

TOWN OF IVA, SOUTH CAROLINA

Minutes

Regular Town Council Meeting

Monday, June 13, 2022 – 9:00 AM – 204 East Jackson Street, Council Chambers

A regular meeting of the Iva Town Council was held on Monday, June 13, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. in the council chambers of the Iva Town Hall, located at 204 E. Jackson Street in Iva. Notice of the meeting was given in compliance with the South Carolina Freedom of Information Act.

The following members of Town Council were in attendance:

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

Others Present for the meeting were: Mr. Tim Taylor, Town Clerk/Treasurer; Ms. Mary McCormac, Town Attorney

Call to Order - The meeting was called to order by Mayor Gentry at 9:00 a.m.

Invocation – The Invocation was offered by Ms. Forrester.

Pledge of Allegiance – Everyone stood and pledged allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

Mayor Gentry welcomed everyone present for the meeting.

4. CONSENT AGENDA

NONE

REGULAR AGENDA

5. Comments

a. Citizen/resident comments – Ms. Ruby Cain provided an Antique Body Shop update for the month of May 2022.

Mr. Dwane Young at 904 Hampton Street addressed the Mayor and Council regarding speed on Hampton Street. Mr. Young commented that the road in front of his home is a 35 mile per hour zone, however vehicles are traveling excessively. Mr. Young asked assistance in slowing the traffic down. Mr. Young also commented on properties that need to be cleaned up in the surrounding area.

b. Ms. Kathy Hipp, Superintendent for Anderson School District Three, provided an update to the Mayor and Council in regards to the new bus parking lot and new library project.

Mayor Gentry commented to Ms. Hipp that the Town of Iva is committed in its support of the projects. Mr. Hart commented that he is particularly excited about the project due to it being in his district.

6. Unfinished Business – Ordinances for Second and Final Reading
None

7. New Business – Ordinances for First Reading
None

8. New Business – Resolutions for First and Final Reading
None

9. Motions
None

10. Budget Work Session (FY 2022-2023 Budget)

Mr. Taylor presented the FY2022-2023 Annual Budget for discussion. Mayor and Council discussed departmental salaries and increasing gas cost as result in the cost of gas. Mr. Taylor commented that the changes will be reflected in the final version of the budget prior to adoption.

11. Executive Session – Economic Development/Contractual

Mr. Powell made a motion to enter into executive session, seconded by Mr. Hart. All were in favor. The vote was 5-0.

Mr. Powell made a motion to exit executive session, seconded by Mr. Hart. All were in favor. The vote was 5-0.

Mr. Powell made a motion to proceed with the purchase of property for economic development, seconded by Ms. Forrester. All were in favor. The vote was 5-0.

ADJOURN

Mr. Hart made a motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Mr. Powell. The motion carried unanimously.

Tim Taylor
Town Clerk/Treasurer