

**CITY COUNCIL
AGENDA
October 13, 2020
6:30 p.m.**

- 1. Opening of meeting by Mayor Steve Morris.**
- 2. Invocation by Mayor Steve Morris.**
- 3. Amendments and Changes to Agenda.**
- 4. Consent Agenda:**
 - A. Disposition of Minutes of the September 8, 2020 Regular Meeting.**
 - B. Tax Collector's Report. (See Pages 4-11)**

Informational Items:

 - 1.) Monthly Collection Report**
 - 2.) Uncollected Taxes as of September 30, 2020**

Action Items:

 - 1.) Refunds per County Assessor's Office.**
 - 2.) Discovery bills added to Tax Scroll.**
 - 3.) Releases per County Assessor's Office.**
- 5. Business by Planning Board.**
 - A. Set Public Hearings. (None)**
 - B. Hold Public Hearings: (None)**
 - C. Minutes from Various Boards. (None)**

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- 6. Presentation by Chief Billy Kelly to Officer James Hooks for Medal of Valor.**
- 7. Business by Visitors.**
- 8. Business by City Clerk.**
- 9. Business by City Manager.**
- 10. Business by City Attorney.**
- 11. Items of discussion by City Council Members.**
- 12. Business by Mayor**
 - A. Recognition of Proclamation October designated as Observance of Alzheimer's. (See Page 12)**
- 13. Adjournment.**

Rockingham, NC

City Council Agenda

SUPPORT DOCUMENTS

CITY OF ROCKINGHAM
MONTHLY TAX COLLECTION REPORT

MONTH: SEPTEMBER YEAR: 2020

		PRIOR YEAR RECORD						
YEAR	AD VALOREM TAXES	COST AND INTEREST	TOTAL COLLECTED	PERCENT THIS DATE	YEAR TO DATE COLLECTIONS	SAME MONTH COLLECTIONS	PERCENT OF TOTAL	
PREPAID 2021	160.91		160.91		1,316.62	94.66		
2020	316,486.43	-	316,486.43	29.63%	1,051,655.82	265,267.37	27.88%	
2019	1,475.79	104.46	1,580.25	99+%	6,399.14	1,598.82	99+%	
2018	7.31	12.05	19.36	99+%	123.84	1,203.80	99+%	
2017	149.33	49.07	198.40	99+%	387.00	148.55	99+%	
2016	-	-	-	99+%	169.86	123.49	99+%	
2015	13.30	37.27	50.57	99+%	25.89	76.04	99+%	
2014	39.14	0.29	39.43	99+%	137.45	-	99+%	
2013	-	-	-	99+%	-	-	99+%	
2012	-	-	-	99+%	-	-	99+%	
2011	-	-	-	99+%	-	-	99+%	
2010	82.10	41.90	124.00	99+%	172.85	-	99+%	
	318,414.31	245.04	318,659.35		1,060,388.47	268,512.73		

UNCOLLECTED TAXES

YEAR	AMOUNT	Sep-20
2020	2,541,249.84	
2019	13,858.31	
2018	9,784.05	
2017	8,705.80	
2016	7,057.60	
2015	7,512.18	
2014	7,403.43	
2013	8,821.76	
2012	6,621.68	
2011	6,258.94	
2010	5,379.02	
	2,541,249.84	Total Current Year
	81,402.77	Total Past Years
	2,622,652.61	Total All Years

CITY OF ROCKINGHAM
MONTHLY DISCOVERIES REGISTER
SEPTEMBER 30, 2020

ACCT #	NAME	BILL #	TAX RATE	YEAR OF DISCOVERY	DESCRIPTION	VALUE	CITY TAX	CITY LATE	INTEREST	TOTAL AMOUNT
	STATE BOARD(SEE LIST ATTACHED)		0.58	2020	STATE BOARD	24,424,746	141,663.52			141,663.52
										0.00
										0.00
										0.00
6										0.00
										0.00
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	TOTALS					24,424,746	141,663.52	0.00	0.00	\$141,663.52

N.C. DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE
PROPERTY TAX DIVISION
P.O. BOX 871, RALEIGH, N.C. 27602
CERTIFICATION TO MUNICIPALITIES

2020

Date: September 09, 2020

CITY CLERK
CITY OF ROCKINGHAM
514 ROCKINGHAM RD
ROCKINGHAM, NC 28379

Attention Town Clerk: Please forward a copy of this certification to your finance department for the processing of the annual TR-2 form.

