



TOWN OF HIGHLAND LAKE

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**COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
WORK SESSION**

Tuesday, June 4, 2024
6:00 PM
The Anchor

Mayor Chase Moore called the meeting to order at 6:02 PM.

IN ATTENDANCE: Mayor Chase Moore, Carl Randall, Ramzi Malek
Sid Nelson, Sam Pearson, Bobby Rhodes

ABSENT: None

OTHER ATTENDEES: Chief Scott Kon
Tim Moore – Building Inspector
Alex Smith - Attorney
Mary Ann Allen-Town Clerk

1. Friends of the Locust Fork

Sarah Van Os introduced Eleanor Wright and India Foster from the Friends of the Locust Fork River to talk about their event they would like to have at Highland Lake. They explained that the event would involve ten to fifteen people. They would like to put their kayaks in at Town Hall and paddle along the shoreline to Sarah's home. There they would have a paint party and lunch then paddle back. They have not set a certain weekend, but it would probably be in July or August. The Council explained that they would each need to sign a Hold Harmless Agreement, and they said that would not be a problem.

2. Update on Mudslide

There was much discussion about different ways the problem could be resolved From growing grass and vines on the area to lining the baseline with cement bags. It was stated that there has not been much change in the area in the past several months. There is still a question about the exact boundaries between what is owned by the Town and what is owned by the individual. The engineer has not yet set exact boundaries, and Councilman Carl Randall said that he would also like to have the engineer state where on the property the problem started.

It was also mentioned that if going with another route, instead of using an engineer, that the Town, for liability purposes, should still probably have an engineer sign off that the method chosen will work.

Mayor Moore announced that the Town was awarded an Economic Development Grant for \$9,625 to be used to conduct pre-construction engineering for repair of critical infrastructure.

It was decided to save the other topics for the Regular Session.

- 3. Fireworks for July 4th**
- 4. Zavala's Lawn Service Invoice**
- 5. Tim Weston's request to install a Tommy Dock**
- 6. Lady Laker's Movie in the Park July 27, 2024**
- 7. Large tree in Lake from last storm**
- 8. Broken Playground Equipment**
- 9. Other business items as determined by the Council**

The meeting adjourned at 6:31 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Ann Allen – Town Clerk

Chase Moore – Mayor