



MINUTES

CITY OF HARTSVILLE, SOUTH CAROLINA
REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 2020 - 5:30 PM
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS - 100 EAST CAROLINA AVENUE

Mayor/Council:

Mayor Pennington - Absent
Mayor Pro-Tem Andrews
Councilmember Braddock
Councilmember Caldwell
Councilmember Gammage
Councilmember Mack
Councilmember McGee

Executive Staff:

City Manager Moore
City Clerk Skipper
Community & Economic Dev Dir. Munoz
Finance Director Caulder
Fire Chief Burr
Tourism & Comm Director Baker
Public Service Director Slatton

Attorney - None

Press –

PURSUANT TO CITY OF HARTSVILLE EMERGENCY ORDINANCE 4403, DURING THE COVID-19 (CORONAVIRUS) PANDEMIC, THE CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS WILL BE OPEN AND MAINTAINING SOCIAL DISTANCING; FACE COVERINGS ARE MANDATORY. A YOUTUBE VIDEO WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE AT <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCyZJVNHT8NtgJrqpIYpde4w> THE NEXT BUSINESS DAY.

PUBLIC COMMENTS SUBMITTED TO city.clerk@hartsvillesc.gov BY NOON ON DAY OF THE MEETING WILL BE READ ALOUD FOR THE RECORD.

PURSUANT TO FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT SC CODE 30-4-80: WRITTEN NOTICE WAS DELIVERED TO THE PRESS BY EMAIL ON FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2020 AND DULY POSTED AT CITY HALL LOCATED AT 100 EAST CAROLINA AVENUE AND ON HARTSVILLES.COV. CITY HALL IS AN ACCESSIBLE FACILITY, FOR ASSISTANCE CALL 843-383-3018.

Mayor Pro-Tem Andrews called the meeting to order at 5:36pm and asked Councilmember Gammage to lead in the invocation and Pledge of Allegiance.

MOTION TO WAIVE READING OF AND APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE OCTOBER 13, 2020 REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING AND THE OCTOBER 20, 2020 AND OCTOBER 27, 2020 SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS - APPROVED.

Motion: Gammage; Second: Braddock; Carried: All ayes.

PRESENTATIONS

Proclamation for Lung Cancer awareness month was read and will be sent to the Lung Cancer organization.

Main Street SC presentation of Hartsville's National Main Street Accreditation - Jenny Boulware, Main Street SC Manager explained that Hartsville is one of four accredited Main Street programs in the

state. This accreditation made Hartsville eligible for an economic stabilization grant in the amount of \$3,500 for downtown signage. Mayor Pro-Tem Andrews stated that our former Main Street Director had a lot to do with the accreditation and the grant. Hartsville has a sense of home.

MANAGER UPDATE

1. Thanked all of Council for the 7 hours of strategic planning yesterday. This now will give us a vision and a strategic plan to be illustrated in our upcoming budget.
2. A mask ordinance will be on the December agenda. A new wave of cases are hitting now.

CONSENT AGENDA - Received as Information Only

NEW BUSINESS

RESOLUTION 11-20-01: APPROVAL TO AMEND THE CONTRACT WITH FIRE RECOVERY USA FOR FIRE SERVICE BILLING SERVICES; AND OTHER MATTERS RELATED THERETO – APPROVED.

Motion: Braddock; Second: Mack; Carried: All ayes.

FIRST READING ORDINANCE 4405: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE HARTSVILLE CITY CODE CHAPTER 66 “PLANNING” SECTION 66-29 “COMPREHENSIVE PLAN REQUIREMENTS” AND ADOPTING THE 2030 COMPREHENSIVE PLAN – APPROVED.

Motion: Caldwell; Second: Mack; Discussion: Nancy McGee, Planning Commission Chair, thanked Council and volunteers for the numerous meetings in compiling the 2030 Comprehensive Plan that will give us an overall guidance for the next 10 years. It is meant to be a living, breathing document. Unlike many cities, Hartsville did its plan on its own without a consultant. Mayor Pro-Tem Andrews thanked the Planning Commission, volunteers, and staff for the finished product. The Public Hearing on the 2030 Comprehensive Plan will be on January 12, 2021. Carried: All ayes.

FIRST READING ORDINANCE 4406: TO PROVIDE FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A FIRE LINE TAP FEE AND FOR THE AMENDMENT OF THE MASTER FEE SCHEDULE – APPROVED.

Motion: McGee; Second: Caldwell; Carried: All ayes.

Mayor Pro-Tem Andrews reminded everyone that tomorrow is Veterans Day and cleanup day at the Marion Avenue cemetery at 9:00am.

ADJOURNMENT: Without objection at 5:56pm.

Carl M. (Mel) Pennington IV, Mayor

ATTEST: _____
Sherron L. Skipper, City Clerk