

WISE TOWN COUNCIL SPECIAL-CALLED MEETING
Thursday, November 13, 2025; 9:00 A.M.
WISE MUNICIPAL BUILDING COUNCIL CHAMBERS
501 WEST MAIN STREET - WISE, VIRGINIA 24293

MINUTES

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Caynor Smith, Jr., Mayor
Laura Taylor
Teresa Adkins
S. Duane Phillips

MEMBERS ABSENT:

Robin Dotson

PUBLIC EXPRESSION:

There being no one from the public audience wishing to comment, Mayor Smith closed public expression.

CLOSED SESSION:

On a motion made by Laura Taylor and a second by Duane Phillips, the Wise Town Council moved to convene into closed meeting for the purpose of and including:

***Real Property** – Discussion or consideration of the acquisition of real property for a public purpose, or of the disposition of publicly held real property, where discussion in an open meeting would adversely affect the bargaining position or negotiating strategy of the public body, as permitted by Virginia Code §2.2-3711 (A)(3).*

OPEN SESSION:

Laura Taylor made a motion to reconvene in open session. Teresa Adkins seconded the motion that carried 4-0.

CERTIFICATION OF CLOSED SESSION – CM RESOLUTION #16, 2025:

Sarina Collins, Town Clerk/Treasurer, read Closed Meeting Resolution #16, 2025, “Resolving and certifying that to the best of each member’s knowledge (i) only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements by Virginia law were discussed in the closed meeting to which this certification resolution applied, and (ii) only such public business matters as were identified in the motion convening the closed meeting were heard, discussed, or considered by the Town Council of the Town of Wise,” and the vote was recorded by roll call:

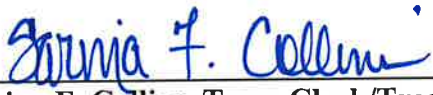
Caynor Smith, Jr., Mayor	“Aye”
Laura Taylor	“Aye”
Teresa Adkins	“Aye”
S. Duane Phillips	“Aye”

Following the closed session, Duane Phillips made a motion to authorize Mayor Smith to bid on behalf of the Town of Wise, up to a maximum of \$45,100, at the public auction being held for property located at 232 & 234 Dale Street, for potential acquisition and future development by the Town. Laura Taylor seconded the motion. The vote was recorded by roll call:

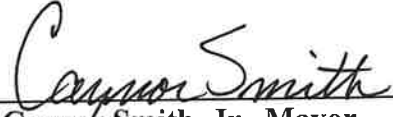
Caynor Smith, Jr., Mayor	"Aye"
Laura Taylor	"Aye"
Teresa Adkins	"Aye"
S. Duane Phillips	"Aye"

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no additional discussion by the Wise Town Council, Laura Taylor made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Duane Phillips seconded the motion that passed 4-0.



Sarina F. Collins, Town Clerk/Treasurer



Caynor Smith, Jr., Mayor