

## **Town of Yorktown**

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Ordinance 720 - Claims prior to council meeting

With the Redevelopment Commission instituting the façade grant program, we want to make sure that the commission can get bills paid in a timely manner and not hold up construction related to those projects. Normally the Redevelopment Commission would approve the claims and then the printed check would run during the same batch that the council approves, but this may be 15-20 days behind approval and cause construction delays.

The Commission will be responsible for reviewing construction costs related to the project and making the approval. Applications are due May 2<sup>nd</sup> and the Commission will meet with possible grant winners in May. Construction should start in late May and early June.

I would recommend introduction of Ordinance 720 this month with passage in May.