The Lyerly Town Council met for their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, November 16, 2021 at Lyerly Town Hall. Those in attendance were:

Mayor Jim Ferguson Phil Brooks Juanita Baker Shirley Davis

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The meeting was called to order by Mayor Ferguson at 7:05 pm.

## **New Business:**

Juanita Baker said that she is going to be out of town the second Tuesday of next month so she would like for us to have the Christmas Party on the first Tuesday so she can be here. Mayor Ferguson said that would be December 7<sup>th</sup>. Juanita Baker said that her daughter is having her hand operated on so she will not be here. Mayor Ferguson asked everyone if that was okay with them. Phil Brooks and Shirley Davis said that it would be fine. Mayor Ferguson said that it will be on Tuesday, December 7<sup>th</sup>. Shirley Davis asked if it would be at the community center. Mayor Ferguson said yes. Sally Kerce asked if we will go ahead and have the regular meeting that night also. Mayor Ferguson said yes. Mayor Ferguson then asked if Sally will just have it catered. Sally Kerce asked the council if they would like traditional Christmas food or something different like wings or spaghetti or something. Everyone said that traditional would be fine. Sally Kerce said that she would just order form the Willow Tree. Mayor Ferguson said that the guy that owns BJ's wants to pay for the dinner.

Juanita Baker asked if everyone has seen all of the truck tires behind that building. Mayor Ferguson said yes. Juanita Baker said that she thought that was against the law. Phil Brooks said that he thinks it is something environmental. Mayor Ferguson said that we can call the EPA for the 50<sup>th</sup> time.

Phil Brooks asked if the Christmas party would be at 7:00. Mayor Ferguson said that we will have the meeting at 7:00 and then go over there. Sally Kerce asked if everyone wants to do presents again or no. Mayor Ferguson said that we should do dirty Santa again. Everyone agreed.

Mayor Ferguson said that he will have the budget for everyone at the next meeting. He said that everything big for next year has already been discussed at some point so there shouldn't be any surprises. Closing in the back of Town Hall and the dressing up of the outside of the Ragland building are the two biggest things. Juanita Baker asked about the city limit signs. She said that she loves the ones we have here at city hall and at the community center. Mayor Ferguson said that kind of got shoved to the back. Juanita Baker asked for him to please find out about them, if we can afford them. Mayor Ferguson said that he has a good idea of what it will cost. He said he thinks we can afford them. They are just so much more expensive to put them on the side of the highway like that. They have to be breakaway and all of that.

Juanita Baker asked about the cameras in the park. She asked if we ever got the ones that will show the tag numbers when they go down the road. Mayor Ferguson said that they can't get the cameras. They have been ordered and now we are just waiting. Juanita Baker said that she just knew

that nothing else has been said about them. Mayor Ferguson said that you can't drive a truck into California that is more than three years old and that's why we don't have cameras. So there are not
enough trucks that are that new to go into the ports and get the containers and bring us our stuff. They all discussed how the price of everything has gone up.
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Meeting was adjourned at 7:13 pm.		
Mayor	Town Clerk	