

Special Council Meeting

**Municipal Building
March 20, 2008**

The Council of the Town of Culpeper convened in special session at 6:01 p.m. with Mayor Pranas A. Rimeikis presiding. Present: Calvin L. Coleman, Duke M. duFrane, F. Steve Jenkins, Michael T. Olinger (arrived at 6:04 p.m.), Emma F. Richards, James C. Risner, Christopher H. Snider, William Y. Yowell, Council Members; Thomas E. Huggard, Interim Town Manager.

CLOSED SESSION

Vice Mayor Yowell moved, Councilmember Risner seconded, council enter closed session to interview candidates for the Town Clerk position pursuant to Code of Virginia Section 2.2-3711(A)(1).

The motion carried by voice vote (7-0—Aye-Coleman, duFrane, Jenkins, Rimeikis, Risner, Snider, Yowell; Nay-None; Absent: Olinger, Richards). Council entered closed session at 6:02 p.m.

Note: Councilmember Olinger arrived at 6:04 p.m. and Councilmember Richards arrived at 6:11 p.m. and joined the closed session upon their arrival.

Council entered open session at 6:26 p.m.

Certificate of Closed Session: Mayor Rimeikis requested the Clerk poll the members for approval of the certificate of closed session that to the best of each member's knowledge only business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under Code of Virginia Section 2.2-3711 and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened were heard, discussed, or considered in the meeting by the public body.

The following roll call was taken: Aye: Coleman, duFrane, Jenkins, Olinger, Rimeikis, Richards, Risner, Snider, Yowell (9); Nay: None (0); Absent: None (0)

Vice Mayor Yowell moved, Councilmember duFrane seconded, Council approve the appointment of Kimberly D. Allen as Town Clerk.

General discussion ensued relative to the employment proposal including a requirement that Mrs. Allen complete the Master Municipal Clerk (MMC) certification and that her start date be as soon as possible.

The motion carried by voice vote (8-1—Aye-Coleman, duFrane, Olinger, Richards, Rimeikis, Risner, Snider, Yowell; Nay-Jenkins).

Councilmember Jenkins noted his objection was to the salary offered, not the candidate.

ADJOURNMENT: Council adjourned at 6:28 p.m.

Clerk

Mayor