

Special Called Meeting
Town of Cooleemee
November 06, 2017 6:00 pm
Minutes

In attendance were Mayor Steve Corriher, Commissioners: Jessica Almond, Daphne Beck, KC Smith, Andy Reavis and Town Clerk John Chandler and Attorney Jeff Morris

Mayor Steve Corriher called the meeting to order.
He said the reason for this called meeting was to discuss the Tree Trimming Contract, and the process of getting quotes or bids on this work.

The attorney was invited to the meeting tonight to steer the Board legally in this process.

Attorney, Jeff Morris told the board that there was an informal bid that has a \$30,000.00 threshold and for criminal law there is a \$40,000.00 threshold. He went on to say it is not proper for a board member who, who is bidding on the work, to outline the scope of work or taking the bids. This process would have to turned over to a third party person who has not interest in bidding.

The Mayor said he knew board member Andy Reavis would do a great job on the tree trimming but the Mayor was against a board member doing the work. Mayor Corriher wanted to inform the board and public that this job has not been awarded to anyone at this time. He made this statement to ward off rumors and gossip.

The attorney said to move forward, the bidding process would have to start over without the involvement of a board member who was interested in bidding.

Motion to adjourn by Commissioner Almond
Seconded by Commissioner Reavis
Vote was unanimous

Meeting duration: 36 minutes

Mayor, Steve Corriher

Clerk, John Chandler