## Minutes Spruce Pine Town Council October 11, 2024

An emergency meeting of the Spruce Pine Town Council was held on October 11, 2024. Present were Mayor Phillip Hise and Council Members Rocky Buchanan, Jackie Rensink, and Wayne Peight. Staff in attendance included Darlene Butler, Brooke Peterson, and Travis Phillips. Also attending was Richard Canipe.

## **CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor Phillip Hise called the emergency meeting to order at 3:00 P.M.

## **INVOCATON AND PLEDGE**

Rocky Buchanan gave the invocation. Wayne Peight led the Pledge of Allegiance.

## DISCUSSION

Mayor Phillip Hise opened the meeting. Richard Canipe discussed the sewer plant issues and the extensive meeting with the Army Core of Engineers on Thursday – October 10, 2024. His suggestion was getting a plan of action in place and have the contract for Withers Ravenel for preparing portable sewer treatment options ready by the regular town council meeting on Monday – October 14, 2024. The council discussed how portable plants operate and finding available units.

The council discussed the current equipment and needed repairs at the water plant. Public Works Director Travis Phillips noted Wake Forest Fire Department checked the intake and everything looked good. The council noted there are available resources all over the state and in East Tennessee.

Council member Wayne Peight discussed a Culligan representative is currently in the area to provide filtered potable water, especially for the large quantity customers (hospital, The Greens, etc.) The council discussed several of the holding tanks and valves throughout the system.

**ADJOURNMENT** 

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned by motion of Wayne Peight.

Brooke Peterson, Town Clerk

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Jackie Rensink, Council Member