

The Town of Winnsboro Council met in regular session on June 2, 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 and The Voice. Those in attendance were:

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

**Call to Order:**

Mayor Gaddy called the meeting to order at 6:15 p.m.

**Invocation:**

Mayor Pro-tem John McMeekin offered the Invocation.

**Approval of Minutes:**

Mayor Pro-tem McMeekin made a motion to accept the minutes of the May 19, 2020, Finance and Town Council Meeting be approved as written. Councilwoman Bartell Prather seconded the motion. All voted aye.

**Public Comments:**

None

**Presentation:**

None

**New Business:**

- a. First Reading Budget Ordinance #061620A was presented to Council. A Public Hearing and second reading will be held on June 16, 2020.
- b. First Reading Budget Ordinance #061620B was presented to Council. A Public Hearing and second reading will be held on June 16, 2020.
- c. Public Hearing and First Reading for Ordinance #061620C: 2018 International Building Code was presented to Council. No comments from the public were expressed. Second reading will be held on June 16, 2020.
- d. RIA Grant Award: Mr. Wood informed Council that the Town had been awarded the grant for the Forest Hills Water Distribution System. The grant is for \$409,640 and the town's portion will be approximately \$37,840.00.

**Old Business:**

Attorney John Fantry reported he received an opinion from specialists concerning the True Vista franchise agreement. In this area of technology, their opinion was TruVista's interpretation was correct. The town should be responsible for the annual maintenance fee of \$742.50. Councilman Miller inquired if we could video stream our Council Meetings. Mayor Pro-tem McMeekin made a motion to move forward with the contract and the motion was seconded by Councilman Chatman. All voted aye.

**Other Business:**

Mr. Wood informed Council that the Blythewood Council would like to have The graffiti on the water tank painted. Mr. Wood stated they would get additional quotes for Council's review.

Mrs. Abell inquired about rentals on the Armory. Council agreed to wait until the next meeting to decide and Council would follow the Governors orders and the CDC guidelines.

Councilwoman Bartell Prather inquired about several properties on Congress Street that needed to be cleaned up immediately. Councilwoman Bartell Prather wanted to know what actions Officer Jeter has taken on the properties. Chief Seibles stated he would check with Officer Jeter and report at the next meeting.

**Executive Session: Pursuant to SC Code Section 30-4-70 (a) (2):**

**Possible Actions by Council following Executive Session**

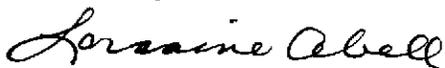
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**Questions from the Media:**

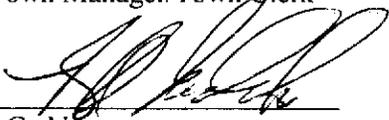
None

**Adjournment:** With no further business to discuss, Councilman Miller made a motion to adjourn. The motion was seconded by Councilwoman Bartell Prather. 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