



Town of Summerton

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Minutes of Council Meeting April 7, 2021 at 6:00PM

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

Absent: Council Member: Mr. Ritchie Way

CALL TO ORDER – Mayor Bagnal called meeting to order.

INVOCATION – Mayor Bagnal

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – All

APPROVAL OF AGENDA – Amend the Agenda, under New Business A. and then I'm gonna add B. Mr. Dickie Felder are voting for someone to be on his council and to discuss a letter from the County. Under the way Old Business we will mention the hiring of a Customer Service Representative, Council has already been given permission to do that and it has already be done we are just going to get the Town Administrator acknowledge that. So if Council would, I would like for those to items to be B and C under New Business. Rembert made the motioned to set the changes to the current Agenda mentioned by the Mayor, seconded by Mrs. Brown. All in favor.

NEW BUSINESS –

a. Recognizing the month of April as Child Abuse Awareness Month – Mr. Tindal asked Council about doing a proclamation to be given to the Clarendon County Guardian Ad Litem's Office to celebrate the month of April each year as Child Abuse Awareness Month. He read the proclamation verbatim. Mr. Rembert made a motion to accept said proclamation as written. Seconded by Mrs. Brown, all agreed.

b. Planning Commission adding a member – Mr. Dickie Felder requested the approval of Mr. Rodney Boyd to the Planning Commission. This was presented by Mrs. Beth on behalf of Mr. Dickie, due to him being ill. Mrs. Brown made a motion to accept Mr. Rodney Boyd as part of the Planning Commission. Seconded by Mr. Tindal, all agreed.

c. Discussion of a letter to Clarendon County – Mrs. Beth said that Mr. Ted Felder said the Clarendon County submitted an application with South Carolina Rural Infrastructure Authority warning and needed a letter from the Town of Summerton on their part of the submission. She went into the logistics of what it would entail.



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OLD BUSINESS –

- a. Hiring of a Customer Service Representative – Amanda said that we have started accepting applications for this position. That we have reposted it in the paper and will be interview soon. Mrs. Beth also mentioned that we have brought Gwen Harvin in to enter the tickets while we are in the hiring process.

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


EXECUTIVE SESSION – Mr. Rembert made a motion to exit executive with no actions taken. Seconded by Mr. Wells, all agreed.

Mr. Rembert made a motion to hire Water Systems, Inc. to act as our operator for our Water and Wastewater systems, also to perform all lab work required by those systems and thirdly to act as our Public Works Coordinator at the rate agreed upon, effective May 1, 2020. Seconded by Mr. Tindal, all agreed.

Mr. Rembert made a motion that the town to agree to pay any and all legal fees for any employee as a result of something that happened that was associated with the water system in the past.

ADJOURNMENT – Mr. Rembert made a motion to adjourn. Seconded by Mr. Tindal, all agreed. The meeting adjourned at 7:47PM.

Respectfully Submitted,


Frances Feagin
Clerk

