

REGULAR MEETING OF FLORENCE CITY COUNCIL MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2023 – 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

January 9, 2023 – Regular Meeting

IV. APPEARANCES BEFORE COUNCIL

Note: Each person who gives notice to speak may be limited to a five (5) minute presentation at the discretion of the presiding officer, City of Florence Code of Ordinances, Section 2-24(h).

a. Mr. Brad Hanna

To speak to Council on a water concern.

b. Ms. Irma Wilson

To speak to Council regarding Animal Control.

c. Ms. Linda Johnson, Executive Director – Senior Citizens Association To speak to Council regarding funding for the Meals on Wheels program.

V. ORDINANCES IN POSITION

a. Bill No. 2022-38 - Second Reading

An Ordinance to annex and zone Commercial General three parcels located at 401, 409, and 411 Pamplico Highway, identified as Florence County Tax Map Parcels 90109-01-002, 90109-01-003 and a portion of 90108-05-001.

(Note: The applicant has requested that this item be deferred.)

b. Bill No. 2023-01 – Second Reading

An Ordinance to annex and zone NC-6.1 the parcel at 925 West Sumter Street, Florence County Tax Map Parcel 90060-07-002.

c. Bill No. 2023-02 – Second Reading

An Ordinance to annex and zone DS the lot at 825 South Church Street, Florence County Tax Map Parcel 90105-01-007.

d. Bill No. 2023-03 – Second Reading

An Ordinance to annex and zone OSR the lot at 833 South Church Street, Florence County Tax Map Parcel 90105-01-018.

e. Bill No. 2023-04 - Second Reading

An Ordinance to abandon a sewer line and easement located on South Cashua Drive, Florence County Tax Map Parcel 00100-01-159.

f. Bill No. 2023-05 – Second Reading

An Ordinance to abandon the City of Florence interest in right-of-way located on Power Street on the north side of Florence County Tax Map Parcel 00147-01-072.

VI. INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCES

a. Bill No. 2023-06 – First Reading

An Ordinance to annex and zone NC-6.3 the parcels located at 707 and 709 South Church Street, Florence County Tax Map Parcel Numbers 90104-02-015 and 90104-02-030.

VII. INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

a. Resolution No. 2023-04

A Resolution of City Council approving Downtown Redevelopment Grants for Third Quarter, FY23.

(Note: May be discussed in Executive Session.)

b. Resolution No. 2023-05

A Resolution to adopt the South Carolina Municipal Association 2023 Advocacy Initiatives.

c. Resolution No. 2023-06

A Resolution approving an investment policy for the City of Florence.

VIII. REPORTS TO COUNCIL

a. Appointments to Boards and Commissions

b. Comprehensive Financial Report and Audited Financial Statements

IX. MAYORAL REPORT

X. COMMITTEE REPORTS

- a. Business Development Committee
- **b.** Community Development Committee
- c. Marketing and Public Relations Committee
- d. Finance, Audit and Budget Committee

(Note: Action may be taken during Committee Reports.)

XI. EXECUTIVE SESSION

- a. For discussion related to a proposed Economic Development Project [30-4-70(a)(5)].
- b. To receive an update on legal matters [30-4-70(a)(2)].
- c. Personnel Matter [30-4-70(a)(1)].
- d. For a discussion of legal matters [30-4-70(a)(2)].

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

XII. ADJOURN