

**March 17, 2025
Turin Town Hall @ 7 pm
Council Meeting**

Call to Order

- Councilman Stapp

Invocation

- Councilman Bolden

Pledge of Allegiance

- All in attendance

Approval of Minutes

- **January 27, 2025**

- Motion made by Councilman Sprouse, 2nd by Councilman Bolden. Motion carried.

Unfinished BUSINESS

- **Digital speed sign on Hwy 16**
 - Tabled for the April Council Meeting.
- **Speed tables on North Road**
 - Tabled for the April Council Meeting
- **Set date to have a 2025 Budget workshop**
 - The clerk will send out an email to the Mayor and Council to set the workshop date as Monday April 24th or Saturday April 29th early morning.

NEW BUSINESS

- **Sale of distilled spirits**
 - **Adopt a resolution calling for a referendum for electors in the Town of Turin to vote as to whether to authorize the council to adopt an ordinance to allow for sale of distilled spirits. Coweta County needs a resolution adopted by the council and the language for the ballot question by no later than the end of June.**
 - Tabled to the April Council Meeting.
- **Adopt CC Hazard Mitigation Plan**
 - Motion made by Councilman Sprouse to approve adopting the CC Hazard Mitigation Plan, 2nd by Councilman Bolden. Motion carried.
- **Adopt sending a letter to DOT addressing speed and signal options for Hwy 16/Hunter St and Financial relief for N and S Hunter St due to the redirection of traffic over a long period during the buildout of the roundabout and the exponential damage its causing (by-passing construction traffic on our secondary roads.)**
 - Tabled until the Mayor, Council and Town Attorney has prepared letter.

ADMINISTRATIVE UPDATE

- N/A

COMMITTEE UPDATE

- N/A

PLANNING COMMISSION

- The Zoning Committee is short one person, would like the Clerk to send out an advertisement and copy the Committee.

WATER SYSTEM UPDATE

- N/A

PUBLIC COMMENTS

- **Mark Grizzaffi 17 Water Oak**
 - I wanted to talk about making the intersection at Turin Rd and S. Hunter a 4-way stop. Wants to talk with Brennan Jones the town Engineer to see what our best options are for the downtown parking.

COUNCIL COMMENTS

- **Clarence Bolden**
 - Councilman Bolden was disappointed that all members of Council and Mayor was not in attendance of the meeting, he wants to talk about the directive to the mayor to call in the bond at Graceton Farms he wants the mayor in the meeting to talk about it. He does not want to fore stall any legal action to get this resolved. If they can't have a conversation about this before the next meeting something must be done. If the Council says they are going to do something, then something needs to be done. It is embarrassing and irresponsible from his position. We need to take some kind of action before or at the next session. Secondly, he wants to urge the DOT to put a traffic light at the intersection of Hwy 16 and South Hunter. He was the latest accident there and it is very scary and dangerous to try and pull out with the increased traffic from the roundabout. He has already spoken to the mayor and before or the next meeting they will have something in writing to send to DOT.
 - He also paid someone to clear and cut the right-of-way on his property and he wants the town to maintain it as they do the rest of the town. I want this put on the record that this has not been done by the town.
- **Walter Sprouse**
 - Concerning the red-light comment on 16 and South Hunter, have a convex mirror instead.
 - The mayor has a legal obligation to enforce what the council approves we have a number of issues, one being the approval of a magistrate judge and a code enforcer. As far as the writ mandamus is concerned, it has been a full year now to have the council to revoke the bond at Graceton Farms wants movement on that as well. Wants the mayor to do as instructed by the council and file the mandamus in the courts of Coweta County and have a Judge hear it.
- **Alan Stapp**
 - **No comments at this time.**

- Fernando Ramos
 - Not in attendance

Mayor's Comments

- Not in attendance

Executive Session

- N/A

Adjournment

- Motion made by Councilman Bolden to adjourn, 2nd by Councilman Sprouse.
Motion carried.

Approved this 23rd of April 2025

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rena Scurro", written over a horizontal line.

Town Clerk