

ITEM(S) TO BE CONSIDERED UNDER:

Consent Item       Old Business       New Business       Other

FOR COUNCIL MEETING DATED:	January 11, 2010
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STAFF MAKING REQUEST:	C. James Ervin, Town Manager
BRIEF SUMMARY OF REQUEST:	<p>The Town Manager has received a formal request from the United States Fish and Wildlife Service for the Town of Rocky Mount to apply for a permit for the removal of the dam on the Pigg River. We have previously considered removal of the dam as a way of eliminating the dangerous hydraulic created by high water. Removal was considered over the use of stones to break up the hydraulic due to the fact that the United States Fish and Wildlife Service implied that permitting of the rock installation would be difficult due to the log perch.</p> <p>The Town has not yet invited public comment on the removal of the Dam. I propose that a public hearing be held at our February meeting so that citizens wishing to give input to the process will have an opportunity.</p>
ACTION NEEDED:	Council's consideration of holding a meeting to receive public comment on the removal of Pigg River Dam, with meeting taking place during the regular Council meeting of February 8, 2010.

Attachment(s): No

<b>FOLLOW-UP ACTION:</b> (To be completed by Town Clerk)	<b>GIVEN TO (DEPT. HEAD)</b> (To be completed by Town Clerk)
<b>COMPLETED ACTION:</b> (To be filled in by Town Clerk) (To be completed by Department Head)	<b>GIVEN TO TOWN CLERK:</b> (To be completed by Department Head)
<b>DATE COMPLETED AND ACTION TAKEN:</b>	<b>DATE GIVEN TO TOWN CLERK:</b>