

TOWN OF RAGLAND

RICHARD BUNT
MAYOR

PENNY OWENS
TOWN CLERK

JAMES "BUBBA" BROWN
CHIEF OF POLICE



COUNCIL MEMBERS
CARLTON BYERS DIST 1

DAVID YANCE DIST 2

PAT FORD DIST 3

BRIAN PHILLIPS DIST 4

COREY GARDNER DIST 5

MINUTES

June 20, 2023

The Special Called Meeting of the Ragland Town Council

The Ragland Town Council met in a special meeting at the Ragland Municipal Complex Council Chamber, at 4:00 p. m. on the 20th day of June 2023.

Present

Richard Bunt	Mayor
Carlton Byers	Councilmember
Pat Ford	Councilmember
Corey Gardner	Councilmember

Absent

David Yance	Councilmember
Brian Phillips	Councilmember

Establish a Quorum

Mayor Bunt called the meeting to order and stated a quorum was present.

Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance

Invocation given by Councilmember Byers.

Mayor Bunt led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Consider Resolution 2023-010 2022 Assistance Firefighters Grant Match \$7,412.48

On motion by Councilmember Gardner to approve Resolution 2023-010 2022 Assistance Firefighters Grant Match \$7,412.48 and seconded Byers. Chief Bishop stated the total amount awarded was \$148,249.52 to include hoses and nozzles for all trucks, 2 fans, and 8 air bags, motion passed unanimously.

Consider Resolution 2023-011 Metro Bank financing 2023 Durango for Police Department

On motion by Councilmember Gardner to approve Resolution 2023-011 Metro Bank financing 2023 Durango and seconded by Byers. Town Clerk Penny Owens stated the amount financed would be \$61,500 with 5% interest totaling \$5,748.80 and a \$275 surcharge. Councilmember Ford suggested paying cash without financing, all voted aye with Councilmember Ford nay.

Councilmember Gardner amended the motion to approve Resolution 2023-011 contingent upon no penalty if loan was paid off early, all voted aye with Councilmember Ford nay.

Adjournment

On motion by Councilmember Gardner to adjourn the meeting and seconded by Byers.

There being no further business to come before the Town Council, the meeting was duly adjourned at approximately 4:18 p. m.

/s/ Richard Bunt
Richard Bunt, Mayor

/s/ Penny Owens
Penny Owens, Town Clerk