

**TOWN OF VALDESE
TOWN COUNCIL SPECIAL CALLED MEETING
AUGUST 5, 2024**

The Town of Valdese Town Council met on Monday, August 5, 2024, at 8:00 a.m., in the Town Council Chambers at Town Hall, 102 Massel Avenue SW, Valdese, North Carolina. The following were present: Mayor Charles Watts, Mayor Pro Tem Gary Ogle, Councilwoman Rexanna Lowman, Councilwoman Heather Ward, Councilman Glenn Harvey, and Councilman Paul Mears. Also present were: Interim Town Manager Bryan Steen and Town Clerk Jessica Lail

Absent:

A quorum was present.

Councilman Mears made a motion to recess the meeting until 10:00 a.m., seconded by Councilwoman Lowman. The vote was unanimous.

At 10:00 a.m., Councilwoman Ward made a motion to recess into:

Closed Session Pursuant to NC General Statute 143-318.11(a)(6) to consider the qualifications, competence, performance, character, fitness, conditions of appointment, or conditions of initial employment of an individual public officer or employee, and,

Closed Session under NC General Statute 143-318.11(a)(3) to consult with an attorney retained by the Town in order to preserve the attorney-client privilege between the Town attorney and the Town Council, which privilege is hereby acknowledged.

Seconded by Councilman Mears. The vote was unanimous.

At 12:25 p.m., Councilwoman Lowman made a motion to return to open session, seconded by Councilman Ogle. The vote was unanimous.

ADJOURNMENT: At 12:26 p.m., there being no further business to come before Council, Councilman Ogle made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Councilwoman Lowman. The vote was unanimous.

Town Clerk

Mayor

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