

TOWN OF BATH SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING

Tuesday, March 9, 2021

1. CALL TO ORDER: @ 5:00pm by Mayor
2. ROLLCALL: Scott Merki (X) Susan Webster (X) Chris Chapman (X) Rose Jackson (X) Elizabeth Skinner (X) John Bohrer (A) Rick Weber (X) Quorum present.
3. Town of Bath Attorney Richard Gay presented to Council an explanation of West Virginia Chapter 8 Section 26A pertaining to Certificates of Appropriateness and proposed ordinances in this regard. Discussion was held which included members of the Historic Landmarks Commission and attending public. Questions were addressed and legal guidance was provided by Mr. Gay. His recommendation and advice to Council was against adopting Certificates of Appropriateness as a Town ordinance.
Per Common Consent Council agreed to attend the next meeting of the Historic Landmark Commission on March 23, 2021.
4. Town of Bath Attorney Richard Gay presented an explanation of the adoption procedure, implementation and enforcement of West Virginia Building Codes. He had previously provided his suggested version of this code. Discussion was held. His advice and recommendation was to continue communication with the West Virginia Fire Marshall on the matter and that if Council wishes to proceed that a resolution be passed by Council supporting such.
5. MOTION TO ADJOURN: Webster- Motion carried.

Attest:

Mayor Scott E. Merki

Recorder Susan Webster