

**River Bend Town Council
Work Session Minutes
January 9, 2020
River Bend Town Hall
5:00 P.M.**

Present Council Members:	Mayor John Kirkland Don Fogle Brian Leonard Bud McClard Buddy Sheffield
Absent Council Members:	Bud Van Slyke
Town Manager:	Delane Jackson
Town Clerk:	Ann Katsuyoshi
Police Chief:	Sean Joll
Town Attorney:	Dave Baxter
Finance Administrator:	Margaret Theis

BUDGET KICK-OFF

Manager Jackson presented a short PowerPoint presentation outlining the usual budget process. The Council reviewed their Priorities and Vision Statement and the proposed meeting schedule. With no objections or changes, this will be the schedule that is posted.

DISCUSSION – DOG PARK RULES

Mr. Jackson said that a recent incident in the Dog Park has caused him to review the Park rules. He suggested that we add additional language to the statement about aggressive dogs. The Town Manager also proposed that we advise users that they may receive a ticket if they fail to comply with Park rules. It was the consensus of the Council, that the Dog Park rules be amended as suggested. The item will come to the Council for formal approval at the Regular Meeting.

DISCUSSION OF NAMING TOWN BUILDINGS

The Council discussed this item briefly. It was the consensus of the Council that no building will be named after a person either alive or dead.

CLOSED SESSION

Councilman Van Slyke **moved to go into Closed Session under §143-318.11(a)(6) of the Open Meetings Law.** The motion carried unanimously. The Council entered Closed Session at 6:52 p.m.

OPEN SESSION

Councilman Sheffield **moved to return to Open Session.** The motion carried unanimously. The Council returned to Open Session at 7:10 p.m.

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ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, Councilman Sheffield **moved to adjourn.** The motion carried unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 7:12 p.m.

Ann Katsuyoshi
Town Clerk