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3 **Minutes of the New Market**
4 **Special Called Meeting**
5 **of the New Market Town Council/Public Hearing on FY 18-19 Proposed Budget**
6 **Monday, May 14, 2018**
7 **6:30 pm**

8 The New Market Town Council met in the Council Chambers of the Arthur L.
9 Hildreth, Jr. Municipal Building on Monday, May 14, 2018 with the following members
10 present: Mayor Douglas Bradley, Peter Hughes, Scott Wymer, Gary Comer, John
11 Blosser, Tim Palmer and Peggy Harkness.


12 Town Manager – J. Todd Walters
13 Town Treasurer – Teresa Green
14 Administrative Assistant – Donna Lohr
15 Visitors and Press – See Attached Sheet
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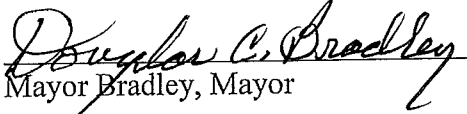
17 Mayor Bradley called the meeting to order and established a quorum. The pledge
18 of allegiance was recited in unison. Mayor Bradley stated that the purpose of the special
19 called meeting was a public hearing as required by Virginia State code Section 15.2 –
20 2506 to receive public comment on the proposed Fiscal Year 2018-19 Annual Budget.

21 Mr. Walters gave a brief power point presentation noting some of the capital
22 improvement projects listed in the proposed budget as well as some fee increases. The
23 total budget for FY 18-19 for the Town of New Market is \$4,049,206. A copy of Mr.
24 Walter’s power point presentation is on file.

25 At 6:45 p.m., Mayor Bradley opened the floor for public comments. No
26 comments were made by citizens. Mrs. Harkness commented that she liked the Capital
27 Improvement items that were included in the budget and she hopes they will all be
28 completed during the fiscal year. She commented that she also liked that “other
29 initiatives” had been included as line items in the proposed budget, particularly the line
30 item for a technology fund. Mr. Hughes congratulated Mr. Walters on completing his
31 first budget as Town Manager of New Market. He also commended staff for their work
32 on the budget. Mayor Bradley thanked staff for their work during the budget process.

33 **Mr. Comer made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:45 p.m. Mr. Palmer**
34 **seconded the motion which passed on a unanimous 6-0 voice vote.**

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39 J. Todd Walters, Town Clerk
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Mayor Bradley, Mayor