

February 1, 2022

MINUTES OF CALLED MEETING
SALUDA COUNTY COUNCIL
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2022 at 10:00 A.M.
COUNCIL CHAMBERS OF SALUDA COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
400 WEST HIGHLAND STREET, SALUDA, SOUTH CAROLINA 29138

A. CALL TO ORDER

The Called Meeting of Saluda County Council was called to order by Vice Chairman Anderson at 10:00 A.M.

Present were: Councilman J. Frank Daniel, Sr.
Councilman Jack Atkinson
Councilman Carey Bedenbaugh
Vice-Chairman Justin Anderson

Present remotely: Chairman Raymond G. Strawbridge

Also present were: County Director, Sandra G. Padget
Clerk to Council, Regina Turner

B. INVOCATION

Councilman Atkinson delivered the invocation.

C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Vice-Chairman Anderson led the Pledge of Allegiance.

D. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

On motion of Councilman Bedenbaugh, seconded by Councilman Atkinson the agenda was unanimously approved as presented.

E. PUBLIC INFORMATION

It is noted by the Clerk herein that in compliance with the Freedom of Information Act, notice of the called meeting and agenda were given to the local news media and properly posted, to include the county website.

Due to COVID-19, the following notice was placed at the beginning of the agenda:

Please note the council meetings are currently open to the public, but seating will be limited for social distancing in response to COVID-19. Temporarily we are unable to live stream the meetings, but they are being recorded for upload.

F. EXECUTIV SESSION

On motion of Councilman Bedenbaugh, seconded by Councilman Atkinson it was unanimously approved for Council may go into Executive Session pursuant to Section 30-4-70(a) (1) of the South Carolina code of Laws 1976, as amended to discuss janitorial services and a salary plan for Law Enforcement.

On motion of Councilman Bedenbaugh and seconded by Councilman Atkinson it was unanimously approved to come out of executive session.

On motion of Councilman Bedenbaugh, seconded by Councilman Atkinson it was unanimously approved to accept the updated salary plan as submitted by Council Staff and transfer \$21,016 from Contingency to cover salary and pension changes in the Sheriff's Department to be implemented on pay period 18.

On motion of Councilman Bedenbaugh, seconded by Councilman Atkinson it was unanimously approved to reopen the position of Public Buildings Custodian and advertise according to the county policy.

G. ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Councilman Bedenbaugh it was unanimously approved to adjourn the meeting at 11:25 A.M.

Regina H. Turner
Clerk to Council

Justin Anderson
Vice-Chairman

February 14, 2022
Date Approved