

CALL TO ORDER - Mayor Merchant

INVOCATION/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – Councilman Shaw

APPROVAL OF MINUTES – September 19, 2023 – Regular Meeting

SPECIAL PRESENTATION

Habit for Humanity (Postponed until October 17, 2023)

OLD BUSINESS

1. BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS

Consider appointments expired June 30, 2023, and other vacancies.

2. REZONING – FIRST READING

RZ-23-19, 1030 LORING MILL ROAD

Consider *First Reading* of an ordinance to rezone one (1) parcel of land totaling approximately 10.84 acres from Residential-15 (R-15) to Residential-6 (R-6). The property is located at 1030 Loring Mill Road and is identified by Tax Map Number 184-00-02-01.

3. CITY CODE AMENDMENT (ANIMALS)

Consider *Final Reading* of *Ordinance Number* <u>2829</u> amending Chapter 14 ("Animals") of the City Code by repealing the current Section 14-2 and substituting a new Section 14-2 to allow only for the keeping of domesticated female chickens under certain conditions and to make unlawful the keeping of other fowl except as provided.

NEW BUSINESS

1. PROCUREMENT RESOLUTION

Consider **Resolution Number** <u>915</u> authorizing a contract for the Pear Street Sewer Replacement Project (Brown Street to North Main Street).

2. SALE OF PROPERTY (South Carolina Department of Transportation, SCDOT)

Consider **First Reading** of an ordinance to authorize the sale of portions of certain City-owned properties to SCDOT for right-of-way acquisition for three SCDOT projects.

3. BUDGET AMENDMENT - FISCAL YEAR 2023-2024

Consider **First Reading** of an ordinance to amend the Budget for Fiscal Year 2023-2024.



4. LEASE-PURCHASE AGREEMENT

Consider **First Reading** of an ordinance entitled: "An Ordinance Authorizing the Execution, Delivery, and Performance of a Lease-Purchase Agreement and Other Documents Relating to the Lease-Purchase Financing of Certain Vehicles and Equipment in an Aggregate Principal Amount of Not Exceeding \$2,165,000, and Other Matters Relating Thereto."

5. COUNCIL REPORTS

Receive comments from Councilmembers concerning matters of interest to the Council and the City of Sumter.

6. CITY MANAGER'S REPORT

Receive comments and/or reports from the City Manager.

7. EXECUTIVE SESSION

Discuss contractual matters, personnel matters, and appointments to Boards and Commissions. Receive legal advice relating to matters covered by attorney-client privilege, if necessary, in accordance with Section 30-4-70 of the South Carolina Code of Laws.

The public is hereby notified that if City Council holds an Executive Session, the Council may take official action on the above-listed matters following the conclusion of the Executive Session.

8. ADJOURNMENT