

TOWN OF JONESVILLE
REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES
January 12, 2026

The Jonesville Town Council held its Regular Monthly Board Meeting on Monday, January 12, 2026, at 7:00 p.m.

Council Present:

Mayor Anita Darnell
May Pro-Tempore Andy Green
Tracy Wall
Regina Adkins
Michael Tilley
Scott Darnell

Absent:

Others Present:

Wendy Thompson, Town Manager	James Freeman, Town Attorney
William Buffkin, Assistant Town Manager	Tiffany Hall-Long, Town Clerk

Mayor Darnell called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion to enter Closed Session pursuant to G.S. 143-318.11(a)(6) to discuss personnel matters was made by Council Member T. Wall, seconded by Council Member R. Adkins, approved by unanimous vote, 5-0.

Motion to reenter Open Session was made by Mayor Pro-Tempore Green, seconded by Council Member T. Wall, approved by unanimous vote, 5-0.

Consent Agenda - The Consent Agenda included the following:

- Closed Session Minutes for November 13, 2025
- Regular Meeting Minutes for December 8, 2025
- Special Meeting Minutes for January 2, 2026
- Closed Session Minutes for January 2, 2026
- Quarterly Financials – October/November/December 2025
- Departmental Reports for December 2025
- SOK Enterprises – DBRA Agreement
- Jim Shore Grading – DBRA Agreement
- Triad Heating and Cooling – Maintenance Agreement
- Douglas Displays – Billboard Agreements

A motion to approve the Consent Agenda was made by Council Member R. Adkins, seconded by Council Member M. Tilley, approved by unanimous vote, 5-0.

A motion to approve the agenda for January 12, 2026, was made by Council Member S. Darnell, seconded by Council Member R. Adkins, approved by unanimous vote, 5-0.

Public Comment Period –

No public comment was made.

Presentation –

SRO Mitchell Kemp spoke before the Council on the reintegration of the D.A.R.E. program to Jonesville Elementary School since the early 2000's. He had 38 fifth grade graduates from this year's program. Kemp tasked the students with an essay contest to share what they learned during D.A.R.E. and along for his presentation was this year's winner, Sammy Horne. Sammy shared his essay with the Board and thanked them for allowing him to come and speak with them.

Business – Wendy Thompson, Town Manager, addressed the Council with the following business matters:

1. Required under NCGS 143-355(1), the Town of Jonesville is required to submit a Local Water Supply Plan due to providing public water services. The resolution and the Plan, upon approval will be submitted to the Department of Environmental Quality, Division of Water Resources.
 - o A motion to approve Resolution for Approving Local Water Supply Plan was made by Mayor Pro-Tempore Green, seconded by Council Member T. Wall, approved by unanimous vote, 5-0.
2. Employment Agreement for newly hired Jonesville Town Manager W. Thompson that will go into effect immediately and on a term of three (3) years.
 - o A motion to approve Employment Agreement with Wenona C. Thompson with amendment to Section 7 was made by Council Member T. Wall, seconded by Council Member R. Adkins, approved by unanimous vote, 5-0.

W. Thompson was sworn in by Town Clerk T. Hall-Long for her new position as Town Manager.

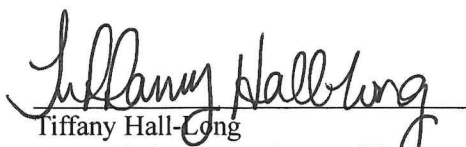
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After Closed Session discussion, motion to approve salary increase of Water Distribution ORC J. Matthews was made by Mayor Pro-Tempore Green, seconded by Council Member S. Darnell, approved by unanimous vote, 5-0.

Board members congratulated W. Thompson on her new role as Jonesville Town Manager and thanked the public for joining the Town for the January meeting and made a reminder of next month's meeting on Monday, February 9, 2026 at 7 PM.

A motion to adjourn was made by Council Member M. Tilley, seconded by Council Member S. Darnell, and approved by unanimous vote, 5-0.


Tiffany Hall-Long
Town Clerk, Town of Jonesville


The Honorable Anita Darnell
Mayor, Town of Jonesville