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## **JASPER COUNTY COUNCIL**

# COUNCIL WORKSHOP AND MEETING

City of Hardeeville City Hall 205 Main Street, Hardeeville, SC. 29927 Monday, March 3, 2025 AGENDA

# 5:00 PM - Workshop:

Call Workshop to Order - Chairman Kemp

Clerk's Report of Compliance with the Freedom of Information Act: In accordance with South Carolina Code of Laws, 1976, Section 30-4-80(d), as amended, notification of the meeting and the meeting agenda were posted at least 24 hours prior to the meeting on the County Council Building at a publicly accessible place, on the county website, and a copy of the agenda was provided to the local news media and all person's or organizations requesting notification.

- FILOT Agreement Project Salmon Ordinance # 0-2025-04
- Code Enforcement
- Chapter 2 of the Code of Ordinances (Councilman Kemp)

## Adjourn workshop.

# 6:00 PM - Meeting:

1. Call the Meeting to Order by Chairman Kemp

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- 2. Pledge of Allegiance and Invocation:
- 3. Approval of the Consent Agenda Items:

Approval of Consent Agenda passes all Consent Agenda Items. Consent Agenda Items are not considered separately unless any Councilmember so requests. In the event of such a request the item is placed at the end of the Public Hearings, Ordinances and Action Items.

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#### **PRESENTATION**

- 6. Danny Lucas Volunteer Park Baseball Fields Update.
- 7. Chairman Kemp's comments:

#### **CITIZEN COMMENTS**

8. Open Floor to the Public per Ordinance Number #08-17 Any citizen of the County may sign to speak in person at the Council Meeting (before the Council Meeting's 6:00PM start time on the Sign-In Sheet on the Podium), to address Council on matters pertaining to County Services and Operations. Presentations will be limited to three (3) minutes per person and total public input will be limited to 30 minutes.

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#### RESOLUTIONS

9. David Tedder - Consideration of Resolution #R-2025-14 for the retention of services from Finger, Melnick, Brooks & LaBruce, P.A.

- 10. Wanda Giles Consideration of Resolution #R-2025-16 to approve the appointment of Mr. Randy Waite to the Jasper County Planning and Appeals Commission.
- 11. Kimberly Burgess Public Hearing and Consideration of Resolution #R-2025-17 of Jasper County Council Pursuant to Section 2-415 of the Jasper County Code of Ordinances regarding Jasper County SC 250 Committee's Request to Fund Landscaping Related Improvements at the Thomas Heyward Cemetery Site, Authorizing the County Administration to Accept the Submitted Bid for such Improvements, and Matters Related Thereto.
- 12. Chairman Kemp Consideration of Resolution #R-2025-18 to approve the appointment of Councilman Rowell as a new board member to the Southern Lowcountry Regional (SOLOCO) Board.
- 13. Chairman Kemp Consideration of Resolution #R-2025-19 to approve the appointment of Councilman Rowell to the Local Area Transportation Study (LATS) Board.

14. Chairman Kemp – Consideration of Resolution #R-2025-20 to approve the appointment of Chairman Kemp as an Ex-Officio Member to the Technical College of the Lowcountry Board.

### **PUBLIC HEARINGS, ORDINANCES AND ACTION ITEMS**

- 15. David Tedder Consideration of the 2nd Reading of Ordinance #0-2025-03 Approving a Development Agreement for the Daly Organics Development Property consisting of approximately 223 acres, more or less, owned by Bellinger Hill Properties, LLC in the Bellinger Hill Area of Jasper County, South Carolina, Pursuant to the South Carolina Local Government Development Agreement Act and Article IV, Title 20 of the Code of Ordinances of Jasper county, Authorizing the Chairperson of the Jasper County Council to execute he Development Agreement, and Matters Related Thereto. (This document is included in the agenda e-packet) (1st reading 12.02.2024 and Public hearing 01.06.2025; 2<sup>nd</sup> Public hearing 02.03.2025) (Daly Organics DA)
- 16. David Tedder Public Hearing and consideration of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading of Ordinance #O-2025-05

  Authorizing the Execution and Delivery of a Fee-In-Lieu of Ad Valorem Tax Agreement By and Between

  Jasper County, South Carolina and Project Salmon, With Respect to Certain Economic Development Property in the County, Providing for the Payment of Fee-In-Lieu of Ad Valorem Taxes; Providing for Special Source Revenue Credits; and Other Matters Related Thereto. (Project Salmon) (1st reading 02.18.2025)
- 17. Lisa Wagner Consideration of 1st Reading of an Ordinance to amend the Official Zoning Map of Jasper County so as to transfer two properties located at 345 Gassie Orr Road, bearing Jasper County Tax Map Numbers 020-00-03-006 and 020-00-03-102 from the Rural Preservation Zoning District to the Residential Zoning District on the Jasper County Official Zoning Map.
- 18. Lisa Wagner Consideration of 1st Reading of an Ordinance to amend the Official Zoning Map of Jasper County so as to transfer a property located at 139 Hartwell Avenue, bearing Jasper County Tax Map Number 080-03-00-019 from the Mixed Business Zoning District to the General Commercial Zoning District on the Jasper County Official Zoning Map.
- 19. Lisa Wagner Consideration of <a href="Ist Reading">1st Reading</a> of an Ordinance to amend the Official Zoning Map of Jasper County so as to transfer a property located at 594 Stokes Bluff Landing Road, bearing Jasper County Tax Map Number 003-00-01-009 from the Rural Preservation and Residential Zoning District to the Residential Zoning District on the Jasper County Official Zoning Map.
- 20. Lisa Wagner Consideration of the <u>3<sup>rd</sup> Reading</u> of Ordinance <u>#O-2025-04</u> to Amend Article 2.1.1 of the Jasper County Land Development Regulations, *Exempt Subdivision*, limiting the number of parcels that can be subdivided from a single parcel of land when using the State's exemption, to 4 individual parcels; to define an existing street and existing easement; Invoking application of the Pending Ordinance Doctrine; and other matters related thereto. (*1st reading 12.02.2024; Public Hearing and 2nd reading 01.06.2025*)

21. Administrator's Report:

#### **CONSENT AGENDA**

22. Approval of the Minutes	
23. Councilmember Comments and Discussion:	 

- 24. Executive Session SECTION 30-4-70.
  - (a) A public body may hold a meeting closed to the public for one or more of the following reasons:
  - (2) Discussion of negotiations incident to proposed contract arrangements and proposed purchase or sale of property, the receipt of legal advice where the legal advice related to pending, threatened, or potential claim or other matters covered by the attorney-client privilege, settlement of legal claims, or the position of the public agency in other adversary situations involving the assertion against the agency of a claim —Threatened or Potential Claim Litigation Freedom of Information Act (FOIA)

ANY EXECUTIVE SESSION MATTER ON WHICH DISCUSSION HAS NOT BEEN COMPLETED MAY HAVE DISCUSSION SUSPENDED FOR PURPOSES OF BEGINNING THE OPEN SESSION AT ITS SCHEDULED TIME, AND COUNCIL MAY RETURN TO EXECUTIVE SESSION DISCUSSION AFTER THE CONCLUSION OF THE OPEN SESSION AGENDA ITEMS. PLEASE BE ADVISED THERE MAY BE VOTES BASED ON ITEMS FROM THE EXECUTIVE SESSION.

## **Return to Open Session**

24.1 Action coming out of Executive Session

#### 25. Adjournment:

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<sup>\*</sup>Council may act on any item appearing on the agenda including items discussed in executive session.