



REPORT

CITY OF HARTSVILLE, SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNCIL COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT COMMITTEE
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2019 – 4:00 PM
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS – 100 EAST CAROLINA AVENUE

PURSUANT TO FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT SC CODE 30-4-80: WRITTEN NOTICE WAS DELIVERED TO THE PRESS BY EMAIL ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2019, AND DULY POSTED AT CITY HALL LOCATED AT 100 EAST CAROLINA AVENUE, AN ACCESSIBLE FACILITY.

Committee Members Present: Tre' Gammage, Chair and Johnny Andrews

Members of the Public Present: Guests from Coker Enactus and GSSM

Staff: Lauren Baker

Chair, Tre' Gammage called the meeting to order at 4:09 PM.

The Chair led discussion on the following:

a) Citi Bot Updates

Natalie and Lauren had a conference call with the CEO of SeeClickFix and our account manager. They discussed reasons that we were thinking about switching to Citi Bot. They have committed to exploring options similar to that of what Citi Bot can offer and will be in touch on their capabilities. After discussing with Coker and SCGSSM students, they agreed that a text interface would be simpler than what is currently offered with SeeClickFix.

b) GSSM Bike 2 the Future Visit

Students presented the ideas and proposals that they have to make the streets of Hartsville safer for both bike and foot traffic. They presented on the importance of connecting the streets, complete streets, traffic calming, and the safer routes to school initiative. The students plan to continue their pop up initiative with bike lanes in conjunction with bike races in the city.

c) Pocket Park Progress

Chair Gammage reported that the proposed Pocket Park properties are currently on hold with the Darlington County Forfeited Land Commission. We do not have an expected date on when to expect the process to continue moving. Coker Enactus Students are going to explore additions opportunities to allow them to continue with their projects before their April 1st Competition Deadline. The cemetery site was mentioned as being a possible alternative. Chair Gammage will be calling City Manager Zeigler to discuss options.

d) Next meeting: March 26, 2019, at 4:00 PM, in City Council Chambers

Chair Gammage adjourned the meeting at 5:15 PM.

This is our report and recommendations to the full Council.

Tre Gammage, Chair

Date