



Town of Kershaw
Regular Town Council Meeting Minutes
113 S. Hampton St.
Monday, November 20, 2023, 7 PM

1. **Call to Order-** Mayor Mark Dorman, Councilmembers present- Jody Connell, Harvey Truesdale, Danny Williams, Randy Seegars, Bobbie Faulkenberry. Absent- Michael Cook. Also present, Town Attorney Stephen Smoak, Town Administrator John Douglas, Town Clerk Alicia DeBruhl. Media- Lancaster News Mitchell Mercer, Kershaw News Era Andrew O'Byrne.
2. **Invocation-** Harvey Truesdale
3. **Approval of Agenda-** Harvey Truesdale made a motion to approve the agenda as submitted. Jody Connell seconded the motion. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0.
4. **Public Comments-** None
5. **Approval of Minutes –** Regular Meeting 10/16/2023- Danny Williams made a motion to approve the minutes as submitted. Bobbie Faulkenberry seconded the motion. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0.

OLD BUSINESS

1. **Second Reading of 441 Blackwell Drive Annexation Ordinance 2023-017-** Harvey Truesdale made a motion to pass the second reading of 441 Blackwell Drive Annexation Ordinance 2023-017. Randy Seegars seconded the motion. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0.
2. **Second Reading of 489 Blackwell Drive Annexation Ordinance 2023-018-** Danny Williams made a motion to pass the second reading of 489 Blackwell Drive Annexation Ordinance 2023-018. Jody Connell seconded the motion. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0.
3. **Second Reading of 499 Blackwell Drive Annexation Ordinance 2023-019-** Bobbie Faulkenberry made a motion to pass the second reading of 499 Blackwell Drive Annexation Ordinance 2023-019. Harvey Truesdale seconded the motion. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0.
4. **Second Reading of Public Tree Protection Ordinance 2023-020-** Jody Connell made a motion to pass the second reading of Public Tree Protection Ordinance 2023-020. Danny Williams seconded the motion. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0.

NEW BUSINESS

1. **Municipal Election Results-** Mayor- Mark Dorman- 144 votes. Town Council At Large- Randy Seegars-139 votes. Town Council District 1- Bobbie Faulkenberry- 42 vote. Town Council District 2- Michael Cook- 21 votes.

2. **Arbor Day Proclamation-** Bobbie Faulkenberry made a motion to approve the Arbor Day Proclamation, proclaiming December 1, 2023, as Arbor Day in Kershaw. Harvey Truesdale seconded the motion. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0.
3. **Purple Heart City Proclamation-**Council unanimously approved a proclamation naming Kershaw as a “Purple Heart City.” As a Purple Heart City Kershaw conveys its respect for those who have received the nation’s oldest military medal. Two members from the Military Order of the Purple Heart attended. Task Force Marshall Volunteer/ SC Veterans Advocacy Council Member Frank D. Kmetz and CSM USA Ret Carl M. Lopez. CSM USA Ret Carl M. Lopez gave a short speech to thank council and show his appreciation for Kershaw becoming a Purple Heart City.
4. **Rescheduling of December Meeting-** Bobbie Faulkenberry made a motion to approve the rescheduling of the December meeting from December 18, 2023, to December 4, 2023. Jody Connell seconded the motion. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0.
5. **First Reading of In-Town Rates Eligibility Ordinance 2023-021-** Danny Williams made a motion to approve the First Reading of In-Town Rates Eligibility Ordinance 2023-021. Randy Seegars seconded the motion. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0.
6. **First Reading of 550 Kershaw Country Club Road Annexation Ordinance 2023-022-** Randy Seegars made a motion to pass the First Reading of 550 Kershaw Country Club Road Annexation Ordinance 2023-022. Harvey Truesdale seconded the motion. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0.
7. **First Reading of 534 Kershaw Country Club Road Annexation Ordinance 2023-023-** Jody Connell made a motion to pass the First Reading of 534 Kershaw Country Club Road Annexation Ordinance 2023-023. Harvey Truesdale seconded the motion. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0.
8. **First Reading of 512 Kershaw Country Club Road Annexation Ordinance 2023-024-** Danny Williams made a motion to pass the First Reading of 512 Kershaw Country Club Road Annexation Ordinance 2023-024. Bobbie Faulkenberry seconded the motion. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0.
9. **First Reading of 6719 Wylie Circle Drive Annexation Ordinance 2023-025-** Jody Connell made a motion to pass the First Reading of 6719 Wylie Circle Drive Annexation Ordinance 2023-025. Harvey Truesdale seconded the motion. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0.
10. **First Reading of 6724 Wylie Circle Drive Annexation Ordinance 2023-026-** Harvey Truesdale made a motion to pass the First Reading of 6724 Wylie Circle Drive Annexation Ordinance 2023-026. Randy Seegars seconded the motion. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0.
11. **First Reading of Budget Amendment/Rate Adjustment Ordinance 2023-027-** Jody Connell made a motion to pass the First Reading of Budget Amendment/Rate Adjustment Ordinance 2023-027. Randy Seegars seconded the motion. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0.
12. **First Reading of County Intergovernmental Agreement Ordinance 2023-028-** Bobbie Faulkenberry made a motion to pass the First Reading of County Intergovernmental Agreement Ordinance 2023-028. Harvey Truesdale seconded the motion. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0.
13. **Golf Course Rate Changes-** Danny Williams made a motion to approve the Golf Course Rate Changes. Bobbie Faulkenberry seconded the motion. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0. Changes approved include adding a Student membership for ages 13-18. The cost will be \$50 for in-town students and \$100 for out-of-town students. Greens fees for non-members will increase

to \$18 on Weekends and Holidays for non-members only. Driving Range memberships will increase to \$150. All changes will take affect January 1, 2024.

- 14. Transportation Needs Assessment Resolution-** Jody Connell made a motion to approve the Transportation Needs Assessment Resolution. Randy Seegars seconded the motion. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0. The Needs Assessment Resolution includes 47 transportation-related prioritized needs including resurfacing streets.

Mayor Mark Dorman made a motion to enter Executive Session. Jody Connell seconded the motion. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0

EXECUTIVE SESSION

1. Personnel Matter Pertaining to All Town Employees

Mayor Mark Dorman made a motion to return to Open Session. Jody Connell seconded the motion. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0.

ACTIONS RESULTING FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION

1. No action taken.

ADJOURNMENT-

Bobbie Faulkenberry made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Harvey Truesdale seconded the motion. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0.

Mayor Mark Dorman

Town Clerk Alicia DeBruhl