### **MINUTES**



# CITY OF HARTSVILLE, SOUTH CAROLINA PUBLIC HEARINGS AND REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2019 - 5:30 PM COUNCIL CHAMBERS - 100 EAST CAROLINA AVENUE

### Mayor/Council:

Mayor Pennington
Mayor Pro-Tem Andrews
Councilmember Braddock
Councilmember Gammage
Councilmember Mack
Councilmember McGee
Councilmember Wilson
Attorney - None
Press

Executive Staff:
City Manager Zeigler
City Clerk Skipper
Public Service Director Slatton
Police Chief Thompson
Community & Economic Dev Dir. Munoz

PURSUANT TO FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT SC CODE 30-4-80: WRITTEN NOTICE WAS DELIVERED TO THE PRESS BY EMAIL ON FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2019 AND DULY POSTED AT CITY HALL LOCATED AT 100 EAST CAROLINA AVENUE; AN ACCESSIBLE FACILITY, AND ON HARTSVILLESC.GOV.

Mayor Pennington called the meeting to order at 5:35pm and asked Councilmember McGee to lead in the invocation and Pledge of Allegiance.

MOTION TO WAIVE READING OF AND APPROVE MINUTES OF OCTOBER 8, 2019 REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING AND OCTOBER 17, 2019 AND OCTOBER 24, 2019 SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS – APPROVED.

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

### **PRESENTATIONS**

Proclamation - International Baccalaureate Week — IB Coordinator Paula Alvarez and Principal Corey Lewis, stated that they are looking to make Hartsville High a better place as we provide a premier education for these kids. Present were: IB Teacher Ashley Burchfield and Students: Caroline Conner, Madilyn Johnson, Jacob Prozzi, Hannah Rudick, Ina Marie Sullivan, Logan Vlachoyannis, Marley Williams, and Kenneth Wingate, Jr.

Boy Scout Pack 523 Arrow of Light Den - Chandra Jeppson, Den Leader St. Luke – They recited the scout oath and law. Mayor Pennington presented them with a city badge.

# **MANAGER UPDATE**

New hires: Jason Privette introduced Jacob Heatherly, Jessica Dellinger, Cory Woodell, and Matt Mueller. Russ Slatton introduced Joseph Woodham, Pee Wee Carroway, and Joseph Britt.

City Manager explained that House Bill H4431 regarding business standardization would reduce our general fund revenue by 20% which is 2 million dollars of a 10 million dollar budget. Please communicate with our legislators.

CONSENT AGENDA - Received as Information Only

## **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

PUBLIC HEARING AND FINAL READING ORDINANCE 4376: AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF HARTSVILLE, SOUTH CAROLINA AMENDING AND RESTATING CHAPTER 58 "OFFENSES AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS", ARTICLE VI "MINORS", DIVISION 2 "CURFEW" OF THE CITY'S CODE OF ORDINANCES; AND OTHER MATTERS RELATED THERETO – APPROVED AS AMENDED.

Open/Close Public Hearing: No public input.

Approval of Final Reading and Waiving of Complete Reading: Motion: Andrews; Second: Mack; Motion to amend section 58.193(5) to read: "On the sidewalk directly abutting a place where he or she resides with a Parent." and section 58.194 (1) to read: "sent by certified mail by the police department to the Parent(s)", second: Mack; Motion to approved as amended: Andrews; second: Mack, Carried: as amended with all ayes.

Mayor Pennington welcomed Bryson Caldwell to the meeting and congratulated him on being elected.

### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

MOTION: TO ENTER EXECUTIVE SESSION PURSUANT TO SC CODE FOIA SECTION 30-4-70(a) (1) FOR DISCUSSION OF APPOINTMENTS TO VARIOUS BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, AND COMMITTEES. - APPROVED.

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

MOTION: TO VERIFY THAT ONLY THE ITEMS STATED IN THE MOTION TO ENTER EXECUTIVE SESSION WERE DISCUSSED DURING EXECUTIVE SESSION - APPROVED.

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

UPON RETURNING TO OPEN SESSION, COUNCIL MAY TAKE ACTION ON MATTERS DISCUSSED IN EXECUTIVE SESSION.

RESOLUTION 11-19-01: APPOINTMENT TO AIRPORT ADVISORY BOARD — APPROVED. Motion: Andrews to appoint Curry Dawkins; Second: Braddock; Carried: All ayes.

ADJOURNMENT: Without objection at 6:53pm.

Carl M. (Mel) Pennington IV, Mayor

ATTEST:

Sherron L. Skipper, City Clerk