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Town of Marion Special Council Meeting

Thursday, August 28, 2025

The Marion Town Council met on Thursday, August 28, 2025 @ 4:00 PM for a special call meeting. Present: Mayor Danny A. Smith, Alderwoman Rhonda Davis, Aldermen Mark Andrews & Bubba Hoggatt. Absent: Alderman Channing Washington & Alderwoman Tina Harris. Also, Marion Police Chief Montral Ferguson, Public Works Director Jimmy Caldwell and Keith Jesselink were in attendance.

Mayor Smith called the meeting to order, Keith Jesselink led the prayer and Alderwoman Rhonda Davis led the pledge of allegiance.

A time was set aside for public comments and no comments were made.

Mayor Smith introduced Mr. Jesselink to the council and offered remarks regarding the town's need for another Level 1 Certified Operator for the water system and for waster water. Mr. Jesselink was asked to state his qualifications and work experience. Afterwards, the council was given the opportunity to ask questions or offer any comments. Mayor Smith requested a roll call vote on whether to employ Mr. Jesselink part time as a Level 4 Water & Sewer Operator beginning on September 1, 2025.

Rhonda Davis – Yes

Mark Andrews – Yes

Bubba Hoggatt – Yes

Mayor Smith announced a former, terminated employee, Rebecca Worthington had filed a public records request. He reported all questions had been answered and returned per her request.

Mark Andrews offered the motion to adjourn and seconded by Rhonda Davis. Motion passed.

Devin Greene – Town Clerk

Danny A. Smith - Mayor