The Richlands Town Council held a "Workshop" on August 25th, 2022, in the Richlands Council Chambers at 6:00 pm with the following present:

Mayor: Rod D. Cury

Town Manager: John O'Daniel
Town Clerk: Rebekah Hackworth

Council Members: Doug Ratliff, Jeff Hurst, Rick Woods, Kristen Thompson-Whitt, Seth White, and Laura Mollo.

Town Attorney: Michael Thomas

Mayor Cury opened the meeting.

Laura Mollo gave the invocation.

Mayor Cury led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mayor Cury- The only thing on our agenda for tonight is an Executive/Closed Session by VA Code 2.2-3711 (A)(1) regarding a Personal Matter.

Is there a motion to go into Closed Session?

Rick-I make a motion to go into Executive/Closed Session by VA Code 2.2-3711 (A)(1). Jeff seconded the motion.

Mayor Cury- We have a motion and a second, any further discussion? All those in favor of the motion say yes. All those that oppose say no. Roll Call- Doug- Yes, Jeff- Yes, Rick- Yes, Kristen- Yes, Seth- Yes, Laura- Yes. Motion carries -6/0.

Mayor Cury- We are back in regular session. I will entertain a motion to return to regular session.

Laura- I make a motion to return to regular session. Jeff seconded the motion.

Mayor Cury- We have a motion and a second, any further discussion? All those in favor of the motion say yes. All those that oppose say no. Roll Call- Doug- Yes, Jeff- Yes, Rick- Yes, Kristen- Yes, Seth- Yes, Laura- Yes. Motion carries -6/0.

Mayor Cury- Thank you. Next, I would ask council to make a motion to certify that the entirety of the conversation was precisely to observe the Executive/Closed Session Pursuant to Virginia Code section 2.2-3711(A)(1) -Personnel. In doing so you are certifying that nothing was discussed other than the business at hand. Is there a motion for that?

Jeff- I make a motion that nothing was discussed except for the business at hand. Rick seconded the motion.

Mayor Cury- We have a motion and a second, any further discussion? All those in favor of the motion say yes. All those that oppose say no. Roll Call- Doug- Yes, Jeff- Yes, Rick- Yes, Kristen- Yes, Seth- Yes, Laura- Yes. Motion carries -6/0.

Mayor Cury- We will recess until 5:30 on Monday, August 29th.

Rodney D. Cury, Mayor