



# TOWN OF CLIFTON FORGE

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## **TOWN COUNCIL AGENDA TOWN OF CLIFTON FORGE, VIRGINIA TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2024, 7:00 P.M. CLIFTON FORGE TOWN COUNCIL CHAMBERS 547 MAIN STREET**

**INVOCATION**

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**CALL TO ORDER**

### **CONSENT AGENDA**

Approval of Minutes

Minutes                      Council Meeting                      August 13, 2024

**RECOMMENDATION:** Approve the minutes for August 13, 2024.

### **PRESENTATION FROM ALLEGHANY HIGHLANDS PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

- Kim Halterman presenting the state of the school system

### **PRESENTATION FROM WILLIAM ATHERHOLT**

- Wall That Heals

### **ACTION ITEMS**

- 1) Department Reports
  - Code Enforcement
  - Police Department

- Public Works
- Library
- Water Plant
- Fire Department

**RECOMMENDATION:** Approve the reports as submitted and written.

**2) Appeal from Kristen and Ron McConnell**

- To consider an appeal from Kristen and Ron McConnell regarding the ARB's decision for a request to paint a mural on the fountain side of the building located at 511 Main Street

**3) Resolution**

- To consider approval of a resolution to appropriate funds submitted by Columbia Gas for 50 percent of cost of paving on Vulcan Street

**RECOMMENDATION:** Approve the resolution.

**4) Resolution**

- To consider approval of a resolution from Glenn R. Perry requesting the Town of Clifton Forge grant the Clifton Forge Shrine Club a resolution to conduct the annual Fall Foliage Festival to be held on October 18<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup>, and 20<sup>th</sup>, 2024, with Town setup on Thursday, October 17<sup>th</sup>, 2024, after 5:00 p.m. (Glenn Perry has requested to speak)

**RECOMMENDATION:** Approve the resolution.

**5) Letter of Request**

- To consider a letter of request from Michael Foster for the closure of Ridgeway Street between Roxbury Street and Commercial Avenue for Jack Mason's Tavern to host the Clifton Forge Craft Beer Fest, scheduled to be held October 5<sup>th</sup>, 2024. The time of closure requested is from 10:00 a.m. until approximately 9:00 p.m. Mr. Foster would also very much appreciate it if they could use the Town's stage.

**RECOMMENDATION:** Approve the request.

- 6) To read and acknowledge the letter of appreciation regarding the VML/VRSA event.
  
- 7) To read and acknowledge the letter of appreciation to the Public Works Department from Mary Ellen Plitt

**UPDATE FROM PARKS AND TRAILS COMMITTEE**

**MANAGER'S COMMENTS**

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

**COUNCIL COMMENTS**

**NEW BUSINESS IF APPLICABLE**

**CLOSED SESSION**

The Council for the Town of Clifton Forge will go into closed session for the following reasons:

1. Pursuant to subsection A.6 of Section 2.2-3711 of the Code of Virginia of 1950, as amended, for the purpose of discussion of the investment of public funds where competition or bargaining is involved, where, if made public initially, the financial interest of the Town would be affected, relating to potential investments of the Town in Town Economic Development Authority development projects, and
2. Pursuant to subsection A.3 of the same section of the Code of Virginia, for the purpose of 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 Town, specifically relating to three projects on Main Street in Clifton Forge.

**ADJOURNMENT**

**UPCOMING EVENTS**  
**Historic Masonic Theatre**

**Sam Bush                      September 20, 2024,                      7 p.m.**

**Tour the Theatre                      September 21, 2024,                      11 a.m.-3 p.m.**

**Arts Community Celebration                      September 21, 2024,                      11 a.m.-3 p.m.**

**Movie: Bob Marley: One Love                      September 28, 2024, 7 p.m.**