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November 14th, 2016
Hardin Hall
7PM Council Meeting

AGENDA

- ❖ Lord's Prayer
- ❖ The Pledge of Allegiance
- ❖ Minutes from previous meeting
- ❖ Police Report
- ❖ Report from BEDCO
- ❖ Report from Planning and Zoning
- ❖ Committee Reports:
 - Housing
 - Water
 - Street
 - Parks & Cemeteries
 - Police
 - Mayor's Report
- ❖ New Business:
 - Town of Blades Kids Christmas Party on December 4th from 1pm to 3pm
 - Letter of Commendation for Marcus Trammell
 - Red Ribbon Week October 23rd, 2016 to October 31st, 2016; Be Drug Free
 - Approval of the following police grants:
 - Special Law Enforcement Assistance Fund \$12,673.00 for upgrading the existing car cameras in all 3 PPV's.
 - V-28-17 Combat Violent Crime overtime total \$10,020.00 (\$40.00 for 250.5 hours)
 - D-19-17 Emergency Illegal Drug Enforcement \$3279.57 for overtime
 - S-19-17 State Aid to Local Law Enforcement \$3545.97 for \$2645.97 in overtime and \$900.00 in equipment purchases (tracking and remote IR cameras and upgrade to latent fingerprint kits)
 - MS4 – the town received notice on October 27th, 2015 that we have been identified as a MS4 district. Small Municipal Separate Storm Water Sewer System. DNREC is currently working with the EPA on the permit process. Delmar, Laurel, Blades, Seaford are all required to comply with the Phase II permit. New Castle/Kent currently underway. Delmar, Laurel, Blades, and Seaford administration has meet and with Sussex Conservation believe it is best to enter into a coalition to meet these standards together and hoping to be less of a financial burden if we are all



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together at this. The town solicitor has read the agreement and also agrees that this will save the town money if we go in with the other municipalities.

- Council Workshop: November 15th, 2016 Agenda: Cemetery Issue, Property Tax tax penalty issue, and budget review

❖ Good of the Community

❖ Adjournment

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AGENDA SUBJECT TO CHANGE

AGENDA ITEMS LISTED MAY BE CONSIDERED OUT OF SEQUENCE

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