

## Town Council Actions July 24, 2018

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- 1) Members of the Shenandoah Recreation League addressed Mayor Lucas and Council regarding the renewal of their lease with the Town for the Batting Cage and Office area located on Long Avenue. Following a brief discussion, the Council voted to sign a one (1) year lease between the Town and the Shenandoah Recreation for use of the Batting Cage and Office area.
- 2) Authorized Officer Nick Weaver for a five percent (5%) pay increase, beginning with the next payroll, for passing his probationary period.
- 3) Authorized a \$50.00 donation to Page County Middle School in support of their Every Student, Every Day initiative. This initiative will provide incentives for individual students and classrooms based on their attendance. The monetary donations received will be used toward the purchase of pizza, ice cream, movie tickets, water park passes, electronics, gift cards, etc. **Note:** If you are interested in making a donation to the PCMS Every Student, Every Day initiative, contact the Assistant Principal, Tanya Miller, by phone at (540) 652-8308.
- 4) Received notice that copies of Amos Thomas' first book: "Shenandoah – The Thomas Family Collection" may be purchased at the Town Hall or at the Shenandoah General Store for \$31.00 each. The book includes hundreds of photographs of the Town from 1954-2017. **Note:** Please make all checks payable to Amos Thomas.
- 5) Reviewed the June 2018 Town Website Statistics. The total page views came to 14,491 with 7,062 Unique Visitors. The most popular referring site was Google with 1,745 users.
- 6) Reviewed the Town Vehicle Gas Logs for June 2018.
- 7) Reviewed the June 2018 Police Department Activity Log.
- 8) Received notice that Tactical Walls graduated from the Virginia Economic Development Partnership's Virginia Leaders in Export Trade (VALET) Program. This program provides participating companies with assistance to help meet their international goals. Tactical Walls and 12 other companies from across the Commonwealth of Virginia increased their international sales by an average of 82 percent during their two years in the VALET Program. For more information on the VALET Program, visit <http://exportvirginia.org/services/programs-grants/>.
- 9) Received a copy of the Shenandoah Volunteer Fire Company 2018 membership list for review.

- 10) Received a thank you letter from the Page Free Clinic for the Town's \$100.00 donation. All monetary donations made to the Clinic allow for all provided services to be 100% free to Page County residents. The Clinic is currently working towards adding dental equipment and services, including an x-ray machine. For more information on the services the Clinic offers, visit their website at [www.PageFreeClinic.org](http://www.PageFreeClinic.org).
- 11) Received a thank you letter for the Town's support during the Team Taylor benefit held at the Shenandoah Machine Shop held on June 30, 2018.