

Town of Norlina
Monthly Business Meeting
May 5th, 2025
Regular Meeting – 7:30 p.m.

Present

Commissioner Claude O'Hagan, Commissioner Latarsha Turner- Brothers, Commissioner Charles Smiley, Commissioner Denny Burrows

Call to Order

Charles Smiley called the regular business meeting of the Town Board to order at 7:30 PM

Citizen Comments

Carol Johnson attended. Reported tree limbs to be removed on Jerman Lane.

Minutes from April 2025

Motion was made by Commissioner O'Hagan and Seconded by Commissioner Latarsha Turner- Brothers to accept the minutes as presented.

Administrative Reports

None

Departmental Reports

Finance

Commissioner Smiley said the Budget Meetings were to be scheduled this upcoming month.

Police Department

Commissioner Burrows

Police Chief Tony Marrow stated that due to a resident's concern that crime was better in the last 2 years and said there were good changes regarding crime in the city. Commissioner Turner- Brothers agreed. Blaine Reese stated installed police cameras are helping to deter crime.

Park / Museum / Public Works

Commissioner O'Hagan – Nothing to report.

Technology & Enhancement

Commissioner Turner- Brothers stated she had graduated from Peoples Academy, which Warren County provides to citizens about the workings of the departments of public government.

Old Business

USDA Project

Construction should start by the end of the month.

Budget Meetings – Tentative schedule to be set.

New Business

Blaine Reese gave options for budget work shop for the upcoming fiscal year. BOD agreed on May 22nd, ultimately it was set on May 29th.

Blaine Reese stated work has begun on Sewer project.

Greg Loyd was sworn in as Norlina's Town Clerk by the town's attorney Robert May.

Theresa Carter was recognized as new Water Clerk.

Motion to accept made by Claude O'Hagan and seconded by Latarsha Turner-Brothers. All were in favor

Adjournment

Motion. All were in favor.