

Emergency Meeting Minutes

The meeting of the Pocomoke City Mayor and Council was held in Council Chambers and via Zoom/Facebook livestream on Thursday, August 18, 2022. The meeting was called to order at 6:05 p.m.

Present: Mayor Susan Marshall Harrison
First Vice President: Esther Troast
Council Members: R. Scott Holland, Daniel J. Tarr,
Todd J. Nock and Diane Downing
City Manager: Jeremy Mason
City Attorney: Andrew Illuminati
Public Works Director: Bill East
City Clerk: Michelle Beckett-El Soloh

Call to Order by Mayor Susan Marshall Harrison:

Memorandum for Emergency Purchase for New Refuse Truck

Mr. Mason read the memorandum from the Public Works Director, Bill East, calling for the emergency declaration of a safety hazard.

Mr. Mason read: **Emergency Resolution No. 571
Emergency Purchase of a Refuse Truck for Public Works
Pocomoke City, Maryland**

Public Hearing opened. There were two comments from the public. Ed Smallwood and Karen Riback, and in the opinion of both citizens, if a truck is needed, it should be purchased. Public Hearing closed.

There were no objections from the public.

Councilmember Nock suggested that an inventory be taken and be aware of the age and mileage on city vehicles to assess possible needs for other vehicles.

Mr. Mason said he has worked on that with Mr. East and has a good idea of the city's needs and what is worth repairing and what could be scrapped.

Motion to adopt as an emergency resolution and accept the bid from

Acclamation: Downing-aye, Holland-aye Tarr-aye, Nock-aye; none opposed, motion carried

Motion to adjourn meeting (Downing, Troast)

Acclamation: Downing-aye, Holland-aye Tarr-aye, Nock-aye; none opposed, motion carried

Approved: K. Michelle Beckett-El Soloh
City Clerk