## Minutes of the Town of Mooresville & Brown Township

## Proposed

## **Fire Territory**

The Council for the Town of Mooresville and the Brown Township Trustee and Advisory Board members held a public meeting at the Mooresville Government Center on March 20, 2025, at 6 PM.

Council members present were Councilman Warthen, Councilman Swinney, Councilman Cook, Councilman Brown, and Councilman Witt. The Town Attorney was not present.

Brown Township Trustee Mark Harris and Brown Township Advisory Board members William Snyder and Eric Roberts were also present.

Councilman Brown motioned to approve the public hearing minutes from March 6, 2025, which Brown Township board member Eric Roberts seconded. The motion carried 8-0.

Jeffrey Bellamy of Thrasher, Buschmann & Voelkel addressed the Town Council, Brown Township Trustee, and Advisory Board members. He clarified the process by explaining the distinction between a public meeting and a public hearing.

During the public meeting, the town council and brown township board members each provided comments and stated that they would vote "no" on the fire territory at this time.

Town Council President Tom Warthen called for a motion from the Town Council members only to proceed with the Fire Territory.

Councilman Cook motioned not to proceed with the Fire Territory, which Councilman Brown seconded.

A roll call vote was conducted regarding the proposed Fire Territory. All council members were a "NAY": Tom Warthen, Greg Swinney, Josh Brown, Kirk Witt, and Jeff Cook. The motion was carried 5-0.

Brown Advisory member Eric Roberts motioned to adjourn, which Brown Advisory member Billy Snyder seconded. The motion carried. 8-0.

Tom Warthen, Council President

Mark Harris, Brown Township Trustee

ATTEST:

Dianna L. Wamsley, Clerk-Treasurer