# Regular Council Meeting

# Tuesday, December 5, 2023

The regular Six Mile Town Council meeting was held December 5, 2023, starting at 7:00 PM at 106 South Main Street, Six Mile, S.C. Members in attendance were Mayor Roy Stoddard, presiding; Council: James Atkinson, Karen Bedenbaugh, Jadd Smith, and Tommy Yongue. The agenda was emailed to the Pickens County Courier and the Journal on December 4, 2023.

## Call to Order & Invocation

Mayor Stoddard opened the meeting and asked James Atkinson to introduce a special guest. James introduced Jimmy Perdue, Pastor of Gap Hill Church of God to give the invocation. Mayor Stoddard then led the pledge of allegiance.

#### **Public Session:**

Mayor Stoddard asked Tom Smith to speak, and he told Council and the public that he has enjoyed working with the current Council and Mayor with the Memorial Day Celebration and various other Veteran related events and he looks forward to working with the new administration.

Bryan Lee, from the Clemson Area Chamber of Commerce came forward and presented Mayor Stoddard with a plaque in appreciation of his work on the Chamber's Board.

#### Consent Agenda

The minutes for the November 14 and 24, 2023, meetings were approved.

## **Action Items**

Councilman Atkinson made a motion to consider amending the motion passed on November 24, 2023, to change the request from \$ 6000 to \$ 8000 to upgrade town computer and server setup (due to system crash), upgrade antivirus and backup, upgrade router, and hardwire printer. Councilman Smith made the second and the vote to amend the motion to approve spending \$8,000 on computer related items was unanimous.

#### Words From Mayor Stoddard

Mayor Stoddard said a few parting words as his last official act as the longest running Mayor in recorded history of Six Mile, after 12 years of dedicated service.

He then turned the meeting over to Rita Martin for the Swearing in of the newly elected Council members and Mayor. She called Mark Beckman and Beau Proffitt individually to the podium. After they were both sworn in, she called James Atkinson to the podium for his swearing in as the 21<sup>st</sup> Mayor of Six Mile.

Mayor Atkinson then addressed the Council and the public in his first address as the Mayor of Six Mile.

He adjourned the meeting at 8:00 PM.

Respectfully Submitted:

Kita Martin Clerk

Approved:

By: James (1) athinsa Date: 1-16-24

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