthorne asks if that will go towards the interim while she's filling in for Abby? Councilwoman Kennedy states no that the grant is written to pay Abby specifically. Mr. Dotson asks, so it's tied to the person at the office? Councilman Cauthorne asks how we got this grant for Abby so that we can look into it for the assistant treasurer? Councilwoman Kennedy states that we applied for the grant through ARC. Councilman Cauthorne asks if we can reapply for the grant or to talk to someone about it. Councilwoman Kennedy states we can ask if we can temporarily move that money to Miracle for the temporary position, she states she doesn't know if we can do that but we can ask. The motion is read back by the clerk.

ROLL CALL VOTE

Cauthorne - Yes

Hall - Yes

Kennedy - Yes

Mullins - Yes

Powers - Yes

TAX TICKETS

Councilwoman Kennedy makes the motion to go ahead and issue real estate tax tickets to be due November 30, 2025. The reason being is if we can get those tax tickets out before Abby leaves, the only thing that will leave is the personal property taxes, which is a beast, and they won't come out until September, well we won't even get the information until September for the personal property taxes. Councilwoman Mullins seconds.

ROLL CALL VOTE

Cauthorne - Yes

Hall - Yes

Kennedy - Yes

Mullins - Yes

Powers - Yes

CHANGE OCTOBER MEETING DATE

Councilman Cauthorne states he will be out of town the date of the October meeting and was wondering if we could make the October meeting on the 14th? Councilwoman Kennedy states she would happily do it on the 13th. The mayor asks if that's the form of the motion, could we have a second? Councilman Powers seconds.

The mayor states the motion passes.

Mr. Dotson confirmed the date of the next meeting to Tuesday, October 14, 2025 at 6:30pm.

POST OFFICE

Councilman Cauthorne states he learned a little bit of history about Pound where the words Post Office are popping up on main street, there were some questions asked of me if the post office was moving there and he states he knew there was some issues with the current location but he guesses that was the historic post office building and he was wondering what they were planning on putting in that building. Councilman Kenendy states she doesn't know but Larry Sturgill is the owner. The awning being removed prompted the question of, if the post office was moving back into the old building where it was previously. Councilwoman Kennedy states the glass was replaced due to the crash and they removed the awning. Councilman Cauthorne asks when Munchies is going to open, Adam, a co-owner of Munchies, speaks up from the audience and states October 1, 2025. Councilman Cauthorne asks what are they doing at Munchies, Adam states, a full service Asian restaurant. Councilman Cauthorne asks, Chinese, Adam states mostly Chinese.

OTHER BUSINESS

Councilwoman Kennedy states she mentioned when we done the insurance renewal that there was a section in there that said the town qualified for a \$2000.00 refund/grant, it is actually a grant. She states she's making the proposal to take that 2000.00 grant and purchase a bucket lift and we can get it pretty reasonable. She states Bo is extremely afraid to climb ladders at this point and I don't blame him. She states it would be beneficial when the flags go up and we don't have to purchase it until the grant is awarded. Councilwoman Kennedy states she's making the motion to apply for that grant and use it to purchase the bucket lift. The mayor asks how much a bucket lift is, Councilwoman Kennedy states when she looked the other day a company had one that would go 32ft for right around \$2100.00. She states it was reasonable and we've already got a truck, we just need a bucket lift. She states some of the poles that we put flags on are leaning and on the edge of a hill. This would take care of both problems and he also had to climb the ladder to take care of and work on the lights outside here. Councilman Powers asks if it's electric. Councilwoman Kennedy states she thinks it's a battery of some sort. Councilman Powers states it's not good to let the engine sit around for months unattended, it's not good. Councilwoman Kennedy states the battery will wear out but she feels it's safer than the engine one. The mayor confirms that her motion is to apply for the grant and use the money for the bucket lift. Councilman Cauthorne states, if we receive the grant. Councilman Powers seconds. Councilman Cauthorne states he remembers former mayor George Dean had a ladder in the back of his truck and was putting up something and hurting his leg. So he states, the ladder

could be a liability. He states if we're not losing money then, he agrees. Councilwoman Kennedy states that it has to be used for safety in some way.

ROLL CALL VOTE

Cauthorne - Yes

Hall - Yes

Kennedy - Yes

Mullins - Yes

Powers - Yes

Mrs. Carter states that one more tid bit of other business is, she states a company reached out to us a year and half ago to two years ago when we were working on hazard mitigation about a text message program that citizens could enroll in. She states they have called her all week wanting her to share the proposal. She states, do we need this, she says she is not sure. She is willing to pass on the information to see if counsel sees fit. She states that basically citizens would enroll then we could send out alerts such as, hey Heritage Days will be such and such, or the Christmas parade will be such and such, just basically sending out alerts. Councilman Cauthorne states so it would be \$1000.00 to set up and \$200.00 monthly. Councilwoman Kennedy states she's a big no on that and it's not necessary. Councilman Cauthorne states we are really agreeing on a lot tonight. Councilwoman Kennedy states she knows and asks him if he had his come to Jesus meeting before coming. He states maybe, maybe not.

The mayor asks if there's any other business.

Councilwoman Kennedy asks if they want to discuss the Sunrise Park? She states she's totally opposed to this proposal for multiple reasons. The \$800.00 per acre price when that property was \$8000.00 that we paid for it and now he's looking at a campsite that has already been. The gain of the VOF money for equipment is a win on our part. She can't see saying here and another thing is, he's wanting to close it and have a coded gate to get into it but it has to remain open to the public. She makes the motion to deny this offer of his proposal. Councilman Cauthorne seconds. He asks, If anyone has any questions, do we have this for the public to look at? Mr. Dotson states he has an extra copy if he wants to put one out. Councilman Cauthorne states that this is just an attempt by a gentleman to have the town to assist in building a road to the campsite. He also says it reads, there would be a 5 year plan with a one year guarantee rent, he asks if that's for the town to pay, Councilwoman Kennedy states Yes. So we would be paying rent on our own property for four years, \$6000.00 and \$1000.00. Councilwoman Kennedy and Councilwoman Mullins both say no. Councilman Cauthorne states we are taking the campsite money and using it towards something we can use in our town limit, yeah he thinks this can be buried and if anyone has questions we have copies.

ROLL CALL VOTE

Cauthorne - Yes
Hall - Yes
Kennedy - Yes
Mullins - Yes
Powers - Yes

The motion passes.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Jimmy Taylor from Pound suggests we get signs for safety. Councilwoman Kennedy states we do have signs and cones with lights and they should be in the old town hall in storage and for Bo to come talk to her to see what he needs because we also have funding for anything that's needed for equipment.

Councilman Hall wants to thank Burton for the help he has provided helping them. Councilwoman Kennedy states can't make it a money making scheme because that's what upsets people, kinda like how George Dean made the comments we would pay for our police cars with the people we pull over out of Ky. Councilwoman Kennedy states if he's up there, then Councilman Hall states, that's what he's saying.

ADJOURNMENT

Councilwoman Kennedy makes a motion to adjourn.
Councilman Cauthorne seconds.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Cauthorne - Yes
Hall - Yes
Kennedy - Yes
Mullins - Yes
Powers - Yes

APPROVED ON THIS THE 24th DAY OF September, 2025.


JOHN CAUTHORNE, MAYOR

ATTEST:


COURTNEY MEADE, CLERK