

Grayson County Board of Supervisors
And Independence Town Council
Joint Informational Meeting at IVFD
September 6, 2017

Board of Supervisors attending were: Brenda R. Sutherland, John S. Fant and Mike Hash. Glen E. Rosenbaum and Kenneth R. Belton were unable to attend.

William L. Shepley, Mitchell L. Smith, and Linda C. Osborne were in attendance as well.

Independence Town Council members in attendance: Jerry Hughes, EF "Butch" Reeves IV, Pete Hall and Kim Farmer. Jason Cassell, Ronald Sexton, William F. "Buddy" Halsey, Jeff Miller, Tom Maxwell was unable to attend.

Independence Volunteer Fireman in attendance were: Gary Hash, Matthew Adams, Dennis Bobbitt, Jeremy Walters and Worth Carrico.

Supervisor Sutherland called the Board of Supervisors to order since a quorum was present. Mayor Reeves welcomed all members and staff.

Jerry Hughes, Town Manager, stated that Hurt & Profit will be working with the Town of Independence on the McKnight Lot Project.

Mr. Hughes asked Gary Hash, Fire Chief of the Independence Fire Department, to give a tour of the equipment and vehicles.

Supervisor Fant inquired about the Wired Road and setting up network in Independence noting it would not compete with businesses. Mr. Hughes stated he would call Keith Barker and discuss.

Supervisor Hash inquired about the Virginia-Carolina Water capacity. Mr. Hughes explained the process and the needed increase of capacity and offered to take everyone out to the site at a time convenient for everyone.

Everyone in attendance agreed to meet again on Tuesday, December 5th, 2017 at 6:00 p.m.

Mr. Shepley expressed his appreciation for the warm welcome from Mr. Hughes and Town Council

Supervisor Fant made the motion to adjourn; duly seconded by Supervisor Hash. Motion carried 3-0.