

ERWIN BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
SPECIAL CALLED MINUTES
TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 2015
ERWIN, NORTH CAROLINA

The Board of Commissioners for the Town of Erwin with Mayor Patsy Carson presiding, held its Regular Meeting in the Town Hall on Tuesday, March 10, 2015 at 4:00 P. M. in Erwin, North Carolina.

Board Members present were: Commissioners William Turnage, Alvester McKoy, Ricky Blackmon, Randy Baker and Thurman Whitman.

Board Members absent were: Commissioner Frankie Ballard.

Town Manager Richard Douglas and Town Clerk Cynthia Patterson were present.

Mayor Patsy Carson called the meeting to order at 4:00 P. M.

Commissioner McKoy gave the invocation.

Those present recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

SANITATION COST COMPARISON

The Board wanted Staff to go back and review the Town's options in providing In-House Service to the citizens of Erwin. Mr. Douglas stated that he had presented a sanitation cost comparison from staff at the last regular meeting laying out the needs for trucks, employees, benefits, fuel and trash containers and came up with what he thought would be good rate. However, Staff has taken another look and still feels confident of the comparisons with only the maintenance of \$15,000 is on the low end when you talk about replacing tires. Didn't realize one set of tires would be \$8,000.

After discussion from the Board, it was recommended that Staff do the following:

- Put out for bids for solid waste and recycling only and a separate bid for recycling only
- Implement some type of increase for the containers
- Check on getting trucks that will run on gasoline not diesel
- Have the Town Manager and Public Works Director meet with Harnett County Engineer over the Landfill concerning recycling dumping
- Check with Republic Waste to extend contract for one year

ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Blackmon made a motion to adjourn at 6:04pm and was seconded by Commissioner Turnage. The Board voted unanimously.

**MINUTES RECORDED AND TYPED BY
CYNTHIA B PATTERSON TOWN CLERK**

Patsy M. Carson
Mayor

Cynthia B. Patterson, CMC
Town Clerk