

Council of the Town of La Plata
Town Hall, La Plata, Maryland
Work Session
February 21, 2012, 7:00 PM

Present: Mayor Roy G. Hale, Councilman R. Wayne Winkler, Councilman C. Keith Back, Councilwoman Paretta D. Mudd, Councilman Joseph W. Norris; Daniel J. Mears, Town Manager; Danielle Mandley, Town Clerk

Town Staff: Robert W. Oliphant, Treasurer; David M. Jenkins, Director of Planning and Community Development

Minutes:

Mayor Hale called the work session to order at 7:00 PM.

► **Matters of Council Discussion**

- Surplus Equipment

Mr. Mears provided information regarding certain vehicles and equipment that has been deemed surplus property.

Council Consensus: Following discussion the Council agreed to consider adoption of a resolution to deem the property surplus at the February 27, 2012 business meeting.

- Budget Adjustments

Mr. Oliphant reviewed the list of budget adjustments as required by the FY12 Audit.

Council Consensus: Following discussion the Council agreed to consider introduction and adoption of an ordinance amending the FY2011-2012 Financial Plan-Budget.

► **Matters of Information**

- Town Gateway Signs

Mr. Mears briefly discussed the Council Service Priorities and the Beautification Commission recommendation for electronic message boards to notify the community of Town Events and announcements, and the associated Request for Proposal (RFP).

Council Consensus: Following discussion the Council agreed to send the RFP to several sign companies and bring the proposals back for review.

Councilwoman Mudd expressed concern with over full dumpsters at La Plata Grande, Phoenix Run and the old Town shop locations.

Mayor Hale and Councilman Back discussed actions by the Clarks Run HOA and Kings Grant HOA to mitigate the damage caused by beavers.

► **Future Work Session Topics** [None]

There being no further business, Councilman Back moved to adjourn the work session at 7:48 PM. Councilman Winkler seconded the motion and it passed by unanimous vote.

Submitted by:

Danielle Mandley
Town Clerk