

**SNEADS TOWN COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING
JULY 11, 2023**

The Town Council of the Town of Sneads, Florida, met in a regular session at the Sneads Town Hall on Tuesday, July 11, 2023, at 6:00 p.m.

Mike Weeks called the meeting to order with the following present:

Mike Weeks, Anthony Money, and Donovan Weeks; Council Members
Daniel Cox, Attorney
Tyler Weeks, Police Chief
Sherri Griffin, City Clerk
Danielle Guy, Deputy Clerk

And the following were absent:

George Alexander and Angela Locke, Council members
Lee Garner, Town Manager

All stood for the Pledge of Allegiance.

Donovan Weeks made a motion to approve the consent agenda. Tony Money seconded. All voted aye.

1. Minutes for **June** 2023
2. Financial Statements and Budget Review Summary
3. Pay Approved Bills

Agenda #4, No action.

Agenda #5 & 6, Recreation Department and Town Manager. No reports

Agenda item #7, Town Attorney. See attached Ordinance, in reference to distance of alcoholic beverage licenses from churches and school. Mr. Cox stated that the current Ordinance is less than 500 feet, and this would change it to 2000 feet. After discussion, it was tabled until all other council members could be present.


Agenda #8, Police & Fire Departments. Chief Weeks presented the Council with a report of the activities they had in the last month. Chief stated that he had been selected by the FL Police Association to attend the conference free. He also stated that the JAG grant had come through that Chief Miller had applied for before leaving and that it was for new body and car cameras. However, in order to operate them and store the data, they would need a hard driver and server, which cost around \$6,000-7,000. He asked for approval of this purchase. Tony Money made a motion to approve the purchase of the hard drive and server for the police department. Donovan Weeks seconded. All voted aye.

Agenda #9, Council Members. Donovan Weeks stated that the WWTP had two new employees that had started, Dennis McDaniel and Blake Fitzsimmons. They both were already working out great and saving the town money.

Agenda #10, Public Comments: Ron Mansfield

Tony Money made a motion to adjourn at 6:15 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,



Danielle Guy, Deputy Clerk

APPROVED:

MIKE WEEKS, COUNCIL PRESIDENT

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Budget Summary

GENERAL FUND

JUNE- Revenues are 11.27% **below** budgeted amount. Expenditures are 9.03% **above** budgeted amount.

GAS TAX

JUNE- Gas Tax County is 3.93% **above** budgeted amount. Local Option Gas Tax is in line with budgeted amount. Expenditures are 4.03% **above** budgeted amount.

SOLID WASTE

JUNE – Garbage revenues are 4.53% **above** budgeted amount. Expenditures are in line with budgeted amount.

WATER AND SEWER

JUNE-ACI Sewer is 5.57% **below** budgeted amount. Water Sales and Sewer Sales are in line with budgeted amount. Expenditures are 5.33% **above** budgeted amount.

RECREATION FUND

JUNE- Revenues are **above** budgeted amount. Expenditures are **above** budgeted amount.

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SNEADS, FLORIDA AMENDING CHAPTER 4, CODE OF ORDINANCES TO MODIFYING THE DISTANCE THAT ESTABLISHMENTS SELLING ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES MUST SEPARATE FROM ESTABLISHED CHURCH OR SCHOOL , PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

1. Ordinance amended to read:

ARTICLE II. REGULATIONS

Section 8 - Distance of licensed business from churches and schools

No business licensed by the Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco to sell packaged alcoholic beverages for consumption by the drink shall be allowed to conduct business in a location that is less than ~~500~~ 2000 feet from an established church or school, which distance public thoroughfare from the main entrance of the place of business to the main entrance of the church and, in the case of a school, to the nearest point of the school grounds in use as part of the school facilities, within the city limits of the Town of Sneads.

Section 9 - Current distances grandfathered in

Any business holding a license as stated above at the time of the adoption of this ordinance ~~that may be 500 feet or less from an established church or school~~ shall be grandfathered in and all rules and regulations other than distance shall apply.

Section 10 - Future placement of churches and schools

No church or school may request placement that will infringe upon the 500-2000 foot distance of an already established place of business licensed to sell and/or serve alcoholic beverages of any type.

2. Each Section of the Ordinance not amended hereby shall remain in full force and effect.
3. This Ordinance shall be effective upon adoption.

So ordained on August 8,2023.

Sherri Griffin, Municipal Clerk

Mike Weeks, Council President