

TOWN OF HUDSON REGULAR MEETING

January 23, 2018 Hudson Uptown Building

In Attendance:

Members Present: Mayor Janet Winkler, Commissioners: Larry Chapman, Jonathan Greer, Barry Mitchell, Rick Shew, Ann Smith and Bill Warren

Others Present: Town Manager, Rebecca Bentley, Town Clerk, Tammy Swanson, and Town Attorney, Carroll Tuttle

Call to Order:

Mayor Janet Winkler called the meeting to order, and Commissioner Bill Warren led the audience in the Pledge of Allegiance and opening prayer.

Discuss/Adjust Agenda:

Janet presented the January agenda, and stated that the main purpose of the meeting was to honor Mr. Carl Wagner, and present him with the Order of the Long Leaf Pine Award.

Motion: (Bill Warren/Larry Chapman) to approve the agenda as presented. Unanimously approved.

Presentation to Mr. Carl Wagner:

Speakers/Presenters: Janet stated that different speakers will be coming forward representing church, family and civic organizations that Mr. Wagner has been and continues to be involved in.

Family – David Wagner (Mr. Wagner's Son)

Educator – Ron Beane (Former Fellow Educator)

Church – Barry Mitchell (Member of Hudson United Methodist Church with Mr. Wagner)

Lion's Club – Rick McRary (Fellow Lion's Club Member)

Habitat for Humanity – Pete Kidder (Caldwell County Habitat)

HCDA – Rebecca Bentley (Fellow HCDA Member)

Town of Hudson – Mayor Janet Winkler

Mr. Wagner was presented the award, and in his acceptance, he talked about some of his adventures growing up, plus things he had experience by being involved with the Town.

Public Comments:

People from the audience spoke about Mr. Wagner:

Skip Downs – talked about Mr. Wagner's involvement with the school system.

Rev. Holly Adams – talked about Mr. Wagner's involvement with Hudson United Methodist Church

Jim Morgan – a family member, presented a pin he had received to Mr. Wagner.

Kathleen Mitchell – talked about the wonderful marriage Mr. Wagner shared with his wife Lucy. Lucy passed away in October 2017.

Carolyn Icard – talked about being a neighbor at one time with Mr. Wagner.

Claude Cogdell – talked about teaching with Mr. Wagner.

Norman Crump – talked about being a student of Mr. Wagner's, and also working with him at the Town. Norman is currently the Public Works Director for the Town.

After the comments from the public, the Town held a reception in honor of Mr. Wagner.

Adjournment:

Motion: (Larry Chapman/Bill Warren) to adjourn the meeting. Unanimously approved.

Tamra T. Swanson, Town Clerk