

Council of the Town of La Plata
Town Hall, La Plata, Maryland
Work Session – 7:00 PM
March 15, 2011

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; Bobby Stahl, Director of Operations; David M. Jenkins, Director of Planning and Community Development

Minutes:

Mayor Hale called the work session to order at 7:02 PM.

►Matters of Council Discussion

- New Trash Collection System

Mr. Mears, followed by Mr. Stahl and Mr. Oliphant described the proposal for implementation of a New Trash Collection System, and the related information. The proposed system would include: Six (6) automatic tippers; 3,200 cans (200 1/3 yard cans, 100 2/3 yard cans, and 2,900 1 yard cans), all dark green in color, and will include a RFID tag, and; Whisper, GPS based system;

Council Consensus: Following discussion the Council agreed to have staff provide a sample of the 1 yard can, and to consider a proposal for three (3) year financing.

- Proposed changes to Town Code, Chapter 98 Farmers Market

Mr. Mears briefly described the draft Ordinance that incorporated the proposed changes to Chapter 98 Farmers Market, as discussed at the March 8 work session.

Council Consensus: Following discussion the Council agreed to introduce the ordinance with the proposed changes, following review by the Town Attorney.

- Tilghman Lake Restroom Facility – Construction Contract

Mr. Mears, followed by Mr. Stahl briefly described the bids received for construction of the Tilghman Lake Restroom Facility, and the staff recommendation to award the contract to Dennis Anderson Construction.

Council Consensus: Following discussion the Council agreed to consider a resolution to award the contract to Dennis Anderson Construction at the March 22, 2011 business meeting.

► **Matters of Information** *[None]*

Future Work Session Topics

- Green technology for new buildings and existing facilities
There being no further business, Councilman Winkler moved to adjourn the work session at 8:45 PM. Councilman Norris seconded the motion and it passed by unanimous vote.

Submitted by:

Danielle Mandley
Town Clerk