

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

The Town of Amherst Town Council will hold a public hearing at 7:00 PM on June 9, 2021, in the Council Chambers of the Town Hall at 174 South Main Street, Amherst, VA, on the following matter:

Cigarette Tax Ordinance:

To consider amending Chapter 8 of the Town of Amherst Code, creating a new Article IX Cigarette Tax. The new article would levy an excise tax equivalent to \$0.27 per package containing 25 or fewer cigarettes effective July 1, 2021. The new article also provides definitions, methods of collection, stamp requirements, violations and penalties, and other provisions related to the levy of this tax.

All interested persons may express their views by emailing sara.carter@amherstva.gov by 2:00 PM Wednesday, June 9, 2021, prior to the meeting. Anyone having questions regarding the above may contact the Town Hall Office at 434-946-7885, Monday through Friday from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM.

Supporting documentation is available online at amherstva.gov and for inspection in the Town Hall during normal working hours.