



TOWN OF BLACK MOUNTAIN

Town Hall, 160 Midland Avenue, Black Mountain, NC
28711

Special Call Meeting Minutes

Date: **March 22, 2023** Time: **4:00 p.m.**

THE BLACK MOUNTAIN TOWN COUNCIL held a special call meeting on Wednesday, March 22, 2023, at 4:00 p.m. in the board room of Town Hall, 160 Midland Avenue, Black Mountain NC.

1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor C. Michael Sobol called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m. with the following members in attendance:

Mayor C. Michael Sobol
Vice Mayor Archie Pertiller
Council Member Alice Berry
Council Member Bill Christy
Council Member Doug Hay
Council Member Pam King

The following staff members were present:

Josh Harrold, Town Manager
Savannah Parrish, Town Clerk

The Town Manager, Josh Harrold, presented information to the Town Council. The purpose of the meeting was to consider multiple capital projects. The Town has a surplus of approximately 1.1 million dollars as a result of funds received through the American Rescue Plan Act. The town received \$2.6 million through the American Rescue Plan Act in equal installments in 2021 and 2022. The funding was administered as revenue replacement to cover employee salaries, leaving excess funding in the general fund. The other portion of the funds has already been allocated to previously identified needed projects, such as water line replacement on U.S. 70 and to repair the earthen dam at Lake Tomahawk.

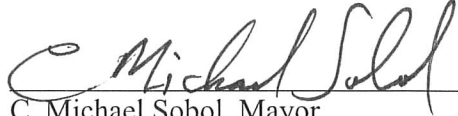
The Town Council directed staff to create Capital Project Public Input Survey in order to make an informed decision with feedback from the public. There was discussion among the council members regarding possible uses for the funding, including parks maintenance and providing trash and recycling bins to residents.

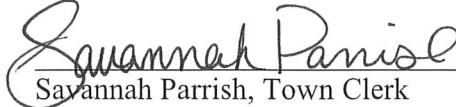
The Town Council will consider this matter at the Regular Session Meeting on April 10, 2023 after hearing the results of the public input survey.

2. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, Mayor C. Michael Sobol adjourned the meeting at 5:26 p.m.

ATTEST:


C. Michael Sobol, Mayor


Savannah Parrish, Town Clerk