The following is an official statement to the above named municipality for the appraised valuations of Railroad, Pipeline, Gas, Electric Power, Electric Membership, Telephone, Telegraph companies; and the rolling stock of Bus Line and Motor Freight Carrier Companies; and the flight equipment of Airline Companies for the year 2020 pursuant to Article 23, Subchapter 105 of the General Statutes of North Carolina as revised through Session Laws of 2019. The values listed below under "Equalized System Value" have been adjusted where appropriate for a sales ratio study analysis.

Name of Taxpayer	Total 100% System Value	Equalized System Value	Non-System Value	Total Value (Bill this
X AT&T COMMUNICATIONS	315	315	0	\$0 - LESS THAN \$500
25 AT&T MOBILITY LLC	242,121	242,121	1404.30	242,121
10 BELL SOUTH TEL CO, LLC DBA AT&T NORTH CAROLINA	2,004,204	2,004,204	11,624.38	2,004,204
26 CELLCO PARTNERSHIP dba VERIZON WIRELESS	705,253	705,253	4,090.47	705,253
27 CENTURY LINK COMMUNICATIONS, LLC	44,302	44,302	256.95	44,302
34 CROWN CASTLE USA, INC.	103,888	103,888	602.55	103,888

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4✓ CSX TRANSPORTATION	775,661	775,661	4,498.83	775,661
3✓ DUKE ENERGY PROGRESS, INC.	12,019,524	12,019,524	69,713.24	12,019,524
22✓ DUKENET COMMUNICATIONS LLC <u>Value is under appeal</u>	96,382	96,382	559.02	96,382
36✓ GREYHOUND LINES INC	663	663	3.85	663
6✓ HOLIDAY TOURS INC	8,518	8,518	49.40	8,518
19✓ MCI COMMUNICATION SERVICES INC	9,602	9,602	55.69	9,602
35✓ MCI METRO ACCESS TRANS SERV INC	3,020	3,020	17.52	3,020
7✓ NC ELECTRIC MEMB CORP	38,904	38,904	225.64	38,904
9✓ PEE DEE EMC	29,167	29,167	169.17	29,167
8✓ PIEDMONT NATURAL GAS CO INC	7,299,026	7,299,026	42,334.35	7,299,026
28✓ SBA COMMUNICATION CORPORATION, LLC	72,127	72,127	418.34	72,127

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37 ✓ SOUTH CAROLINA TELECOMMUNICATIONS GROUP HOLDINGS	804	804	466	804
38 ✓ SPECTRUM ADVANCED SERVICES LLC	287,670	287,670	1,668.49	287,670
30 ✓ SPOK, INC. (F/K/A/ USA MOBILITY WIRELESS, INC.)	685	685	399	685
11 ✓ SPRINT COMMUNICATIONS CO	2,087	2,087	12.10	2,087
31 ✓ SPRINT WIRELESS	198,905	198,905	1,153.65	198,905
32 ✓ TIME WARNER CABLE BUSINESS LLC	342,355	342,355	1,985.66	342,355
39 ✓ T-MOBILE SOUTH, LLC	139,878	139,878	811.29	139,878
X TROLLYS INC dba SUNWAY CHARTERS	48	48	0	\$0 - LESS THAN \$500

Municipality Totals:	<u>24,425,109</u>	<u>24,425,109</u>	141,663.50	<u>24,424,746</u>
			Under \$5.00 - not billed	12.48
			<u>141,651.04</u>	



PROCLAMATION HONORING OCTOBER AS ALZHEIMER'S AWARENESS MONTH

In recognition of the more than five million Americans living with Alzheimer's disease and related dementias, 180,000 of whom live in our State of North Carolina.

