



TOWN OF

GRANITE FALLS

North Carolina

Dr. Caryl B. Burns Mayor • Mike Mackie Mayor Pro Tem • Daniel P. Cobb Town Manager
Council Members Ritch Bolick • Larry Knight • Jim Mackie • Martin D. Townsend • Tracy Townsend

Agenda

Budget Retreat

Friday, January 31, 2025

Western Piedmont Council of Governments

8:00 AM

OVERVIEW

8:00am – Call to Order – Mayor Dr. Caryl B. Burns

8:05am – Review Purpose & Expectations – Daniel Cobb / Anthony Starr

8:10am – Review Mission Statement – Anthony Starr

The Town of Granite Falls is committed to building community pride and to enhancing the quality of life for all citizens by providing timely, cost-effective services delivered honestly, professionally, and respectfully.

8:15am – Ground Rules & Responsibilities – Anthony Starr

UPDATES

8:20am – Departmental Presentations (10 minutes each)

- Human Resources
- Parks and Recreation
- Finance
- Electric
- Planning
- Fire
- Police
- Water Resources
- Public Works

10:00am – Break

FACILITATED DISCUSSION 10:15AM

- Identify Values
 - What are the core values of the Town that should be communicated to the public and employees?
- Goal Setting
 - What are the current or future concerns or challenges the Town should address?

- What goals should the Town consider for implementation over the next 2-3 years?
 - How do these goals align with the Town's values and Mission Statement?
- Priorities
 - Ranking and Discussion

Lunch - 12:00pm

12:30pm - Review Values, Goals, and Priorities

12:45pm - Brainstorming