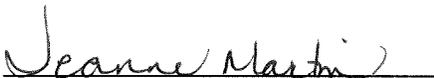
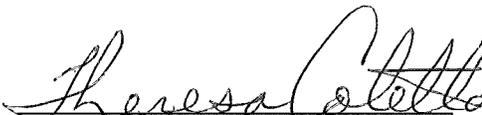


**BURNSVILLE TOWN COUNCIL**  
**Special Organizational Meeting**  
**Monday, November 30, 2015**

The Town Council, with members Mayor Theresa Coletta, Ruth Banks, Judy Buchanan, and Ron Powell present, held a special meeting on Monday, November 30, 2015, at the Town Hall. Also in attendance were Councilor-elect Shannon Peterson; town staff members Brandon Buchanan, Leslie Crowder, Chad Fox, Anthony Hensley, Jackie Hensley, Kim Johnson, and Jeanne Martin, as well as many visitors, including Yancey County Clerk of Superior Court Tammy R. McEntyre; and Planning Board Chairman Dean Gates. Mayor Coletta, who presided, called the meeting to order, stating that the purpose of the meeting was to organize the Town Council subsequent to the municipality's recent election.

- Oaths of Office for Councilors-Elect – Yancey County Clerk of Superior Court Tammy R. McEntyre administered oaths of office to re-elected Town Councilor Judy Buchanan and newly-elected Councilor Shannon Peterson. After being sworn in, Councilors Buchanan and Peterson were seated with Mayor Coletta and Council members Ruth Banks and Ron Powell.
- Election of Mayor pro tempore – Theresa Coletta made a motion to appoint Judy Buchanan as mayor pro tempore. Ruth Banks seconded the motion, which carried. Mrs. Buchanan was sworn in office as mayor pro tempore by Tammy McEntyre.
- Establishment of Regular Meeting Schedule – It was confirmed that the current schedule for regular meetings, which are held the first Thursday of each month at the Burnsville Town Center at 6:00 p.m., would be adhered to. Council was asked to be prepared to discuss a meeting schedule for monthly work sessions at the regular Council meeting later this week.
- There being no further business, Ron Powell moved to adjourn the meeting, and the motion carried. A reception was then held in honor of the newly seated Town Councilors.

  
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Jeanne Martin, Town Clerk

  
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Theresa Coletta, Mayor