

The Town of Winnsboro Council met in regular session on September 1, 2020, at 6:15 p.m. at the Town of Winnsboro Old Armory (due to the Covid-19 virus). Following standard procedures, copies of the agenda were provided to Council, The Voice and The Country Chronicle. Those in attendance were:

Mayor Roger Gaddy, MD
Councilwoman Janice Bartell-Prather, District #2
Councilman Demetrius Chatman, District #3
Mayor Pro-tem John McMeekin, District #4
Don Wood, Town Manager
Absent
Councilman Danny Miller, District #1
Others
Chief John Seibles, Public Safety
John Fantry, Attorney
Lorraine Abell, ATM
Guest
Gene Stephens

Call to Order:

Mayor Gaddy called the meeting to order at 6:20 p.m.

Invocation:

Mayor Pro-tem McMeekin offered the Invocation.

Approval of Minutes:

Mayor Pro-tem McMeekin made a motion to accept the minutes of the Finance Meeting and Town Council Meeting of August 18, 2020, be approved as written. Councilman Demetrius Chatman seconded the motion. All voted aye.

Public Comments:

Mr. Gene Stephens, Fairfield County Chamber of Commerce, addressed Council concerning Pumpkin Fest. Mr. Stephens stated that the Sheriff Department would be participating with their trunk a treat and the merchants would be handing out candy. The crowd would be controlled by having designated entry points and no children would be allowed to enter without an adult. Council requested that Mr. Stephens contact the Governor's Office for guidelines on festivals and report back his findings.

Presentation: None

New Business:

- a. Covid-19 Emergency Ordinance #090220202 Extension: Requiring Individuals to Wear Face Coverings in Public in the Town of Winnsboro
Council was in agreement for the extension of the ordinance. The ordinance will be extended until October 30, 2020. Councilman McMeekin made a motion for the extension of the ordinance and a second was made by Councilwoman Bartell-Prather. All voted aye.

Old Business: None

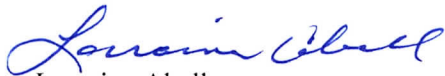
Other Business: Mayor Gaddy stated he had received a request from Congressman Ralph Norman for a letter of support from the Town requesting the IRS to waive any penalties on late returns due to Covid-19. Mayor Gaddy requested Mr. Wood send a letter in support of this request.

Executive Session: Pursuant to SC Code Section 30-4-70 (a) (2):
Possible Actions by Council following Executive Session
No items

Questions from the Media:
None heard.

Adjournment: With no further business to discuss, Councilman Demetrius Chatman made a motion to adjourn. The motion was seconded by Councilman John McMeekin. All voted aye. The meeting was adjourned at 6:50 p.m.

Submitted by:



Lorraine Abell
Assistant to Town Manager/Town Clerk

Approved: 
Mayor Roger Gaddy