

REGULAR MEETING OF FLORENCE CITY COUNCIL MONDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2021 – 1:00PM CITY CENTER – COUNCIL CHAMBERS 324 WEST EVANS STREET FLORENCE, SOUTH CAROLINA

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. INVOCATION

Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

October 11, 2021 – Regular Meeting November 1, 2021 – Special Meeting

IV. APPEARANCES BEFORE COUNCIL

a. Reverend Leo Woodberry

To speak to Council on planting donated trees and a Cease Fire Zone.

b. Mr. John Harrington

To speak on the Alternative Program.

V. ORDINANCES IN POSITION

a. Bill No. 2021-33 – Second Reading

An Ordinance to enter into a Development Agreement between the City of Florence and the developer of "The Bluffs at Mill Creek" and zone RG-3, Residential General-3, pending annexation, 106 acres located at Redbud Lane and Howe Springs Road, identified as Florence County Tax Map Parcel 00152-01-021, and authorizing the City Manager to execute all documents associated therewith.

b. Bill No. 2021-34 – Second Reading

An Ordinance to rezone 257 North Coit Street from UR Urban Residential to DS Destination/Select Use; identified as Florence County Tax Map Parcel 90073-05-005.

c. Bill No. 2021-35 – Second Reading

An Ordinance to rezone 802 Cherokee Road, 806 Cherokee Road, 812 Cherokee Road, and 810 Congaree Road from NC-6.1 to NC-6.3; identified as Florence County Tax Map Parcels 90064-11-006, 90064-11-007, 90064-11-013, and 90064-11-012.

VI. INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCES

a. Bill No. 2021-12 - First Reading

An Ordinance to annex and zone a portion of Lake Oakdale and the Lake Oakdale dam, identified as a portion of Florence County Tax Map Parcel 00751-01-049. (*Note: The applicant has requested that this item be deferred.*)

b. Bill No. 2021-37 – First Reading

An Ordinance to declare surplus and donate a portion of city-owned property located at Florence County Tax Map Parcel 70012-20-002 in Timmonsville, SC to Florence County for the Timmonsville Rescue Squad.

c. Bill No. 2021-38 – First Reading

An Ordinance to rezone 517 West Sumter Street from NC-6.2 Neighborhood Conservation-6.2 to CBD Central Business District; identified as Tax Map Number 90072-07-001.

d. Bill No. 2021-39 – First/Final Reading

An Emergency Ordinance to replace the existing Emergency Ordinance 2021-30 in response to the COVID-19 emergency.

VII. INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

a. Resolution No. 2021-38

A Resolution to proclaim Friday, December 3, 2021 as Arbor Day in the City of Florence.

b. Resolution No. 2021-39

A Resolution by the City of Florence recognizing November as "Native American Heritage Month."

c. Resolution No. 2021-40

A Resolution to strongly encourage residents to vaccinate against COVID-19 and to test for COVID-19 before they gather with friends and family for the holidays.

d. Resolution No. 2021-41

A Resolution to allow the City of Florence to lease city-owned property located at 719 Walnut Street to the Pee Dee CAA Partnership as part of their homeless prevention program.

e. Resolution No. 2021-42

A Resolution pursuant to Section 10 of Emergency Ordinance No. 2021-30 to extend the emergency term and application of said Ordinance by an additional sixty (60) days.

f. Resolution No. 2021-43

A Resolution of City Council approving Downtown Redevelopment Grants for 2nd Quarter, FY22.

(Note: To be discussed in Executive Session.)

VIII. REPORTS TO COUNCIL

a. Mr. Frank Rainwater – Executive Director, SC Department of Revenue and Fiscal Affairs

To make a presentation regarding redistricting. (Note: To be discussed in Executive Session.)

b. Appointments to Boards and Commissions

IX. COMMITTEE REPORTS

- a. Business Development Committee
- **b.** Community Development Committee
- c. Marketing and Public Relations Committee

X. EXECUTIVE SESSION

- a. Discussion of matters relating to a proposed Economic Development Project [30-4-70(a)(5)].
- b. To receive legal advice on redistricting [30-4-70(a)(2)].

After returning to open session, Council may take action on items discussed in Executive Session.

XI. ADJOURN