

TOWN OF BATESBURG-LEESVILLE
AGENDA
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
November 10, 2014
7:00 P. M.
COURTROOM
PUBLIC SAFETY COMPLEX
660 West Columbia Avenue

I CALL TO ORDER

II INVOCATION

III PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

IV APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- A. Regular Council Meeting - October 13, 2014
- B. Council Work Session - October 29, 2014
- C. Special Council Meeting - October 29, 2014

V MAYOR'S REPORT

- A. November 17, 2014 - 7:00 PM - Public Hearing/Special Council Meeting
- B. Next Regular Council Meeting – December 8, 2014
- C. Council/Department Heads Committee Report
 - 1. Central Midlands - Council Member O'Dell
 - 2. Environmental Planning Advisory Committee – Council Member Cain
 - 3. Economic Development – Council Member Simpkins

VI MANAGER'S REPORT

VII UNFINISHED BUSINESS

VIII NEW BUSINESS

- A. Approval of DPW Reserve Funds for the Granite Street Water Tank Remediation
- B. First Reading - Adopt the Current MASC Model Business License Ordinance & NAICS (North American Industry Classification System)

IX ADDRESS COUNCIL

- A. Pansy Buzhardt - Do you know? Do we have a FERC permit? How many of you have ever visited the water plant site, Residential Impact Fees
- B. Suzette Scaturo - "Pennies for Progress", "Pavement", Silencing Citizens, Lack of Growth, schools
- C. Elon Buzhardt - Trash Fees? Where are the jobs? Where is the growth? Why all the secrecy?

X ADJOURNMENT

XI MEDIA & CITIZEN'S QUESTIONS

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MAYOR'S REPORT

Mayor Crapps stated there would be a Public Hearing and called Council Meeting November 17, 2014 at 7:00 P. M. here in the courtroom on the **Amendments to Chapter 3, Article A, of the current Code of Ordinances - Rules of Procedure.**

Mayor Crapps reported the next Regular Council Meeting would be December 8, 2014 here in the courtroom at 7:00 P. M.

Mayor Crapps reminded everyone that tomorrow is Veteran's Day so let a veteran know how much we love them and appreciate what they have done for us and our country.

CENTRAL MIDLANDS - Council Member O'Dell

Council Member O'Dell stated he had no report.

ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING & ADVISORY COMMITTEE (E. P. A. C.) Council Member Cain

Council Member Cain was absent.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT - Council Member Simpkins

Council Member Simpkins reported the Economic Development Committee met November 6, 2014 at Midlands Technical College. Reported most of the discussion was why the **Pennies for Progress** tax failed. The Chamber Banquet will be held Friday, November 14, 2014. Reported Clabie Edmond gave the Communications Sub-Committee Report. Reported all four schools will have a site visit on January 29, 2015 for anyone interested. Also, a visit has been planned for Midlands Tech and Ansaldo. Veteran's Appreciation Day will be at the Batesburg-Leesville High School gymnasium Tuesday, November 11, 2014 at 10:00 A. M. Plans were discussed for the Industrial Park in 2015.

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NEW BUSINESS CONT'D.

Manager Luckadoo stated two companies bid on this job and Utility Services came in with the lowest bid. It is the recommendation from staff that we go with Utility Services to perform the work. A motion was made by Council Member Penick with a second by Council Member Mingo to accept the lowest bidder, Utility Services Company. After discussion, a vote was taken.

VOTE: 8 Approved 0 Denied

First reading to adopt the current **Municipal Association of SC Business License Ordinance and the NAICS (North American Industry Classification System) codes**. Manager Luckadoo stated in 1993 the Town adopted what is the current Business License Ordinance that is used today, which is 21 years old. Because of the length of time since we last adopted the model ordinance, there are a large amount of changes that have to occur to come up to speed with the MASC model ordinance. This is not a rate increase, just a restructuring. A motion was made by Council Member Taylor with a second by Council Member Mingo to approve. After discussion, a vote was taken.

VOTE: 8 Approved 0 Denied

ADDRESS COUNCIL - Pansy Buzhardt

Mrs. Buzhardt addressed Council concerning if we have a FERC permit; asked how many of you ever visited the new water plant site; residential impact fee.

ADDRESS COUNCIL - Suzette Scaturo

Ms. Scaturo addressed Council concerning "Pennies for Progress," pavement, silencing citizens, lack of growth and schools.

ADDRESS COUNCIL - Elon Buzhardt

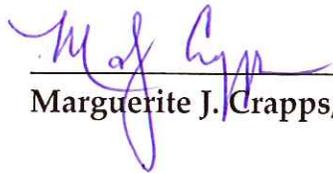
Elon addressed Council concerning the trash fees, jobs, growth and why all the secrecy.

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ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Council Member Simpkins with a second by Council Member Ricard to adjourn at 7:29 P. M. All members were in favor.

Approved this 8th day of December 2014.



Marguerite J. Crapps, Mayor

ATTEST:



Judy E. Edwards, Town Clerk