

**MINUTES OF THE HOWEY-IN-THE-HILLS TOWN COUNCIL SPECIAL SESSION  
INTERVIEW OF PUBLIC SERVICE SUPERVISOR APPLICANTS  
HELD OCTOBER 1, 2015**

**Mayor** Sears called the Town Council Special Session of October 1, 2015 to order at 5:30 p.m.

Present: Mayor Sears, Councilor Nebel, Councilor Conroy and Councilor Mabry.

Also Present: Town Clerk Brasher

**NEW BUSINESS**

**Interview Public Services Supervisor Applicants**

Shane Wambles

The Town Council interviewed Mr. Wambles for the position. The following items were discussed:

- Qualifications – Water distribution, lift stations and aspects of maintenance with regards to water, wastewater and general maintenance such as lawn mowers, building maintenance, etc.
- Why you want to work for the Town – He has been working in the Town with URE and he would enjoy working for the Town.
- Education – High School

The Town Council thanked Mr. Wambles for coming in for the interview.

John Ernest

The Town Council interviewed Mr. Ernest for the position. The following items were discussed:

- Qualifications – In construction for 40 years and knows all aspects of construction and maintenance.
- Why do you want to work for the Town – He has been volunteering his services to the Town for a few months and he wants to get the Town in working order.

The Town Council thanked Mr. Ernest for coming in for the interview.

Christopher Groves

The Town Council interviewed Mr. Groves for the position. The following items were discussed:

- Qualifications – Distribution Level 3 and waiting to take the test for his water license, meter reading and all aspects of utility maintenance and building maintenance. He also has a lawn service with a partner on the side.
- Why do you want to work for the Town – He said he is interested in learning all aspects of the Supervisor position and is not afraid of hard work.

The Town Council thanked Mr. Groves for coming in for the interview.

A lengthy discussion ensued.

*It was the consensus of the Town Council to hire John Ernest as the Public Services Supervisor. It was also the consensus to hire Christopher Groves as the next in command so he can learn the aspects of Public Services. He would be in charge when Mr. Ernest was away and would be ready to fill in when Mr. Ernest decided to retire.*

There were no Public Comments.

The meeting adjourned at 7:03 p.m.



Chris Sears, Mayor

ATTEST:



Brenda Brasher, MMC  
Town Clerk