



Town of Summerton

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Minutes of Special Called Council Meeting January 5, 2021 at 6:00PM

Present: Mayor Mac Bagnal, Council Members: Mr. Bryan Rembert, Mr. Terrance Tindal, Mr. Walker Wells, Mrs. Regina Brown, Mr. Ritchie Way, Mr. Chalmers Stukes. Town Administrator Beth Phillips, Finance Director Amanda Salka, Chief Ray Perdue, Clerk Frances Feagin

Absent:

CALL TO ORDER – Mayor Bagnal called the meeting to order.

INVOCATION – Mr. Wells.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – All

APPROVAL OF AGENDA – Mayor Bagnal asked to amend the agenda to move Items #4A and #4B from under New Business to 1st executive session immediately after the approval of tonight's agenda and it will be taken out of the 2nd executive session. Mr. Rembert made a motion to approve the adjustment to the agenda along with the remaining portion of the agenda. Seconded by Mr. Wells, all agreed.

EXECUTIVE SESSION – Mr. Rembert made a motion to go into executive session. Seconded by Mr. Wells, all agreed. Mr. Rembert made a motion to come out of executive session. Seconded by Mrs. Brown, all agreed. Mr. Stukes recued himself and exited the Council Chambers.

Mr. Tindal made a motion to accept Water Systems, Inc proposal. Seconded by Mrs. Brown. Mr. Tindal and Mrs. Brown voted “yay”. Mr. Wells, Mr. Way and Mr. Rembert voted “nay”. The “nay” votes carried.

Mr. Rembert made a motion to accept Blackmon Labs proposal. Seconded by Mr. Wells. Mr. Wells, Mr. Rembert and Mr. Tindal voted “yay”. Mr. Tindal and Mrs. Brown voted “nay”. The votes of “yay” carried.

NEW BUSINESS

- c. Discussion of Committee Form Government – Mrs. Beth suggested to form committees with 2 Council Members and a Department head for each department.
- d. Appointment of Temporary Zoning Administrator – Tabled to the next meeting.



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e. Clean-up of Summerton (Zoning Violations) – Mr. Dickie Felder and Mr. Kerry McCumbee provided documentation and it will be presented at the next council meeting.

UPDATES FROM STAFF –

- a. Finance Director – Amanda didn't have anything.
- b. Clerk of Court/Water Clerk – Frances didn't have anything
- c. Chief of Police – Chief Perdue stated all equipment has been installed in the charger. Lt. Blanding is out due to testing positive for COVID. Chief stated that they have sanitized the Police Department fully, including the areas that Lt. Blanding had access to.
- d. Town Administrator – Mrs. Beth said that we sent off a check to the Clarendon County Sherriff's Department for the Victim's Fund, that we are continuing to do our part. She said that both wells are rotating, but Butler Electric needs to reset something simple in the next few days.

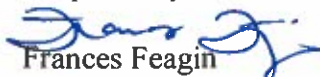
EXECUTIVE SESSION – Mr. Wells made a motion to enter executive session. Seconded by Mr. Way, all agreed.

Mrs. Brown made a motion to come out of executive session with no action taken. Seconded by Mrs. Rembert, all agreed.

UPON RETURNING TO OPEN SESSION, COUNCIL MAY TAKE ACTION ON MATTERS IN EXECUTIVE SESSION – Mr. Rembert made a motion to hire Mrs. Shavonda Jordan. Seconded by Mr. Tindal, all agreed.

ADJOURNMENT – Mr. Rembert made a motion to adjourn. Seconded by Mrs. Brown, all agreed. The meeting adjourned at 8:04PM.

Respectfully Submitted,


Frances Feagin
Clerk

