City of Fountain Inn
Council Budget Workshop
May 7, 2020 - 6:00 PM - 200 N. Main Street, Council Chambers
Virtual Online Meeting via Zoom
The meeting was live streamed on the City’s Facebook page

The following members of City Council were in attendance: Mayor George Patrick (GP) McLeer, Mack Blackstone, Phil Clemmer, Anthony Cunningham, Anjeanette (AJ) Dearybury, John Mahony and Jay Thomason

Others Present: Shawn Bell, Roger Case, Eduardo Noriega, Naomi Reed, Sandra Woods

Due to COVID-19 guidelines, members of the public were not allowed to attend this meeting in person. The meeting was live streamed. Information concerning the live stream was posted on the city’s website. Members of the public had the ability to register in-advance to “attend” the virtual meeting.

Proclamations:

Mayor McLeer presented the following Proclamations:
International Firefighter’s Day
Municipal Clerks’ Week

Budget Review (Power Point attached)

Enterprise Funds:

Natural Gas

Finance Director, Naomi Reed reviewed the proposed budget for the Fountain Inn Natural Gas Fund with Council. Gas Manager, Eduardo Noriega was available to answer questions.

Sewer

Mrs. Reed reviewed the proposed budget for the Sewer Fund with Council. Public Works Director, Roger Case was available to answer questions.

Hospitality Tax Fund

Mrs. Reed reviewed the proposed budget for the Hospitality Tax Fund.
City Administrators Report

Upcoming Meetings:
May 14 – 6pm Regular Meeting (Zoom)
May 28 – 6pm Called meeting - Public Hearing and First Reading of the FY21 budget
June 4 – 6 pm Called meeting – Budget Work Session (if needed)
June 11 – 6 pm Regular meeting – Second Reading of the FY21 budget

Police Department roof construction has started

Emanuel Sullivan Sports complex sidewalk to McDonalds construction starting soon

Parade for Mason – Saturday at 3pm (Eagle Watch Subdivision)

Chamber 2nd annual Taste Inn May 21st

Farmers Market opening May 16th (Food/produce vendors only) Covid-19 guidelines are in place

Baseball/Softball season - May 18th practice will begin, and May 26th games will begin. The season will wrap up July 2nd.

We still do not have a date to open city facilities yet.

Mr. Bell wished a Happy Mother's Day to city employees.

Motion by Councilmember Dearybury, second by Councilmember Cunningham to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried unanimously 7/0.

Time: 7:00 pm

Sandra H. Woods, CMC
Municipal Clerk