Middlesex Governing Body Meeting Minutes June 26, 2023

Mayor Lewis gave the invocation at 10:00 am then Mayor Lewis opened the public hearing for comments for the 2023-2024 Budget. General fund 10 totals \$1,222,011, Water and Sewer fund 30 equals \$647,890. The grand total budget for 2023-2024 totaled \$1,869,901.00. We were able to use American rescue Plan Act Grant (ARP) in the amount of \$80,485 to off-set the cost of employee's insurance in this upcoming budget year. Mayor Lewis opened the floor for comments. With no further comments Mayor Lewis closed the public hearing.

Mayor Lewis called the reconvened meeting to order. Members present were Commissioners Danny Alford, Cherrye Davis, J.W.McClenny, Harold Meacombs and Commissioner Ann Lewis. Police Chief Joe Amos was present. Public Works Supervisor James Liles was not present. Hannah Camarena from the Spring Hope Enterprise was also present. There was no guest at this meeting.

Commissioner Alford made a motion to adopt the 2023-2024 budget and Commissioner Lewis seconded it. The vote was approved unanimously.

Nash County has presented a petition requesting annexation for 3.175 acres. The area Nash County is requesting to be annexed is contiguous to the Town of Middlesex and the boundaries. Commissioner Meacombs made a motion to accept this petition request for annexation to instruct the clerk to do the investigation and return the findings to the board at the next meeting. Also to set a public hearing before the next meeting for this annexation and Commissioner Davis seconded and it was approved unanimously.

There were no public comments at this meeting.

With no further business, Commissioner Lewis made the motion to adjourn. Commissioner McClenny seconded and it was approved unanimously.

Gloria Vinson, Town Clerk/Finance Officer

Mayor Luther H. Lewis, Jr. Commissioners J.W.McClenny Ann Lewis Cherrye Davis Danny Alford Harold Meacombs