

**MINUTES FOR BOARD OF ALDERMEN
PRE-STRATEGIC PLANNING MEETING
January 15th, 2026
1:00 PM**

The following elected officials were present: Mayor Beaty, Alderman Cloninger, Alderman Milton, Alderman Withers, Alderman Martin and, Alderman Blythe.

The following Staff members were present: Jonathan Newton, Town Manager; and Lindsey Tysinger, Town Clerk.

Mayor Beaty called the meeting to order at 1:20 pm.

A discussion between Staff and the Board took place to discuss the goals, priorities and community goals for the Town.

These discussions will help guide the Finance Director and Town Manager as they prepare a proposed budget for FY 2026-27.

The meeting adjourned at 4:10 pm.

Hayley Beaty, Mayor

Lindsey Tysinger, Town Clerk