

ITEM(S) TO BE CONSIDERED UNDER:

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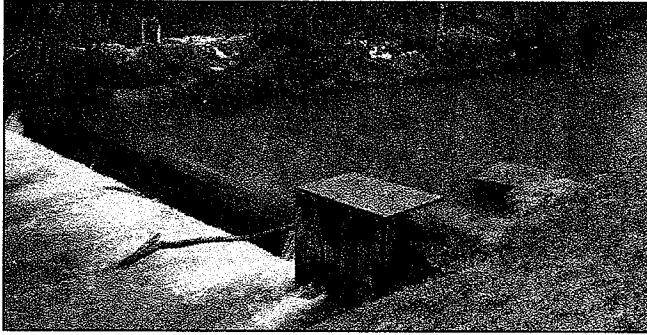
FOR COUNCIL MEETING DATED:	February 8, 2010
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STAFF MAKING REQUEST:	C. James Ervin, Town Manager
BRIEF SUMMARY OF REQUEST:	<p>During the Council meeting of January 14, 2010, Council requested that a public meeting be held to receive citizen input regarding the possible removal of the Pigg River Dam (attached is the public notice).</p> <p>Attached is the public notice for the meeting that ran twice in <i>The Franklin News-Post</i> (January 22, 2010 and February 3, 2010).</p>
ACTION NEEDED:	It will be the discretion of Council whether or not to take any action on this matter at this time.

Attachment(s): Yes

FOLLOW-UP ACTION: (To be completed by Town Clerk)	GIVEN TO (DEPT. HEAD) (To be completed by Town Clerk)
COMPLETED ACTION: (To be filled in by Town Clerk) (To be completed by Department Head)	GIVEN TO TOWN CLERK: (To be completed by Department Head)
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Use It or Lose It?



PIGG RIVER DAM PUBLIC INPUT SESSION

The United States Fish and Wildlife Service has offered to partner with the Town of Rocky Mount in removing the low-head dam on the Pigg River near Veteran's Memorial Park. This removal will improve public safety and increase the habitat of the Roanoke Log Perch, a federally listed endangered species.

Before deciding to accept the offer, Town Council wants public input on the matter. Town Council will hold a **public input session at 7 p.m.** or later on **Tuesday, February 8, 2010**, in the Council Chambers at the Rocky Mount Municipal Building, 345 Donald Avenue, Rocky Mount, Virginia, to which the public and all interested parties are invited to speak.

Information regarding this request is available from the Town Manager's Office, 345 Donald Avenue, Rocky Mount, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.



Written comments may be sent to the attention of the Clerk, or e-mail pkeatts@rockymountva.org.

ANY PERSON WITH A DISABILITY WHO NEEDS ACCOMMODATION TO FULLY PARTICIPATE IN THIS PUBLIC HEARING SHOULD NOTIFY THE CLERK AT (540) 483-7660.

Patricia H. Keatts, Town Clerk

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