

**CITY OF JOHNSONVILLE
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
JOHNSONVILLE COUNCIL CHAMBERS
111 W BROADWAY ST
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2019 6:30 P.M.**

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Dukes at 6:30 PM.

The invocation was given by Council Member Stone

The Pledge of Allegiance was given to the flag

Council members present: Johnny Hanna, Mayor Pro-Tem, Doolittle Stone, Mona Dukes, Jamie Altman and Marie Haselden

Other City personnel present: Steve Dukes, Mayor, Marlene Rollins, City Clerk, David Mace, Downtown Development, Jim Smith, City Administrator, Chief Ron Douglas, and Officer Tyler Nicholson

Guest present: Sherry Salazar Dennis Baily, Justin Bailey, Thurston Singletary, Melvin Williams, Tanesha Clements and Harriet Rose

The City Clerk reported that the Media was notified by email and the agenda was posted at City Hall and the U.S, Post Office on Friday September 27, 2019.

Motion was made by Council Member Dukes and seconded by Council Member Stone to approve the agenda. **Motion carried unanimously.**

Motion was made by Council Member Hanna and seconded by Council Member Haselden to approve the minutes from the September 10, 2019 Regular Council Meeting. **Motion carried unanimously.**

Police Chief Ron Douglas introduced Officer Tyler Nicholson to council, Officer Nicholson has experience with the South Carolina Highway Patrol and is a welcomed asset to our City.

APPEARANCES BEFORE COUNCIL

Sherry Salazar appeared before council asking that a prayer vigil be held on the City sidewalks for the drug problem in the area and any other thing that affects our community. The vigil will be held on November 9, 2019 at 10:00am. **Motion** was made by Council Member Dukes and seconded by Council Member Haselden to have prayer vigil. **Motion carried unanimously**

Harriet Rose with the Pee Dee Coalition appeared before council to remind everyone that they are now located in Lake City and service our area and anytime there is a need the Coalition is here to help.

OLD BUSINESS

David Mace, Downtown Development gave council results on bid opening for the new Municipal Complex that was held on September 19 with FBi Construction coming in with the lowest bid at \$2,114,000.

Motion was made by Council Member Dukes and seconded by Council Member Haselden to accept bid from FBi Construction. **Motion carried unanimously.**

First Reading Ordinance 2019-0002-A IPRB amended from Ordinance 2019-0002 IPRB.

Motion was made by Council Member Hanna and seconded by Council Member Altman to approve amended Ordinance. **Motion carried unanimously.**

The City Administrator reported the following: (1) The new auditors for the City are in the office this week and hopefully will be ready to present audit to council next month. (2) A letter has been written and placed on the back of bills for this billing cycle. (3) we are in the midst of going through the ordinances with the attorney's and communicode. (4) Vox project is complete and I would like to conduct a tour of the new well site. (5) Capital Projects are pretty much done for this year. (6) Project update we will start construction on the 41/51 sewer line (CDBG Grant water/sewer).

Mayor reported (1) he has received several phone calls with people looking at different properties in the area and (2) the next meeting will be held on election day.

Council Member Dukes reported (1) the annual Fall lamp post decorating contest will begin October 11, (2) Trunk or Treat will be held at the High school parking lot again on October 31, 2019 from 6pm to 8pm. And (3) the annual Police Fundraiser will be held Oct. 25, from 11:00am at the Rescue Squad Building.

Council Member Altman encouraged citizens to come to the Council meetings.

Motion was made by Council Member Altman and seconded by Council Member Stone to enter into executive session. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Council Member Altman and seconded by Council Member Hanna to enter back into open session. Motion carried unanimously.

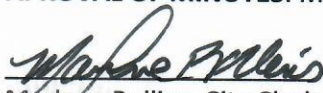
POSSIBLE ACTION TAKEN FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION:

No action was taken from executive session

Motion was made by Council Member Hanna and seconded by Council Member Stone to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

ADJOURN: 8:30pm

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Minutes approved by City Council this 6th day of November, 2019.


Marlene Rollins, City Clerk

