

Minutes
Town of Yemassee Town Council
August 12, 2022, Special Town Council Meeting 3:00 PM
101 Town Cir, Yemassee, SC 29945-3363

Attendance:

Present: Mayor Colin Moore, Mayor Pro-Tem Peggy O'Banner, Council Member Stacy Pinckney, Council Member David Paul Murray, Town Clerk Matthew Garnes and Chief Gregory Alexander

Absent: Council Member Alfred Washington

Media Present: None

Call to Order:

Mayor Moore called the Friday August 12, 2022, Special Town Council Meeting to order at 3:00 PM.

Pledge of Allegiance & Invocation

Council Member Murray led the Pledge of Allegiance and Invocation.

Determination of Quorum:

Mayor Moore asked for a motion to approve the agenda as presented for August 12, 2022, Special Town Council Meeting as presented. Council Member Murray made the motion. There was no discussion. Second by Council Member Pinckney. **All in favor, Motion Passed, Agenda Adopted.**

Old Business:

Mayor Moore read Ordinance 22-13, An Ordinance to Provide for Execution of and to Put into Effect the Consolidated Budget Beginning September 1, 2022 and ending August 31, 2023; and to provide Budgetary Control of the Town's Fiscal Affairs. Mayor Moore opened a public hearing. Mr. Garnes answered questions asked by members of the public. Mayor Moore then closed the public hearing. Council Member Murray asked for clarification on the trash increase. Mr. Garnes stated it was on the Schedule of Rates and Fees and it would become effective, upon adoption of Council, on September 1st. Mr. Garnes also stated the millage rate for the current year is 71.00 mills in Hampton County and 66.60 in Beaufort County. FY23, millage would be 74.00 mills in Hampton County and 69.60 in Beaufort County. Council Member Pinckney made the motion to

approve second and final reading. Second by Council Member Murray. **All in favor, Motion Passed.**

New Business:

Mayor Moore read Resolution 22-11, Transferring members of the Zoning Board to the Planning Commission. Mr. Garnes informed this will allow the members to begin the comprehensive plan process and we will actively look for individuals to appoint to the Zoning Board of Appeals. Council Member Murray made a motion to approve Resolution 22-11. There was no discussion. Second by Council Member Pinckney. **All in favor, Motion Passed.**

Public Comment

None

Adjournment

Council Member Murray extended his thoughts and prayers to the members of the Mount Pleasant Baptist Church in Point South, that had a fire destroy the church earlier this morning.

Mayor Moore asked for motion to adjourn. Council Member Pinckney made the motion to adjourn. Second by Council Member Murray. All in favor, **Meeting Adjourned at 3:10PM.**