## TOWN OF JONESVILLE SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES March 4, 2023

The Town of Jonesville Council met for a Special Meeting on Saturday, March 4, 2023, at 8:45 am.

**Council Present:** 

Absent:

Mayor Anita Darnell

Mayor Pro-Tempore Andy Green

Tracy Wall Regina Adkins Michael Tilley Scott Darnell

Others Present:

Michael Pardue, Town Manager

Wenona C. Thompson, Finance Director

Mayor Darnell called the meeting to order at 8:45 am.

Town Manager, Michael Pardue addressed the Town Council outlining the purpose and process of the Town's annual budget. Discussion began between the Town Manager and Council regarding priorities for the Council expanding over the upcoming five (5) years. Among the list discussed:

- 1. continued maintenance and completion of the Jonesville Greenway Trail & Double Bluff Recreation Area;
- 2. business development and recruitment, looking for a commercial realtor from outside the area that deals with big corporate stores;
- 3. developing of wayfinding signs;
- 4. developing of Uptown Jonesville;
- 5. council advised to adjust employee salaries by 3%;
- 6. Town Manager stated that Lila Swaim has been worked on and improved, Council felt there is still room for improvement in next budget for bathrooms, concrete pad, stage area. Council advised the Finance Director to pull figures for upcoming budget to make repairs.

Mayor Darnell requested the Town Manager do before and after photos when work is being done so that the Council and public can see the work in progress.

Town Manager thanked the board and is proud to work for a board who cares and not on their own agenda.

A motion was made to go into closed session to discuss personnel by Council Member Green. A second was made by Council Member Wall and approved by unanimous vote. 5-0

A motion was made to go back into open session by Council Member Green. A second was made by Council Member Wall and approved by unanimous vote. 5-0

A motion to adjourn was made by Council Member Wall. A second was made by Council Member S. Darnell and approved by unanimous vote. 5-0

The Honorable Anita Darnell Mayor Town of Jonesville

Wenona C. Thompson, Town Glerk