



# **A G E N D A**

## **OCONEE COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING**

### **May 1, 2018**

### **6:00 PM**

Council Chambers, Oconee County Administrative Offices  
415 South Pine Street, Walhalla, SC

**Call to Order**

**Public Comment Session** *[Limited to a total of forty (40) minutes, four (4) minutes per person.]*

**Council Member Comments**

**Moment of Silence**

**Invocation by County Council Chaplain**

**Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America**

**Approval of Minutes**

- April 24, 2018 Regular Minutes

**Administrator Report & Agenda Summary**

**Proclamation 2018-02**

PROCLAMATION 2018-02 FOR PEACE OFFICERS' MEMORIAL DAY

**Public Hearings for the Following Ordinances**

**Third Reading of the Following Ordinances**

**Second Reading of the Following Ordinances**

**First Reading of the Following Ordinances**

**First & Final Reading for the Following Resolutions**

**Discussion Regarding Action Items**

**Discussion and consideration of a request by FOYC that Council provide a letter in support of their pursuit of recreation boundaries around Fair Oak Elementary School**

**Board & Commission Appointments** *(IF ANY)* *[Seats listed are all co-terminus seats]*

**Building Codes Appeal Board**.....1 At Large Seat

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**Unfinished Business** *[to include Vote and/or Action on matters brought up for discussion, if required]*

*[None scheduled.]*

**New Business** *[may include items which may be scheduled for final action at a future meeting, if required]*

*[None scheduled.]*

**Council Committee Reports**

Recreation Review Task Force / Mr. Davis.....[04/17/2018]

Budget, Finance, & Administration / Ms. Cammick.....[04/17/2018]

Transportation / Mr. Hart.....[04/24/2018]

**Executive Session**

*[upon reconvening Council may take a Vote and/or take Action on matters brought up for discussion in Executive Session, if required]*

*For the following purposes, as allowed for in § 30-4-70(a) of the South Carolina Code of Laws:*

- [1] Discuss and receive legal advice in relation to attorney fee agreement for opioid litigation.*

**Adjourn**

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**APPROVED AND ADOPTED** this 1<sup>st</sup> day of May, 2018.

OCONEE COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA

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Edda Cammick  
Chairwoman of County Council  
Oconee County, South Carolina

ATTEST:

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Katie D. Smith, Clerk to Council  
Oconee County, South Carolina

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2017 Black Sports 50 Moped  
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2013 Red VIP Moped  
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2016 Black Solana Moped  
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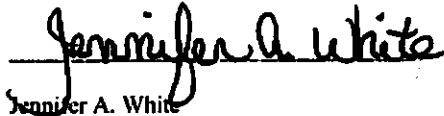
**IN RE: OCONEE COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING SCHEDULE & EXCEPTIONS FOR 2018**

**BEFORE ME** the undersigned, a Notary Public for the State and County above named, This day personally came before me, Hal Welch, who being first duly sworn according to law, says that he is the General Manager of **THE JOURNAL**, a newspaper published Tuesday through Saturday in Seneca, SC and distributed in Oconee County, Pickens County and the Pendleton area of Anderson County and the notice (of which the annexed is a true copy) was inserted in said papers on 02/21/2018 and the rate charged therefore is not in excess of the regular rates charged private individuals for similar insertions.

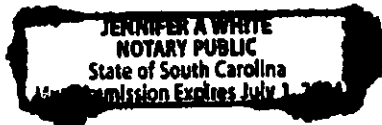


Hal Welch  
General Manager

Subscribed and sworn to before me this  
02/21/2018



Jennifer A. White  
Notary Public  
State of South Carolina  
My Commission Expires July 1, 2024





# Public Comment

## SIGN IN SHEET

6:00 PM

May 1, 2018

The Public Comment Sessions at this meeting is limited to a total of 40 minutes, 4 minutes per person. Please be advised that citizens not utilizing their full four [4] minutes may not "donate" their remaining time to another speaker.

**PLEASE PRINT**

	FULL NAME	PURPOSE OF COMMENT
✓ 1	REDD GARDNER	CODES ENFORCEMENT / GENERAL
✓ 2	BILL BRUEHL	POLARIZATION
✓ 3	Mike Walker	Codes
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Everyone speaking before Council will be required to do so in a civil manner. Council will not tolerate personal attacks on individual council members, county staff or any person or group. Racial slurs will not be permitted. Council's number one priority is to conduct business for the citizens of this county. All citizens who wish to address Council and all Boards and Commission appointed by Council should do so in an appropriate manner.

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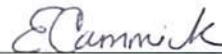
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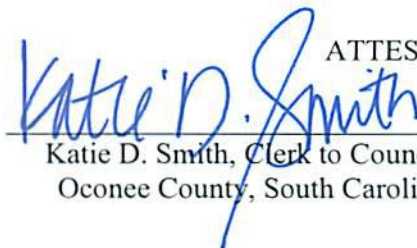
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ATTEST:



Katie D. Smith, Clerk to Council  
Oconee County, South Carolina



**Members of the Council, my name is Bill Bruehl. I'm a resident of Seneca. I want to build a bridge between ideas presented in the Public Comments session last week and my own.**

**A citizen described connections he sees from Communism to Socialism to Progressive thinking in our politics. I won't dispute him or his point of view.**

**I am a natural born liberal and progressive kind of guy who welcomes anybody who feels the way that citizen feels. I'd like to shake his hand. I see him as a fellow human being, a good man, a family man who, works hard and deals with difficult problems. I relate to all that because as human beings, Americans, and Oconee residents we have a lot in common.**

**I respect him, confident he can respect me on those same terms. I believe, we can find solutions with that respect, and with honesty, by sitting together, facing specific issues, working toward resolutions.**

**American Democracy is like a coin. Coins need two sides dependent on each other. Democracy only works hand in hand, face to face, dealing with problems honestly and with respect. It's called good debate and we need good debate to resolve problems and succeed.**

**Our country is being broken today, shattered by polarization that preaches hatred and division from sea to shining sea. It's bad stuff. Disrespect doesn't solve problems. It engenders violence as we verbally hammer each other, model hatred for our children, and undermine society.**

**I know my recommendation is difficult. I also know it works and has since Continental Congress resolved conflicting ideas into a nation in 1789 inventing the way a successful society works. Thank you. 5/2/18. (280)**

  
**Oconee County  
Council**  


May 1, 2018

SCAP  
Attn. Cheri Anthony, President  
P.O. Box 485  
Pickens, SC 29671

Re: Fair-Oak Youth Center

Dear Sir or Madame:

This letter is written in support of the Fair-Oak Youth Center's effort to establish recognized boundaries with South Carolina Athletic Programs / South Carolina Association of Recreation and Parks. Please note that in addition to the municipalities located within the County, the Fair-Oak Youth Center also receives Oconee County funding to support its youth recreation programs.

By majority vote, the Oconee County Council endorses the Fair-Oak Youth Center having recreational boundaries consistent with the territorial boundaries of the Fair-Oak Elementary School attendance area so that its recreation programs may flourish. Oconee County appreciates your efforts in this regard.



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