



MINUTES LIBERTY CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL CALLED SESSION

June 7, 2021 – 6:00 PM
Rosewood Center
419 East Main Street
Liberty, SC 29657

Present: Mayor Brian Petersen
Council Member Chuck Powell
Council Member Chris Carroll
Council Member Archie Newberry
Council Member Erica Woods
Council Member Josh Harrison
City Administrator Bruce Evilsizor (Absent)

1. Welcome and Call to Order (Mayor Petersen)

Mayor Petersen Called the Special Called Session to Order at 6:00 p.m.

MOTION:

Council Member Woods moved to Amend Agenda; Council Member Carroll seconded. Motion to strike item numbers 3 and 4 from the Agenda and add Executive Session for discussion of personnel matters. The vote was 3 in favor (Council Member Woods, Carroll, and Newberry), 3 opposed (Council Member Harrison and Powell, and Mayor Petersen). The motion failed to pass.

2. Discussion of the Current Administrator Selection Process to Include Deciding on the Council Members Who Will Participate in the Interview of Candidates, or the Possible Suspension or Termination of the Process Until After the Fall Election

Mayor Petersen proposed that Council Member Woods, Powell, Appalachian Council of Government (ACOG), Bruce Evilsizor, and himself participate in the interview process of the new City Administrator Candidates.

3. 2nd Reading of the Resolution for the Purchase of a Trash Truck & Roll Carts (an Item in the FY 21-22 Capital Improvement Plan)

MOTION: Council Member Harrison moved to approve the 2nd Reading of the Resolution for the Purchase of a Trash Truck & Roll Carts (an Item in the FY 21-22 Capital Improvement Plan); Council Member Powell seconded. The vote was 4 in favor (Council Members Harrison, Powell and Newberry, and Mayor Petersen), 2 opposed (Council Member Woods and Carroll). The motion was approved.

4. Discussion of the Proposed Purchase of a Backhoe to Replace a 2000 New Holland Backhoe in the Public Works Department (an Item in the FY 21-22 Capital Improvement Plan)

Discussion of the Proposed Purchase of a Backhoe to Replace a 2000 New Holland Backhoe took place.

5. Motion to Enter Executive Session Pertaining to: Section 30-4-70(a)(2) – Discussion of Negotiations Incident to Proposed Contractual Arrangements for Future Drinking Water Source. Action will not be taken following the Executive Session.

MOTION: Council Member Carroll moved to Enter Executive Session; Council Member Powell seconded.

6. Motion to Adjourn Executive Session

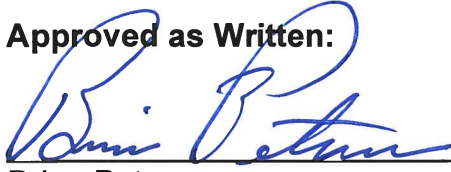
MOTION: Council Member Harrison moved to Adjourn Executive Session; Council Member Powell seconded. The vote was 6-0 in favor of the motion at 8:02 p.m.

7. Motion to Adjourn Special Called Session

Council Member Harrison moved to Adjourn the Special Called Session; Council Member Powell seconded. The vote was 6-0 in favor of the motion at 8:02 p.m.

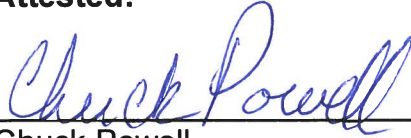
Notes: (1) Agenda was posted at City Hall, website, Facebook and emailed to media on June 6, 2021; and (2) a quorum was present.

Approved as Written:

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Brian Petersen
Mayor, City of Liberty

Attested:

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Chuck Powell", written over a horizontal line.

Chuck Powell
Mayor Pro Tem, City of Liberty