

Council Notes-January 22, 2014

For questions or information, contact the Town Hall at 886-2177 or council members at signalmountaintn.gov.

- At its January 29 work session, the council reviewed updates to the Vehicle Replacement Plan and the need to increase departmental contributions to the fund by 3%; an evaluation of maintenance and repairs necessary on/in town buildings now and in the future; a final accounting of the Fall Hodgepodge that resulted in a unanimous vote to require an outside event promoter to operate it in the future; a MACC grant application for building improvements (especially the sprinkler system) of \$327,500 that includes a \$131,000 match from the town; an update from Lew Waddey on the Library's quest to become a 501-3(c) in order to raise money to pay for renovations to the basement; and the results of a recent Fire Station Feasibility Study that addresses the potential need for the completion of a fire sub-station on Shackleford Ridge.
- The Public Works Department apologizes for being behind in leaf pickup. Normally, all leaves are collected by the end of December; however, this season fall rains and freezing winter temperatures have hampered the pickup. The council asks citizens to please be patient.
- The town has openings on the Board of Zoning Appeals, the Personnel Committee, and the Board of Adjustments and Appeals. Applications may be downloaded from the town website. For more information contact the town manager.
- The Recycle Center cannot accept Styrofoam. It must be delivered to the Transfer Station for disposal or to the UPS Store at the foot of the mountain for recycling.
- Garbage services, including backdoor service, require containers be ready for pickup by 7:30 am. Please place garbage containers out on time.