

CITY OF SALISBURY
WORK SESSION
JANUARY 14, 2019

Public Officials Present

Council President John R. "Jack" Heath
Council Vice President Muir Boda
Councilwoman April Jackson

Mayor Jacob R. Day
Councilman James Ireton, Jr.
Councilman R. Hardy Rudasill

In Attendance

City Administrator Julia Glanz, City Clerk Kim Nichols, City Attorney Mark Tilghman, interested citizens and members of the press.

On January 14, 2019, Salisbury City Council convened in a Work Session at 7:25 p.m. in Council Chambers, Room 301 of the Government Office Building following the regularly scheduled Legislative Session.

Resolution accepting ice skating rink, supplies and funds from Pohanka of Salisbury, Inc.

City Administrator Julia Glanz explained to Council that Pohanka of Salisbury, Inc. has offered to make a \$100,000 donation to the City for the naming rights of the Riverwalk Amphitheater. The naming rights will last to perpetuity. Part of their contribution includes the ice skating rink and related equipment, valued at \$26,000. The rest of the donation will be paid over three years directly to the City.


Councilman Ireton asked how Pohanka was selected and if more signage was coming on Rt. 13, how they would impact the entrance and exit in the front of the hotel. He also asked if there would be a process in which other companies could participate in the same manner. Mayor Day said several companies were approached, and none came close to the level of support offered by Pohanka of Salisbury, Inc. Mayor Day added that it was probably better left informal and rare, unless another venue was being created for music or profit generating. The only additional signage that has been discussed within the City was something right at the corner of the hotel entrance, which could be a digital sign advertising events at the amphitheater.

Council reached unanimous consensus to accept the donation to legislative agenda.

There being no further business to discuss, the Work Session adjourned at 7:34 p.m.



City Clerk



Council President