



**ROCKY MOUNT TOWN COUNCIL  
SPECIAL CALLED MEETING MINUTES**

**February 22, 2021  
6:30 p.m.**

The following members of Council were present:

Mayor Steven C. Angle  
Council Member Billie W. Stockton  
Council Member Robert L. Moyer  
Council Member Mark H. Newbill  
Vice Mayor Jon W. Snead  
Council Member J. Tyler Lee  
Council Member A. Ralph Casey  
John T. Boitnott, Town Attorney

The following staff members were also present:

Rebecca H. Dillon, Town Clerk/ Executive Administrative Assistant  
C. James Ervin, Town Manager

**Special Called Meeting of the Rocky Mount Town Council (hereafter referred to as "Council") was held in the Council Chambers of the Rocky Mount Municipal Building located at 345 Donald Avenue, Rocky Mount, Virginia, with Mayor Steven C. Angle presiding.**

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**1. Roll Call**

The acting Town Clerk called each member of the Rocky Mount Town Council by name to account that each one was present.

**2. Approval of Agenda**

The agenda was amended to add one item under closed session Section 2.2-3711(A)(1) Discussion, consideration or interviews of prospective candidates for employment, assignment, appointment, promotion, performance, demotion, salaries, disciplining or resignation of specific public officers, appointees or employees of any public body. (Town Manager)

**Motion:** To amend the agenda

**Motion By:** Council Member Lee

**Second:** Council Member Stockton

**Motion Discussion:** None

**Ayes:** (5): Council Member Lee, Council Member Moyer, Council Member Newbill, Vice Mayor Snead, and Council Member Stockton

**Approved (5 to 0)**

**3. Review and Consideration of Appointment**

Council Members had previously discussed candidates to fill the term of former Council Member Bobby Cundiff. Mayor Angle opened the floor for nominations for a Council Member.

**Motion:** To nominate A. Ralph Casey as Council Member to fill the previous term of Mr. Cundiff

**Motion By:** Council Member Stockton

**Second:** Council Member Newbill

**Motion Discussion:** None

**Ayes:** (5): Council Member Lee, Council Member Moyer, Council Member Newbill, Vice Mayor Snead, and Council Member Stockton

**Approved (5 to 0)**

The Honorable Teresa Brown, Clerk of Court came forward at this time to administer the oath of office for the newly elected Council Member.

Council Member Casey took his seat.

**4. Closed Session**

Mayor Angle read aloud sections.

Enter Closed Meeting

**Motion:** To go into closed session under the Virginia Code Section cited below.

**Time:** 6:34 p.m.

**Virginia Code Section:**

Section 2.2-3711(A)(1) Discussion, consideration or interviews of prospective candidates for employment, assignment, appointment, promotion, performance, demotion, salaries, disciplining or resignation of specific public officers, appointees or employees of any public body. (Town Manager)

**Motion By:** Vice Mayor Snead

**Second:** Council Member Lee

**Motion Discussion:** None

**Ayes: (6):** Council Member Lee, Council Member Moyer, Council Member Newbill, Vice Mayor Snead, Council Member Stockton, and Council Member Casey

**Approved (6 to 0)**

**Action:** To go into a closed meeting

Certificate of Closed Meeting Discussion:

Council certified unanimously that nothing was discussed in the closed meeting other than what was stated in the motion to enter the closed meeting. No action was taken during the closed meeting.

Whereas, the Rocky Mount Town Council has convened a closed meeting on Monday, March 14, 2016 pursuant to an affirmative recorded vote and in accordance with the provisions of the Virginia Freedom of Information Act; and

Whereas, Section 2.2-3712 of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended, requires certification by this Council that such closed meeting was conducted in conformity with Virginia law.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved that the Rocky Mount Town Council hereby certifies that, to the best of each members' knowledge: (1) only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under this chapter; and (2) only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened were heard, discussed, or considered in the meeting by the public body.

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Steven C. Angle, Mayor

8. **Adjournment**

**Motion:** To adjourn

**Time:** 6:44 p.m.

**Motion By:** Council Member Newbill

**Seconded By:** Council Member Moyer

**Motion Discussion:** None

**Ayes: (6):** Council Member Lee, Council Member Moyer, Council Member Newbill,  
Vice Mayor Snead, Council Member Stockton, and Council Member Casey

**Approved by a unanimous vote**

**Action:** Meeting was adjourned

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Steven C. Angle, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Rebecca H .Dillon, Town Clerk