



# TOWN COUNCIL MINUTES

## LEGISLATIVE HEARING

**June 5, 2023 @ 5:00 p.m.**

The Kure Beach Town Council held a Legislative Hearing on Monday, June 5, 2023 at 5:00 pm. The Town Attorney was present and there was a quorum of Council members present.

### COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT

Mayor Craig Bloszinsky  
MPT Allen Oliver  
Commissioner David Heglar

### COUNCIL MEMBERS ABSENT

Commissioner Dennis Pancali  
Commissioner John Ellen

### STAFF PRESENT

Town Clerk – Mandy Sanders  
Deputy Town Clerk – Beth Chase  
Financial Officer – Arlen Copenhaver  
Recreation Director – Nikki Keely  
Fire Chief – Ed Kennedy

Mayor Bloszinsky called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m. stating the purpose of this Legislative Hearing is to receive public comments on the proposed budget for Fiscal Year 2023-2024.

Official notice of this Legislative Hearing was posted on the Town's website and bulletin board on May 16, 2023 and was advertised in the Star News on May 24, 2023 and May 31, 2023, thus meeting notification requirements.

The proposed budget includes the following highlights:

1. No proposed property tax rate increase
2. No increase in monthly Storm Water fees
3. 20% rate tier increase for Water/Sewer Rates
4. Addition of two full-time employee in Fire Department
5. Employee Compensation
  - COLA: 8.7%
  - Merit: 1.3%

MOTION- MPT Oliver made a motion to excuse Commissioner Ellen and Commissioner Pancali from the hearing

SECOND- Commissioner Heglar

VOTE- Unanimous

Mayor Bloszinsky opened the Legislative Hearing at 5:00 p.m.



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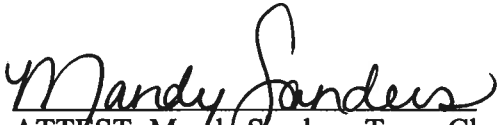
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No comments were received.

**MOTION-** Commissioner Heglar made a motion to close the Legislative Hearing at 5:05 p.m.

**SECOND-** MPT Oliver

**VOTE-** Unanimous

  
ATTEST: Mandy Sanders, Town Clerk

  
Craig Bloszinsky, Mayor

**NOTE:** These are action minutes reflecting items considered and actions taken by Council. These minutes are not a transcript of the meeting. A recording of the meeting is available on the town's website under government>council.