

Town of Iva

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SPECIAL TOWN COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES – Thursday, August 25, 2016 at 10:30 a.m.
Iva Town Hall – 204 E. Jackson Street

The Town Council of the Town of Iva met on Thursday, August 25, 2016 at 10:30 a.m. in the Council Chambers of the Iva Town Hall, located at 204 E. Jackson Street. Public Notice of the meeting was given in compliance with the South Carolina Freedom of Information Act. A notice of the Special Meeting was published in the Independent Mail on August 24, 2016, posted on the town's bulletin board and posted to the towns website at www.townofiva.com. The following members of Council were present for the meeting:

Mr. Bobby E. Gentry, Mayor
Mr. Elmer Powell, Mayor Pro-Tem
Mr. Dwayne Kelley, Council Member
Ms. Mary Forrester, Council Member
Mr. Paul Hart, Council Member

The following staff members were also present for the meeting:

Ms. Mary McCormac, Town Attorney
Mr. Tim Taylor, Town Clerk/Treasurer
Mr. Jason Hawkins, Chief of Police

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Gentry called the meeting to order.

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Invocation was offered by Mr. Terry Allen. Following the Invocation, everyone stood and pledged allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

RESOLUTIONS FOR APPROVAL (First and Final Reading)

Resolution No. 2016-025 was presented for approval. Mr. Powell made a motion to approve the Resolution, seconded by Mr. Hart. All were in favor. The vote was 5-0.

NEW BUSINESS – ORDINANCES (First Reading)

None

UNFINISHED BUSINESS – ORDINANCES (Second and Final Reading)

Ordinance No. 2016-009 was presented for second and final reading. Mr. Hart made the motion to approve Ordinance 2016-009, seconded by Mr. Powell. All were in favor. The vote was 5-0.

CITIZEN COMMENTS

Ms. Fran Allen addressed the Mayor and Council. Ms. Allen complained about the Home Towner being thrown into her yard each week. Ms. Allen commented that she does not read it and it only creates litter for her. She requested assistance in having the edition discontinued from her residence.

Mr. Terry Allen commented on litter on E. Green Street. Mr. Allen expressed his desire to see E. Green Street cleaned up and the neighbors respectful of others. Mr. Allen commented that the town codes need to be more strictly enforced.

There was discussion concerning condemnable houses, unsightly yards, and trash accumulation in yards.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR, TOWN COUNCIL & TOWN STAFF

Mayor Gentry commented on the following:

- No comments.

Mr. Powell commented on the following:

- Oak Street property – grass needs to be cut in the back.

Mr. Kelley commented on the following:

- Back Alley Road looks good.

Ms. Forrester commented on the following:

- No comments.

Mr. Hart commented on the following:

- No comments.

Mr. Taylor commented to Mayor and Council that town roads for paving needs to be submitted as soon as possible. Council concurred that Wiles Street, Meadowbrook and the Intersection of River Street and West Cruette Street.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Hart made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Kelly seconded the motion. All were in favor. The vote was 5-0.



Tim Taylor, Town Clerk/Treasurer



Date