

**Minutes of Pike Road Town Council Regular Meeting
Monday, February 9, 2026|6:00 PM**

Mayor Stone opened the Public Hearing at 6:05 PM. The Public Hearing advertised was for a **CARPDC Formal Amendment-LR-CE-PR-23-015 Inclusive Playground Grant**. Elizabeth Daly of CARPDC gave an overview of the grant amendment to close out the project. There were no public comments. Mayor Stone closed the public hearing at 6:08 PM.

Mayor Stone called the meeting to order at 6:08 PM. Councilman Fuhrman opened the meeting in prayer. Mayor Stone led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call: Council members present were Angie Bradsher, Doug Fuhrman, Rob Steindorff, and Marcus Robinson. Mim Whatley was absent. A quorum was noted.

Consideration was given to the minutes for the regular meeting on January 28, 2026. Councilwoman Bradsher made a motion to accept the minutes as presented. Councilman Fuhrman seconded. Unanimous consent was given. The minutes were accepted as presented.

Mayor Stone and the Town Council presented a proclamation to each of the Pike Road Schools teachers of the year. They were Dawn Ellis of Pike Road Elementary School, Toni Jones of Pike Road Intermediate School, DaraLyn McColl of Pike Road Junior High School, and Zachary Warren of Pike Road High School. They were each recognized for their outstanding commitment to leadership, excellence, and service.

Mayor Stone and the Town Council presented a proclamation to the Pike Road School Board of Education in recognition of School Board Appreciation Month. Board members present were Jennifer Gibbs, Jeff Dickey, and Dr. Mona Hurston. Board President Ethan Taylor and Board Vice President Jan Johnson were not in attendance. They were recognized for their service to the community and dedication to the students. After the Teacher of the Year and School Board Proclamations, there were comments by Councilwoman Bradsher, Councilman Robinson and Councilman Steindorff followed by Mayor Stone.

Mayor Stone and the Town Council presented a proclamation to the Pike Road High School Traditional Cheer Team for being named Universal Cheerleader Association's National High School Cheerleading National Champions for Large Varsity Intermediate Division II. Mayor Stone called all cheerleaders by name, including the coaches. They are Head Coach Sarah Marie Kelley, and Asst Coaches Raegan Pickens, and Renee Dickerson. The cheerleaders are Abby Pitts, Addison Bell, Addison Mason, Amelia Byrd, Ava Crane, Beasley Gamble, Brynn Messer, Cate Harrison, Charlotte Gamble, Emma Lindsey, Faith Benzing, Henley Fuller, Isabella Chappel, Isabella Leatherwood, Jaycie Ballard, Josie Leverette, Kloey Hicks, Lily James, Maggie Norton, Marlee Salter, Mary Handley Trotman, Sarah Thomas, Saylor Kelley, Sidney Harris, Sophie Bradsher, Zoie McClain, Kinsley Williams, Ava Hayes Litchfield, Addison Lindsey, Caroline Anderson and Giselle Watson. They were celebrated for their dedication, hard work and discipline including countless hours of preparation and practice. There were comments by Councilman Fuhrman, Councilwoman Bradsher, Councilman Robinson and Councilman Steindorff followed by Mayor Stone.

Reports

Planning

Senior Planner, Darrell Rigsby, noted that the planning department has a lot going on with future and potential projects, including bringing the approved Comp Plan to the council for concurrence. Councilwoman Bradsher asked

for an update on the Wallahatchie Roundabout. Rigsby and Town Engineer, Brad Flowers noted that the curbing is complete, some signage is up, but additional signage has been ordered and would be installed soon.

Old Business

The first item of old business was **Ordinance 2026-0610 Flood Ordinance**. Councilwoman Bradsher made a motion to approve **Ordinance 2026-0610 Flood Ordinance**. Councilman Steindorff seconded. The vote was unanimous. The ordinance was adopted. (**Ordinance 2026-0610**)

The last item of old business was **Ordinance 2026-0611 Annexation of 42 Kerington Lane**. Councilman Fuhrman made a motion to approve **Ordinance 2026-0611 Annexation of 42 Kerington Lane**. Councilman Steindorff seconded. The vote was unanimous. The ordinance was adopted. (**Ordinance 2026-0611**)

New Business

The only item of new business was **Resolution 011-2026 Amendment to CDBG-ADECA Inclusive Playground Grant**. Councilwoman Bradsher made a motion to adopt **Resolution 011-2026 Amendment to CDBG-ADECA Inclusive Playground Grant**. Councilman Fuhrman seconded. The vote was unanimous. The resolution was approved. (**Resolution 011-2026**)

Other Business

Councilwoman Bradsher gave a brief update on her connection with the volunteer fire departments, noting that she had connected with two and had attended one meeting. Bradsher noted that she would have additional updates soon. Councilman Fuhrman noted that he had a great meeting with Dr. Goodwin to work on the School Workforce Training.

With no further business at hand, Councilman Steindorff made a motion to adjourn at 6:57 PM. Councilman Robinson seconded the motion. Unanimous consent was given. The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,



Lisa W. Burke, Clerk

Attest,



Gordon Stone, Mayor