WHEREAS, Alzheimer's is a disease that currently can't be prevented, slowed or cured; and

WHEREAS, every 66 seconds someone in the United States develops Alzheimer's, which could result in an estimated 210,000 North Carolina residents living with the disease by 2025, 16.7% increase; and

WHEREAS, Alzheimer's disease is the 6th leading cause of death in North Carolina, and kills more people nationwide than breast and prostate cancer combined; and

WHEREAS, the total cost in 2020 of caring for those in the United States with Alzheimer's disease and other dementias is estimated at \$305 billion. By 2050, these costs could rise as high as \$1.1 trillion; and

WHEREAS, Medicare and Medicaid are expected to cover \$206 billion or 67% of the total health care and long-term care payments for people with Alzheimer's or other dementias, representing a significant financial commitment from federal agencies and the taxpayers who fund them; and

WHEREAS, despite the contributions to coverage made by Medicare and Medicaid, individual out-of-pocket spending is expected to reach \$66 billion or 22% of total payments this year, a staggering financial responsibility for those afflicted and their family caregivers; and

WHEREAS, family caregivers provide approximately 18.6 billion unpaid hours of care, with 35% of dementia caregivers reporting that their own health has gotten worse due to care responsibilities; and

WHEREAS, it is imperative that there be greater public awareness of this serious public health crisis.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mayor M. Steven Morris, do hereby proclaim October 2020 as
ALZHEIMER'S AWARENESS MONTH in the City of Rockingham,**

and encourage all our residents to learn more about Alzheimer's disease, the impact on those affected, and how the adoption of healthy lifestyle habits may reduce the risk of cognitive decline. The downtown water fountain will be lite in the color purple in honor and memory of those living with Alzheimer's disease for the month of October.

Adopted this _____ date of October, 2020

Sabrina Y. McDonald, City Clerk
City of Rockingham

M. Steven Morris, Mayor
City of Rockingham

**DEPARTMENTAL
ACTIVITY REPORTS
for
COUNCIL'S INFORMATION**



W.D. Kelly, Chief of Police

To: Monty Crump

WDK
From: W. D. Kelly
Chief of Police

Date: October 1, 2020

Ref: September Activity Report

On behalf of the Rockingham Police Department, I am pleased to submit this report for your consideration. The following activities have been undertaken by officers of the Rockingham Police Department.

Total Calls for the Month: 1416
Public Service Calls - INCLUDES 509
Alarms, Unlocks and Battery Boosts)

Charges Generating Arrest:
Felonies: 28
Misdemeanors: 48
Drug Violations: 03
Juvenile: 09
Warrants Served: 88
Citations: 18

Accidents Reported/Investigated:
Property Damage only: 54
Personal Injury: 02

Officer Hours Spent in Court: 18
Officer Training Hours Logged 88

Items of interest:

The Chief and the Rockingham Police Department would like to recognize James Hooks, IV for his outstanding bravery on July 2, 2020 after confronting an armed individual.





FIRE CHIEF
HAROLD ISLER
ADMIN. ASST.
KRISTY PLAYER

SEPTEMBER

We are pleased to submit the monthly fire report on the activities undertaken by the Rockingham Fire Department during the month of September 2020.

Total Alarms:	<u>36</u>	In Town:	<u>35</u>	Out of Town:	<u>1</u>
Turn In Alarms:	<u>0</u>	Silent Alarms:	<u>36</u>	Structure fire:	<u>0</u>
Wrecks:	<u>8</u>	Alarm Malf:	<u>14</u>	Good Intent:	<u>1</u>
Service Call:	<u>4</u>	Assist Police:	<u>0</u>	Trash/outside fire:	<u>4</u>
Power line down:	<u>1</u>	Assist Ems:	<u>1</u>	Unauthorized burn:	<u>0</u>
Smoke scare:	<u>0</u>	Building Collaspe:	<u>0</u>	Vehicle fire:	<u>2</u>
Electrical:	<u>0</u>	Cooking:	<u>0</u>	Gas Leak:	<u>1</u>

Hours Spent on Calls: 6 hours 12 minutes

Total Property Exposed to Fire:	<u>\$1,250.00</u>
Total Property Damaged by Fire:	<u><u>\$1,250.00</u></u>
Total Property Saved:	<u>\$0.00</u>

During the month of September members of the fire department averaged 23 training hours per person; part-paid members averaged 5 hours per person for the month.

Respectfully Submitted,

**Harold Isler
Fire Chief**