

MINUTES OF NEIGHBORHOOD TOWN HALL MEETING
CONWAY CITY COUNCIL
CONWAY SENIOR CENTER
CONWAY, SOUTH CAROLINA
TUESDAY, MARCH 14, 2017 – 5:30 PM

PRESENT: Mayor Barbara Blain-Bellamy, Mayor Pro-Tem Randle L. Alford, Council Members Thomas J. Anderson II, William M. Goldfinch IV, Jean M. Timbes, and Larry A. White

STAFF: Bill Graham, City Administrator; Vicky Lefler, Deputy City Administrator; Kevin Chestnut, Public Works Director; Adam Emrick, Planning Director; James Friday, Public Utilities Director; Reggie Gosnell, Police Chief; Le Hendrick, Fire Chief; Foster Hughes, Parks, Recreation, and Tourism Director; Reggie Jenerette, Solid Waste Director; Billy Joe Sawyer, Building Official; Lynn Smith, Human Resource Director; Allison Williams, Finance Director; Timmy Williams, Beautification Director; and Debbie F. Smith, City Clerk

OTHERS IN ATTENDANCE: Kathy Ropp and others (See attached lists)

CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Blain-Bellamy called the meeting to order.

Mayor Blain-Bellamy introduced the City Administrator, the Deputy City Administrator, and the City Clerk. The City Administrator introduced staff members present and gave a brief synopsis of their respective areas of responsibility.

The Police Department presented brief training videos on the do's and don'ts of a traffic stop and tips for surviving an active shooter situation. Chief Gosnell offered this training to civic and church groups.

Comments were welcomed from those in attendance. Forms were also provided to attendees to provide their comments in writing if they preferred. Sign-up sheets were also provided for those who wished to offer their volunteer service.

The following is a list of concerns presented:

- Trash at the corner of Spivey Alley and Thompson Street
- Fees for non-members at the Recreation Center
- Landscaping cut-outs on Highway 501
- Removal of fly ash from Lake Busbee

Mayor Blain-Bellamy thanked those present for attending this meeting. The meeting then recessed and reconvened in the Recreation Center Conference Room for the remainder of the meeting.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: Motion: Alford made a motion, seconded by Timbes, to go into executive session to discuss negotiations incident to possible purchase of property. **Vote:** Unanimous. Motion carried.

RECONVENE FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION: Motion: Goldfinch made a motion, seconded by White, to come out of executive session. **Vote:** Unanimous. Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT: Motion: White made a motion, seconded by Goldfinch, to adjourn the meeting. **Vote:** Unanimous. Motion carried.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Minutes approved by City Council this 3rd day of April, 2017.



Debbie F. Smith, City Clerk