VILLAGE COUNCIL
AGENDA FOR WORK SESSION OF FEBRUARY 27, 2018
ASSEMBLY HALL
395 MAGNOLIA ROAD
PINEHURST, NORTH CAROLINA

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING REGULAR MEETING

The Pinehurst Village Council held a Work Session at 6:25 p.m., Tuesday, February 27, 2018 in the Assembly Hall of Pinehurst Village Hall, 395 Magnolia Road, Pinehurst, North Carolina. The following were in attendance:

Ms. Nancy Roy Fiorillo, Mayor
Mr. John Bouldry, Treasurer
Mr. John R. Cashion, Mayor Pro Tem
Ms. Judy Davis, Councilmember
Mr. Kevin Drum, Councilmember
Mr. Jeffrey M. Sanborn, Village Manager
Ms. Lauren M. Craig, Village Clerk

And approximately 11 attendees, including 6 staff and 1 press.

1. **Call to Order.**
Mayor Nancy Roy Fiorillo called the meeting to order.

2. **Consider a lot donation to the Village of Pinehurst.**
Jeff Batton, Assistant Village Manager explained the owner of the lot at 45 Dove Run is interested in donating his lot to the Village of Pinehurst. He noted the lot does not perk and therefore unbuildable and approximately half of it sits in the flood plain. He said the primary value of the lot to the Village is it would provide an opportunity to construct a turnaround area at the end of Dove Run. Currently the road dead-ends into this lot with no cul-de-sac or turn around for emergency and service vehicles. Upon discussion, Council requested staff to bring back more information on the cost of creating a turnaround before making a decision.

3. **Presentation and discussion on the crime data analysis.**
Village Manager Jeff Sanborn gave a presentation of the preliminary analysis of crime trends and police staffing from 2009-2017. He explained the reasons for analyzing the data. He shared changes implemented since the BIRDIE which reorganized the police force and added two traffic control officers. He explained we put 6 paid reserve police officer positions on file and hired a staffing pool for the dispatchers. He explained the differences with a Part 1 and Part 2 crimes per 1000 residents and shared the general trends. Mr. Sanborn shared the facts of what changed from 2016 to 2017 other than our crime stats. Mr. Sanborn shared a conclusion that drug related crimes are increasing and he said a low cost option would be to add a K9 dog to be drafted into the budget for management review. He also concluded though crime clearance numbers are higher, percentages of crimes cleared are not improving. An action for that would be to add a forensics lab in the draft budget for management review. He also shared other factors and questions that need to still be considered. Council held a discussion on these findings.

4. **Work Session Business.**
   - Councilmember Drum suggested talking about marketing the Harness Track in a future work session and also the brown directional sign options for the Village.

5. **Motion to Adjourn.**
Upon a motion by Councilmember Cashion seconded by Councilmember Bouldry, Council approved to adjourn the Work Session by a vote of 5-0 at 8:00pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Lauren M. Craig
Village Clerk

Vision: The Village of Pinehurst is a charming, vibrant community which reflects our rich history and traditions.
Mission: Promote, enhance, and sustain the quality of life for residents, businesses, and visitors.
Values: Service, Initiative, Teamwork, and Improvement