TOWN OF BOGUE
COUNCIL MEETING
December 18, 2023

The Town Council of Bogue met Monday, December 18, 2023 at the Bogue Town Hall, 121 Chimney Branch Road.

Mayor Robert O'Chat called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. After the Pledge of Allegiance, David Padgett led a prayer.

Council members present; Mayor O'Chat, David Padgett, Albert Taylor, Mike Crose and John Dale. Also, present; Town Attorney Donna Boggs and Town Clerk Shawne Southard.

Agenda
Councilman Taylor made a motion to accept the agenda. Councilman Crose seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Minutes
Councilman Padgett made a motion to approve the November 20, 2023 minutes. Councilman Dale seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Citizen Comments
None

Unfinished Business
None

New Business
None

Department Reports
Finance: Mayor O'Chat stated total cash funds are $617,069.00.

Budget: Clerk Southard stated that Property Taxes and Motor Vehicle Taxes are paid through September; Local Sales Tax through October; and Utilities Franchise paid the third quarter. Clerk Southard also stated that our Audit has been completed and sent to the state.

Planner: None

ILA: Mayor O'Chat stated that there were two budget committee meetings and they will be submitting the ILA budget at the January meeting.

Streets: Pot holes will be filled on Chimney Branch Rd.

Emergency Manager: None

Town Hall: None

Events: None

Miscellaneous Reports/Announcements
Clerk Southard stated that the Board of Elections has corrected boundaries for voting; all Bogue residents will vote at Bogue Precinct at Bethlehem United Methodist Church.

Clerk Southard also stated that all newly voted in Councilmembers will need to take the Ethics class within a year.

Adjournment
At 6:08 p.m. Councilman Padgett made a motion to adjourn. Councilman Crose seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

_____BOBBY O'CHAT, MAYOR

_____SHAWNE SOUTHARD, TOWN CLERK