

Mayor D. Dwayne Tuggle called a meeting of the Amherst Town Council, continued from the January 11, 2017 session, to order on February 4, 2017, at 9:00 A.M. in the Council Chambers of the Town Hall at 174 S. Main Street. Council members Kenneth Watts, Mark A. Stinnett and Rachel Carton were present. Council member Andra' Higginbotham was absent. Town Manager Jack Hobbs, Police Chief Robert Kimbrel, Deputy Town Manager for Public Works Jim Chandler, Office Manager Tracie Wright, and Deputy Town Clerk Vicki Hunt were present. It was noted that one seat on the Town Council is vacant.

Also attending were Altavista Town Manager Waverly Coggsdale, Kenneth Bunch, and Clifford Hart.

Former Lynchburg City Manager Kimball Payne facilitated the meeting, the purpose of which was for Town Council to discuss short and long range or strategic planning and governance issues for the Town and Council members own development; and, to provide an opportunity to solidify Council and staff and enhance its effectiveness by giving members time to get to know each other and discuss visions and goals for the community.

Mr. Payne will provide a summary of the meeting to Council.

The meeting adjourned at 1:35 p.m.

D. Dwayne Tuggle
Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk of Council