

**MINUTES OF MIDWAY TOWN COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING HELD ON JUNE 30, 2025, AT 9:00 A.M. IN THE CONFERENCE ROOM AT MIDWAY TOWN HALL, 426 GUMTREE ROAD, MIDWAY, NORTH CAROLINA**

**CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor John Byrum called the meeting to order.

Councilors present were: Mayor John Byrum, Mayor Pro Tem Mike McAlpine, Keith Leonard, Jackie Edwards, and Berkley Alcorn. Absent: Robin Moon. Town Clerk Linda Hunt and Town Attorney Jim Lanik were present.

Proper notice of the special meeting was given, and each Councilor was furnished an agenda prior to the meeting.

**ADOPT AGENDA**

On motion by Councilor Jackie Edwards, seconded by Councilor Keith Leonard, Council voted unanimously to adopt the agenda as presented.

**RECESS TO CLOSED SESSION**

On motion by Mayor Pro Tem Mike McAlpine, seconded by Councilor Berkley Alcorn, Council voted unanimously to recess to closed session in accordance with N.C.G.S. 143-318.11(a)(6) for the purpose of discussing matters pertaining to personnel.

**RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION**

On motion by Mayor Pro Tem Mike McAlpine, seconded by Councilor Berkley Alcorn, Council voted unanimously to reconvene to open session.

Following Closed Session, the following action was taken.

**TERMINATION OF CONTRACT WITH TOWN MANAGER**

On motion by Mayor Pro Tem Mike McAlpine, seconded by Councilor Berkley Alcorn, Council voted unanimously to terminate the contract with Town Manager Nicholas Smith without cause effective immediately.

Mayor John Byrum and Town Attorney Jim Lanik to notify Mr. Smith of Council's action.

**ADJOURNMENT**

On motion by Councilor Keith Leonard, seconded by Councilor Jackie Edwards, Council voted unanimously to adjourn the meeting.

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John Byrum, Mayor

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Linda A. Hunt, Town Clerk