



MINUTES
OCONEE COUNTY COUNCIL
SPECIAL MEETING
Thursday, June 25, 2020

MEMBERS, OCONEE COUNTY COUNCIL
Mr. John Elliott, Chair Pro Tem, District I
Mr. Paul Cain, Vice Chair, District III
Mr. Julian Davis III, Chairman, District IV
Mr. Glenn Hart, District V
Mr. Wayne McCall, District II

Oconee County Council met at 6:00 PM in Council Chambers, 415 South Pine Street, Walhalla, SC with all Council Members [Mr. Cain via FaceTime], County Administrator Amanda F. Brock, County Attorney David Root, & Katie D. Smith, Clerk to Council present.

Press: Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, notice of the meeting, date, time, place of meeting and agenda were posted on the bulletin board at the County Administrative Offices, 415 South Pine Street, Walhalla, SC, and the County Council website [www.oconeesc.com/council]. In addition, it was made available [upon request] to the newspapers, radio stations, television stations and concerned citizens.

Members of the press present: Jerry Edwards & Caitlin Herrington / The Journal

Call to Order:

Mr. Davis called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Third Reading of the Following Ordinance

Ordinance 2020-01 “AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH THE BUDGET FOR OCONEE COUNTY AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE LEVY OF TAXES FOR ORDINARY COUNTY PURPOSES, FOR THE TRI-COUNTY TECHNICAL COLLEGE SPECIAL REVENUE FUND, FOR THE EMERGENCY SERVICES PROTECTION SPECIAL REVENUE FUND, FOR THE ROAD MAINTENANCE SPECIAL REVENUE FUND, FOR THE BRIDGE AND CULVERT CAPITAL PROJECT FUND, FOR THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CAPITAL PROJECT FUND, FOR THE DEBT SERVICE FUND, FOR THE VICTIM SERVICES SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS, FOR THE CAPITAL VEHICLE / EQUIPMENT FUND, ALL IN OCONEE COUNTY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 2020 AND ENDING JUNE 30, 2021.”

Mr. Elliott made a motion, seconded by Mr. Cain, approved 5 – 0, to approve **Ordinance 2020-01** on third & final reading.

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Executive Session:

Mr. Hart made a motion, seconded by Mr. Elliott, approved 5 – 0, to enter into Executive Session for the following purposes, as allowed for in § 30-4-70(a) of the South Carolina Code of Laws:

[1] Discuss property transfer for solid waste disposal operations.

[2] Discuss personnel matter related to County Attorney.

Council entered Executive Session at 6:01 p.m.

Council returned from Executive Session at 6:26 p.m. on a motion made by Mr. Elliott, seconded by Mr. McCall, approved 5 – 0.

Mr. Elliott made a motion, seconded by Mr. Hart, approved 5 – 0, to direct the County Administrator to execute a contract of employment with the County Attorney with the same provisions as the current contract, except for a three-year term and extending severance benefits from three [3] months to nine [9] months.

Adjourn:

Mr. Hart made a motion, approved unanimously, to adjourn at 6:26 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted:

Katie D. Smith
Clerk to Council

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