

**TOWN OF FAIRMOUNT HEIGHTS
MAYOR AND TOWN COUNCIL
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2020**

WORKSESSION

7:30 pm

Opening - Mayor Lillie Martin

Roll Call

Mayor Martin

Councilmember Dodson

Councilmember Hargrove

Councilmember Ukkundo'Oohwaka

Councilmember Morgan

Councilmember Morris

Councilmember Waiters

Prayer - Sean M. Wilson

Some reports were previously read.

Police Department Report – Read by Councilmember Morris

Report on file

Treasurer's Report

Code Enforcement Report – Read by Councilmember Morris

Report on file

Jolene Ivey – was not able to attend meeting.

Guest – Donny Arrington from Jolene Ivey's office is a constituent service representative for the County Council Women Jolene Ivey.

-5908 K Street – K Street issue with the parking did accomplish getting the conveyance of the property to the Town. We got the official letter.

– Mayor Martin thanked them for any assistance they had given.

Circuit Rider Report – Mrs. Goodall

Working with Councilmember Dodson on the Census.

Report on file

New Board of Ethics

1. Joyce White
2. Marjorie Shelton
3. 3rd person was not present.

Councilmember Waiters – asked if the public was aware of positions open for Ethics Committee?

Mayor Martin - Ethics Board

Will advertise in the community and on the website for 3 openings on the Ethics Board Committee. Ending date for advertisement is March 31, 2020. Will be getting a flyer out.

Mr. Freddie Smith and Mrs. Linda Smith - They live at 5901 Veterans Monument Place. The phone number is 301-440-1091. They went to the Appeals Board in Upper Marlboro, to get a variance. In November we took an application to the Appeals Board, they said they needed to hear from Fairmount Heights.

Mayor Martin asked the pleasure of the Council
The Council agreed on the Variance

Mayor Martin - Will discuss with Mr. Pinkney the variance.

Guest – Mayor Shawn Maldon – Capitol Heights

Presentation from the newly elected President of the Black Mayors
Saturday, April 4, 2020

– Event at the Sheraton Hotel in College Park, 9:00 am– 5:00 pm. Tickets \$99.00 until February 28 then they will be \$130.00. Can attend 5 out of 10 sessions, lunch included.

General Consensus is yes to attend the Innovative Conference event for Black Mayors.

Vacant Lot Ordinance

Mrs. Syphax – read questions that she would like addressed, concerning vacant lots. Questions on file.

The Council was in agreement to have a public hearing, on Thursday, March 12 at 6:30 pm.
Public Hearing will be on vacant lots at 6:30 pm.

Update for Dump Truck

- Councilmember Hargrove, we will present bond on March 7th.
- Fleet number has been activated
- Reinstitute line of credit
- Still trying to get financing for the truck

Councilmember Hargrove - 85th Anniversary

1. Would like to take pictures of all the Mayors who are not up on the wall.
2. Need to take pictures of the Council when we had a council of all women, because that is history for the Town of Fairmount Heights.

Need consensus of Council for approval to take pictures for the Town Hall and Booklets.

Mayor Martin Aye

Councilmember Dodson – not present

Councilmember Morris – Aye

Councilmember Waiters – Aye

Councilmember Hargrove – Aye

Councilmember Ukkundo'Oohwaka – Aye

Councilmember Morgan – Aye

Council is in agreement to get a photographer to take pictures of the Mayor and Council for the 85th Anniversary Booklet and the Town Hall.

All in favor

Motion made by Councilmember Morgan second by Councilmember Ukkundo'Oohwaka

Meeting adjourned at 9:15 p.m.

Minutes typed by Mrs. Tucker