FAIRFIELD COUNTY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING AGENDA FAIRFIELD COUNTY GOVERNMENT COMPLEX COUNCIL CHAMBERS - SECOND FLOOR - 250 N. WALNUT STREET WINNSBORO, SOUTH CAROLINA MONDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2022 6:00 P.M.

1. CALL TO ORDER Chairman Bell

2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

3. INVOCATION Councilman Pauley

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES Regular Meeting September 26, 2022

5. PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS None

6. 1st **PUBLIC COMMENT SESSION:** All public comments made during this session must pertain to items on the agenda for which no Public Hearing is scheduled. Each speaker is allocated three (3) minutes for comment. The total time allocated for the public comment portion of the meeting is thirty (30) minutes. Those wishing to make public comment must sign to do so prior to the Council Chair calling the meeting to order. The Clerk to Council will make a public comment sign-up sheet available at least fifteen (15) minutes prior to the scheduled start time of the meeting.

7. PUBLIC HEARINGS

An Ordinance to Appropriate Funds Received by Fairfield County from the State of South Carolina Pursuant to the Rural Stabilization Funds Established by Proviso 113.9 of the State General Appropriation Act (H. 5151).

8. ORDINANCES, RESOLUTIONS AND ORDER

- **A.** Second Reading Ordinance No. 799: An Ordinance to Appropriate General Fund Revenues for the Hiring of Three New Officers for the Fairfield County Detention Center and to Increase the Bonus for the Newly Certified Detention Center Officers and Sheriff's Deputies to One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).
- **B.** Second Reading Ordinance No. 800: An Ordinance to Appropriate General Fund Revenues in the Amount of \$486,535.79 to Provide Cost of Living Increases Between Two Percent (2%) and Four Percent (4%) to the Base Salaries For All County Employees, and to Increase the Operating Budget of the Sheriff's Department by \$100,000 for the Purpose of Additional Salary Adjustments Within the Department; and \$20,000 to Provide Incentive Bonuses to Volunteer Firefighters Who Meet the Requirements of the Volunteer Incentive Program Administered by the Office of State Fire Marshal.
- **C.** Second Reading Ordinance No. 801: An Ordinance to Prohibit, With Support of the State Traffic Engineer, Large Trucks From Traveling on Patrick Road (S-20-44), From US 321 to SC 200.
- **D.** Second Reading Ordinance No. 802: An Ordinance to Appropriate General Fund Revenues in the Amount of \$363,000 to Provide Supplemental Funding for the River Road Fire Station Project.
- **E.** Third & Final Reading Ordinance No. 798: An Ordinance to Appropriate Funds Received by Fairfield County from the State of South Carolina Pursuant to the Rural County Stabilization Fund Established by Proviso 113.9 of the State General Appropriation Act (H. 5151).

9. BOARD AND COMMISSION MINUTES (For information only)

Behavioral Health Services – June 27, 2022; July 18, 2022; August 15, 2022 Aeronautics Commission – August 16, 2022

10.BOARD AND COMMISSION APPOINTMENTS None

11.OLD BUSINESS None

12.NEW BUSINESS None

13.COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

- A. Visitor's Center
- **B.** County Service Descriptions

14.CLERK TO COUNCIL'S REPORT

None

15.COUNTY COUNCIL TIME

16.EXECUTIVE SESSION: (The following statement is provided in compliance with the South Carolina Freedom of Information Act: Subsequent to Executive Session, Council may take action on matters discussed in Executive Session.)

None

17.ADJOURN

Fairfield County Council is now open to a certain number of citizens abiding by social distancing rules in order to mitigate the spread of COVID-19 in our community. We will follow advice from federal and state leaders and implement guidance issued by the CDC and DHEC. We also strongly recommend that masks be worn while in the Administration Building. Fairfield County Council will continue to live stream its meetings via the County YouTube page in order to provide information to our citizens and in the interest of transparency.

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