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MAYOR
William H. Sanders, III

TREASURER
Sheila Jeanne Murchison

COMMISSIONER
Eric Baugh
Eric Brewington
Benjamin Secundy

Board of Commissioners Meeting

August 29, 2020

Attendees: Mayor Sanders, Commissioners, Baugh, Murchison, and Secundy. The meeting was called to order at 11:05 a.m.

Citizen's Input

The meeting was open for citizen's input.

Journal Review and Approval

There was a motion to approve the journal from July 2020 by Treasurer Jeannie Murchison, a second and approval by all.

Treasurer's Report

Commissioner Murchison reviewed the financial report. There were no questions. Next month's financial report will be distributed to the citizens prior to the monthly meeting.

Mayor's Reports

Mayor Sanders summarized the 2018 Hazard Mitigation Plan which was approved by FEMA. A draft Comprehensive Plan for 2020 was sent to the Board Members and was briefly discussed during the Board meeting. Section 3 is probably the most interesting section. Section 4 outlines the process for approval of the plan.

Beach swimming safety signs were installed. Swimming should not occur in the Bay after it rains for 48 hours. One of the two golf carts is being replaced. The second golf cart is being repaired.

A Mean High Tide survey has been ordered. The date for this has not been provided yet.

Commissioners' Reports

Commissioner Baugh asked if Judge Washington has the Ethics document to review. Yes, he does but the review is not complete yet. Commissioner Baugh is evaluating the advantages and disadvantages of incorporation. He distributed a document on the subject from the Maryland Municipal League this morning.

Commissioner Brewington provided an update regarding the speed bumps which will be installed after Labor Day.

Mayor Sanders said he ordered a street sign for Well's Lane which arrived with a mistake. A corrected street sign is being made.

Old Business

There was no old business.

New Business

Treasurer Murchison said that Arthur Cole was listed in an obituary in the Washington Post. This was erroneous information as he is still alive.

Citizens' Input

The meeting was again open for citizen's input.

Set next meeting date and adjourn

The next meeting was set for 11:00 am on September 26, 2020.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:41 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted by,

Aundrea Naylor, Highland Beach Clerk