

**Town of Grantsboro**  
**Regular Meeting of the Town Council**  
**May 5, 2026**

**Minutes**

The Grantsboro Town Council met on Tuesday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2026 at 7:00 p.m. in the Town Hall. Attending were: Mayor Tom Newman, Mayor Pro-tem Evelyn Paul, Ray Poole, Julia Lee, TW Harris, and Ray Lewis, Clerk. Kristie Mitchell was absent. There was one visitor.

Lewis offered the invocation, and Mayor Newman called the meeting to order. A quorum was established, and the agenda for the meeting was approved upon a motion by Harris, seconded by Paul and carried. The minutes from the April meeting were approved upon a motion by Harris, seconded by Lee and carried.

Lewis presented the finance report for the month of April, which reflected \$3062.89 in revenues, and expenses of \$9819.38. Total funds were reported at \$295,825.87. A motion to approve the finance report for April as presented was made by Paul, seconded by Harris and carried.

**Old Business**

A motion was requested by Lewis to confirm a text approval that was received from the Council on April 15 for the purchase of new blinds for the windows in Town Hall for at a cost of \$2023.98. A motion to confirm was made by Poole, seconded by Harris and carried.

A motion was requested by Lewis to confirm a text approval that was received from the Council on April 15 for getting the Town Hall building treated for pest control by Eastline Pest control, which will be continued on a quarterly schedule at a cost of \$135 per visit. A motion to confirm was made by Lee, seconded by Paul and carried.

Mayor Newman shared that he had checked around Town and that there were 6 street signs and poles that needed to be replaced. A motion to approve the replacement of the signs was made by Poole, seconded by Paul and carried.

**New Business**

Lewis shared with the Council that there would be new compliance requirements for municipal websites going into effect in 2028. The Town's current site does not meet the new requirements, and changes will need to be made. Lewis said that he had reached out to the

same developer that did the website for the County government for additional information, particularly the cost for a new website that would be compliant.

During the public comment period, Grantsboro/Silverhill VFD Chief Todd McFadden informed the Council that some new Town banners and hardware are needed, both regular banners and Christmas banners. Heavier duty brackets are also needed. After some discussion, a motion to purchase 4 bracket sets, 8 regular banners, and 8 Christmas banners was made by Poole, seconded by Harris and carried.

Following the comment period, the meeting was adjourned on a motion by Harris, seconded by Paul and carried.

The next regular meeting of the Town Council and a Public Budget Hearing is scheduled for June 2, 2026.

Respectfully submitted,

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Tom Newman, Mayor

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Ray Lewis, Clerk