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November 8, 2010 Public Hearing Minutes

The November 8, 2010 meeting of the Town of Warrenton Board of Commissioners was held at Town Hall.

Those present were:

Mayor Walter M. Gardner, Jr.
Commissioner Jules Banzet
Commissioner John Mooring
Commissioner Robert Davie
Commissioner Mary Hunter
Commissioner Audrey Tippet
Commissioner John Blalock

John Freeman, Town Administrator
Town Attorney Mitch Styers
Police Chief John Younts
Jennifer Harris, Warren Record

Absent: Commissioner and Mayor Pro Tem Woody King

Also: Julie Reid, Community Development Administrator for the Kerr Tar COG

Mayor Gardner called the Public Hearing to order at 6:45pm. He stated that the purpose of the hearing was to receive public comment on the proposed application for a CDBG-R grant for rehabilitation of the sewer line along Franklin Street between Hayley Street and Earleen Lane. Ms. Reid described the project as replacement of an undersized and deteriorating sewer line. This grant is an unusual source of funding that is possible for specific projects benefiting a users 70% of whom are low to moderate income. It requires that the project be completed within 30 months and create 12 construction jobs. Commissioner Tippet asked if this would help reduce sewer odor and Ms. Reid answered that it might, but to a small degree, because the leaky joints that can let out as much as in. Mayor Gardner added that it would not affect the odor problem in the area of Hardees (a long standing problem) as that was on another transmission line.

As no members of the public were in attendance during the Public Hearing, at 7:00pm Commissioner Banzet moved that the hearing be closed. Commissioner Mooring seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

John Freeman
Town Administrator