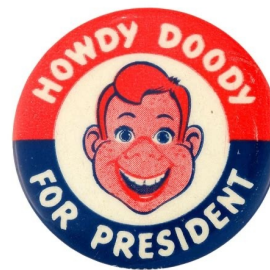


3 Minute Public Comment,
January 3, 2023

Howdy Doody!

My name is Monroe Miller,
a.k.a. The Pillsbury Dough Boy,
a.k.a “The Six Million Dollar Man”.



I'm going to run through a few items that are of current interest to Haywood County Taxpayers.

- A full page County Public Notice appeared in the weekend edition of the mountaineer in late December calling for a Public Hearing on a new Low Barrier Shelter, with David Francis's name splattered all throughout the notice. The Public Hearing scheduled for this morning was subsequently rescinded by the County. Has anyone been fired over this incident?
- The video of the December 19th county commission meeting never appeared as a streaming event, and has not yet appeared for taxpayers to review on the county website. Why not, and when or if will it ever be put up? I have started recording meetings on my audio recorder as a backup.
- Bryant Morehead was directed at the last county commission meeting to provide an update on the Recovery Court, but there is nothing on this agenda about any update. What is going on, and is the county holding this up?
- County Commissioners approved \$1,985,000 to Moseley Architects for architecture and engineering services for the proposed Detention Center (New Jail) last June. How is that money being spent?
- There has been research put out on a local website, HaywoodHappenings.org about the Asheville Chamber of Commerce is paid by Haywood County to promote our Economic Development. Haywood County is pouring a lot of money for years into the Chamber of Commerce and the Haywood Economic Development Council. What are Haywood County Taxpayers getting in return for this expenditure?
- What is "Eagle View" and/or "Oblique Photographs"? This Request for Public Information from Stephanie Parkins, Director of Land Records / Geographic Information Services has been ignored. In fact, Stephanie Parkins is now lawyered up, and turned her request over to Frank Queen, who is a black hole.

- The Town of Waynesville is suing Sherri Rogers, Haywood County Register of Deeds. Will this be handled the same way the School Board, where Pat Smathers represents only the School Board members, and Trevor Putnam has to secure his own lawyer? Will Frank Queen represent Sherri Rogers? I have yet to hear. The Sheriff's Department has their own lawyer on staff. Will Sherri and our new Tax Collector have to hire their own staff lawyers, as the Sheriff does?

I appreciate your allowing time for me to express my concerns. Thank you.

