

**Tyrone Town Council
Meeting Minutes
August 16, 2018
Special Called
6:30 p.m.**

Present:

Mayor Eric Dial

Mayor Pro Tem Gloria Furr

Council Member Ken Matthews

Council Member Linda Howard

Council Member Ryan Housley

Town Manager Jonathan Lynn

Finance Manager Sandy Beach

Town Attorney Dennis Davenport

Town Clerk Dee Baker

Approval of Agenda

Council Member Housley made a motion to approve the agenda.

Council Member Matthews seconded the motion. Motion was approved 4-0.

Public Hearing:

Discussion on the millage rate of the Town of Tyrone for fiscal year 2018-2019.

Jonathan Lynn, Town Manager

Mayor Dial opened the public hearing for anyone that wished to speak in favor of the item.

No one spoke.

Mayor Dial opened the public hearing for anyone that wished to speak in opposition of the item.

Mr. Billy Campbell, a resident on Beresford Road spoke. He stated that he was against keeping the millage rate at the same amount. He added that the Town must raise the rate in order to prepare for the expenses needed for services for our residents, local businesses and especially the employees. There is a growing desire from the residents to make improvements in order to grow and survive. The thought of paying more taxes does not sit well. In order to compete with surrounding municipalities for new businesses, to keep and obtain qualified employees and to attract families that would like to call Tyrone their home; I think it is necessary to increase the revenue that comes into this Town.

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Adjournment

Council Member Matthews made a motion to adjourn. The meeting adjourned at 6:34 pm.

Eric Dial, Mayor

Dee Baker, Town Clerk