

**MINUTES OF TOWN COUNCIL WORKSESSION  
TOWN OF SNOWFLAKE  
HELD 10/26/2021**

**1. CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL at 7:00pm: Kerry Ballard, Bob Flake, Lynn Johnson, Byron Lewis, Greg Brimhall; Staff: Brian Richards, Joseph Jarvis, Katie Melser**

**2. DISCUSSION ITEMS**

**A. PROJECT PLANNING**

-The town has received \$2 million of ARPA funds and is hoping to get additional ARPA funds that Navajo County is sharing with communities in the county. There are restrictions on what the funds can be used for, but the town would like to focus on water/sewer infrastructure to help encourage growth in certain areas. The council expressed appreciation to staff for attempting to plan for the future growth in the community using this money that has to be used in such specific ways.

-Town staff will be working on clearing out around the bridge on Concho Hwy near 1<sup>st</sup> East and hopes it will help mitigate some flooding issues. Mayor Johnson feels that the clean out at the bridge is a worthwhile project and hopes to continue working to solve the flooding issues.

-Several other grants/funding opportunities have been applied for to help with smaller projects, including the Belly Button sidewalk, hopefully they'll come through.

**B. TOWN BUDGET**

-Town of Taylor started the process to raise sales tax. Brian would like for Snowflake to start the process as well and would like to put the notice of intent on the next council agenda. Council members need to decide what they want to tell their friends and neighbors about their reasons for helping it pass, or not.

**3. ADJOURNMENT at 8:32**