

SULLIVAN COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES  
JUNE 28, 2021, SULLIVAN COUNTY COURTHOUSE

The Sullivan County Council met in regular meeting on Monday, June 28, 2021 in the Commissioners / Council Meeting Room on the first floor of the Sullivan County Courthouse.

Jerry Payne called the meeting to order with the Pledge of Allegiance and prayer.

Members present:

Jerry Payne – President, Curt Bedwell – Member, Matt Chickadaunce – Member, Nick Cullison – Member, Jackie Monk – Member and Wes Scarbrough – Member. Absent: Logan Pearison, Vice President.

Jerry asked if the Council members were ok with meeting back in the regular meeting room? All members in consent.

Minutes

The minutes for the May 24, 2021 Council Meeting were presented. Motion by Matt to Accept the minutes as presented, seconded by Wes, all in favor, motion carried.

Old Business

No old business at this time.

New Business

Tonya Bedwell – Transfer and Additional Appropriation

Transfer

From Clerk's Programming 1000-32102-000-001 to Election Programming 1000-32102-000-0121 - \$2,506.52. Motion by Jackie to approve the transfer, seconded by Nick, all in favor, motion carried.

Additional Appropriation

From County General to Extra Hire 1000-11900-000-001 - \$6,000.00

Moton by Jerry to table the request for additional appropriation, seconded by Jackie,

Those in favor: Jerry, Jackie, Matt, Nick and Wes. Against: Curt. Motion carried, additional appropriation tabled.

Clark Cottom – Transfers

1000-32102 to 1000-21007 - \$7,000.00 and

1000-33101 to 1000 – 21007 - \$3,000.00

Motion by Curt to approve both transfers, seconded by Jackie, all in favor, motion carried.

Clark Cottom – Jail Transfers

1000-22100 to 1000-21007 \$7,000.00

1000-33101 to 1000-21007 \$3,000.00

Motion by Curt to approve both of these transfers, seconded by Jackie, all in favor, motion carried.

Tracy Tackett – Transfers

From Postage – 1000-31800-000-007 to Misc. Supplies 1000-21200-000-007 - \$ 7.48

From Witness Fees 1000-11405-000-007 to Training Expenses 1000-32200-000-007 \$500.00

Motion by Matt to approve both of these transfers, seconded by Jackie, all in favor, motion carried.

Budgets – Sullivan County Budget and Sullivan County Solid Waste District Budget

The date for the Budgets to be heard by the Council has been set to begin on August 23, 2021 and run through the week to August 27, 2021.

Discussion was had concerning having Bakertilly prepare a projection for the Council and Commissioners and present it on August 23, 2021 before Budget hearings begin. Jackie made a motion to have Shelly call Bakertilly and see if they can prepare a projection of the county finances before the Council begins their budget hearings on August 23 at 9:00 am, seconded by Matt, those in favor: Jerry, Matt, Nick, Jackie and Wes. Against: Curt, motion carried to contact Bakertilly.

Public Hearing Date for both Sullivan County and Sullivan County Solid Waste District is set for September 27, 2021, at 7:00 pm.

Adoption Hearing Date for both Sullivan County and Sullivan County Solid Waste District is set for October 25, 2021 at 7:00 pm.

Salary Ordinance

Amended Salary Ordinance presented. Curt made a motion to table until Sullivan County Ambulance has had time to meet with the Council and have an increase for the part-time EMT's, seconded by Nick, all in favor, motion carried.

Adjournment

Wes made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Nick, all in favor, motion carried.

Sullivan County Council

Jerry Payne *Jerry C Payne*

Logan Pearson \_\_\_\_\_

Curt Bedwell *Curt Bedwell*

Matt Chickadaunce *Matt Chickadaunce*

Nick Cullison *Nick Cullison*

Jackie Monk *Jackie Monk*

Wes Scarbrough *Wes Scarbrough*

Attest: Shelly Hiatt Parris, Auditor *Shelly Hiatt Parris*