



**JOHNSONVILLE COUNCIL CHAMBERS  
117 E. BROADWAY STREET  
TUESDAY, AUGUST 1, 2023 6:30 p.m.**

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Hanna

The invocation was given by Councilman Poston

The Pledge of Allegiance was given to the flag

Council present: Mayor Hanna, Frankie Poston, Doolittle Stone, Dipen Khambhaita, Gary Arthurs and April Collins

City Personnel present: Holly Swann, and Marlene Rollins

Guest Present: Jackie Stasney, Sheila Hanna

**Motion** was made by Council Member Arthurs and received a second by Council Member Collins to approve the agenda. **Motion carried unanimously**

**Motion** was made by Council Member Stone and received a second by Council Member Poston to approve the minutes from the July 11, Council meeting. **Motion carried unanimously**

A **Resolution** authorizing the execution of a certain contract between PDRTA and the City of Johnsonville for the City of Johnsonville to enter into a collaborative agreement with a subsidy of \$8,000 payable in two invoices each calendar year for a period of (3) three years. Ms. Swann started with this was tabled last month, she reached out to Mr. Strickland to get a little more information that you asked for. Including in your packet is what was sent to me, she stated she believes that MR. Strickland wants the city to do a completely different route than what is currently being done, which would be 120 days a year and don't think the route would go to myrtle Beach and if we go with the new route the cost for the city would be \$3000.00 to \$3500.00, our budget is \$2,500. And that is why we are coming back again for the original amount was \$8,000.00. If we choose to go with the new route Mr. Strickland would take it to his board for public hearing.

**Motion** was made by Councilmember Khambhaita and received a second by Councilmember Poston that the city will not provide a subsidy at end of year for the PDRTA service in Johnsonville. **Motion carried unanimously**

Ms. Swann advised council that on next months agenda there will be A request to amend the Current Business License Ordinance to adopt the latest Standardized Business License Class Schedule, as required by the Standardization Act, and to make other minor amendments as recommended by the Association.

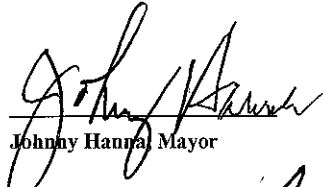
Ms. Swann reported (1) election filing began today, if your term is up and you plan to run again, now is the time. You can file between August 1 and August 15, 12:00 noon is the deadline. And early voting will begin October 2 through November 3 time will be 8:30am-5:00pm Monday-Friday here in Council Chambers. (2) we received our bill from the special election it was over \$8000.00, so I did call and request that they not send so many poll workers, we have 1,100 people, 200 may vote and you have two weeks to vote, we need two people here and that's it. (3) we do have a golf committee meeting tomorrow, August 2, at 12:00 at the course, we have a recreation committee meeting at 11:00 tomorrow as well here in council chambers. (4) the grand opening for the golf course will be Friday, November 10, 2023. (5) election day will be on council meeting on November 7, so we will need to change council to November 14, 2023.

Mayor Reported he doesn't have anything other than what was discussed, golf course seems to be doing well, he has heard all positive.

Motion was made by Council member Poston and received a second by Council Member Khambhaita to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously

ADJOURNED: 7:00pm.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Minutes approved by City Council on this 5<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2023.



Johnny Hanna, Mayor

Attest:   
Marlene Rollins, City Clerk

