



VIRTUAL SPECIAL TOWN COUNCIL MEETING

October 06, 2021 at 5:30 PM
Council Chambers - Apex Town Hall, 73 Hunter Street

Town Council and Administration

Mayor: Jacques K. Gilbert | Mayor Pro Tem: Nicole L. Dozier
Council Members: Brett D. Gantt; Audra M. Killingsworth; Cheryl F. Stallings; Terry Mahaffey
Town Manager: Catherine Crosby | Assistant Town Managers: Shawn Purvis and Marty Stone
Town Clerk: Donna B. Hosch, MMC | Town Attorney: Laurie L. Hohe

In attendance were, Mayor Jacques K. Gilbert, Council Members Brett D. Gantt, Terry Mahaffey, and Cheryl F. Stallings. Also in attendance were Assistant Town Managers Shawn Purvis and Marty Stone, Deputy Town Clerk Tesa Silver, and Assistant Town Attorney Brian Meyer. Absent were: Mayor Pro Tem Nicole L. Dozier and Council Member Killingsworth.

COMMENCEMENT

Mayor Gilbert called the meeting to order and roll called attendance.

NEW BUSINESS

NB1 Colleen Merays, Downtown and Small Business Coordinator

Ordinance amendments regarding alcohol consumption in the Downtown Parklet

Staff stated that based on direction from Council and new legislation from the State, they redesigned the proposal for the Parking to Dining program in downtown Apex. The new design adds four parklets on Salem Street and the parklets would be used by Fresh Local Ice Cream, Provincial, Anna's Pizzeria, La Rancherita, and Mission Market.

Staff stated that the three businesses that have ABC licensing intend to apply for the extension with the ALE to receive permission to serve alcohol in the parklet. Staff explained that before a business can make this type of request to the ALE, the town must adopt an ordinance to grant permission.

Council stated that they were in support of moving forward with the program and the ordinance, and asked staff to verify that no additional burden would be placed on the police department for enforcement.

Council Member Mahaffey made the motion to approve
the parklet designed as presented and the ordinance as presented;

Council Member Stallings seconded.

The motion carried by a 3-0 roll call vote.

ADJOURNMENT

With no further business and with no objection from Council, Mayor Gilbert adjourned the meeting.

Tesa Silver, CMC, Deputy Town Clerk

ATTEST:

Jacques K. Gilbert, Mayor