



**TOWN OF NORTH REDINGTON BEACH
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
WORKSHOP MINUTES
SEPTEMBER 5TH, 2018**

Mayor Bill Queen called the September 5th, 2018 workshop to order at 10:00 a.m. Vice Mayor Ted Dahl, Commissioners Bennett, Curtis and Kennedy were present. The meeting was held at the Town Hall Building, 190 - 173rd Avenue, North Redington Beach.

A. SWEET SAGE – SANITATION

John Messmore, owner of the Sweet Sage Café, presented pictures (attached) indicating a problem with his garbage collection. He stated the truck coming during his busy hours was a safety issue and he presented pictures of overflowing dumpsters. He requested the Commission change the allowable hours of pickup to begin at 7:00 a.m.

Bill Krimmel, Operations Manager with Waste Connections, stated that he understands Mr. Messmore's position and that safety is very important to the company. However, he stated that a change in hours would not fix the issue as the front loader truck, that services the route, could not be in the town early. He explained the route begins either north or south, depending on the day, and the driver cannot break off to make one pickup in the middle of the route. Mr. Krimmel offered to have the rear loader truck come by and take bulk/overflow items whenever there is an overflow issue. Mr. Krimmel also said he would speak with the driver to see if he could make pickups later in the afternoon, however, he reiterated the truck cannot be on a regular schedule as it is impossible to predict how the route will go each day.

Mr. Messmore agreed that pickups later in the day would resolve the issue. Mr. Krimmel is going to speak with the driver to try and accommodate.

B. ORDINANCE NO. 2018 - 804 AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF NORTH REDINGTON BEACH, FLORIDA, AMENDING ARTICLE II OF CHAPTER 66 OF THE TOWN CODE CONCERNING BUSINESS TAX PROCEDURES; MAKING RELATED FINDINGS; AND PROVIDING FOR CODIFICATION, SEVERABILITY, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Rob Eschenfelder, attorney with Trask & Daigneault, filled in for the Town Attorney. He went over the major changes in the business tax receipt ordinance. Commissioner Curtis had questions regarding the completion and signing of the application. Mr. Eschenfelder explained that if the application is not completed in its entirety, a license will be refused and the business will not be allowed to operate within the town. Documentation procedures were also discussed.

C. MISCELLANEOUS

Mayor Queen talked to the Board about Pinellas County taking over responsibility and reimbursement for the pedestrian crosswalks. All maintenance and replacements will be made by the County and FDOT will send the reimbursement directly to them each year. The Board agreed that it would be in the best interest of the town to make the change. The Town Clerk stated a resolution would be on the next meeting agenda.

Commissioner Curtis told the Board that the switch plates on several of the electric poles has fallen off and need to be repaired (they are currently being held on with electrical tape). Mayor Queen stated he would speak with Don about getting them repaired properly.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 11:02 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

*Mari Campbell, CMC
Town Clerk*