

# Regular Council Meeting

Tuesday, July 2, 2024

The Regular Council meeting was held by the Six Mile Town Council at Town Hall (106 South Main Street, Six Mile, S.C.) on July 2, 2024, at 7:00 PM. Members in attendance were Mayor James Atkinson: Presiding; Council: Mark Beckman, Beau Proffitt, and Judy Shaw. The agenda was emailed to the Pickens County Courier and the Journal on July 1, 2024.

## **Call to Order & Invocation**

Mayor Atkinson asked Councilmember Beckman to give the invocation and he asked Councilmember Shaw to lead the Pledge of Allegiance.

## **Public Session:**

Mayor Atkinson introduced the new part-time Assistant Clerk, Diana Manwarren and welcomed her aboard. He then asked Matthew Golden to speak to Council about his role as the Town's new Business Liaison. Matthew announced a networking event planned for July 9 at 5 pm in the Community Room, for residents and business owners who are interested in learning about free resources to support and assist their business ventures. The Mayor then asked if there was anyone else to speak, hearing none, he proceeded.

## **Committee Reporting**

**Recreation:** Chairman Proffitt said that sign-ups are completed and there are 22 teams for fall with 254 participants.

**Building/Grounds/IT:** Chairman Beckman has asked for several quotes for exterminating the buildings.

**HR/Special Projects/Aesthetics:** Chairperson Shaw is working on employee handbook.

**Mayor's Report/Finance:** Mayor Atkinson mentioned that the infrastructure building and upkeep has taken the FY24 budget in the red significantly especially as related to the pavilion at the Downtown Park. He then passed out a "Roberts Rules" handbook to each Council member. He reminded Council members to be familiar with the safety policy that he gave them previously as that will be on an upcoming agenda as an action item once Recreation is added as additional documentation in that policy. He has been working on grants for Bryson Children's Nature Walk and the Downtown Park.

He asked Council for input on the rental forms for the Community Room, the Pavilion and the picnic shelter at Ponderosa. As it stands, the Community Room is available after 9 a.m. for rentals each weekday. He asked for Council to ponder potential giving of discounts to groups that assist the town. He also mentioned the following upcoming events:

Independence Day celebration July 6 at Ponderosa Park

July 19 with the MASC presenting Six Mile a Municipal Achievement Award for Bryson project.

July 25 the State of Six Mile put on by Clemson Area Chamber of Commerce

## **Consent Agenda**

The minutes for June 4 and June 20 were approved.

## **Action Items**

Councilman Proffitt made a motion to adopt a Resolution recognizing Six Mile Lodge #339 upon its 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary and presenting a Storefront Beautification Award to the Lodge for the

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recent facelift of its downtown building, Councilman Beckman made the second and the vote was unanimous.

Councilman Beckman made a motion to adopt the second reading of Ordinance #07022024 (Rules of Decorum); Councilperson Shaw made the second and the vote was unanimous.

Councilman Proffitt made a motion to go into Executive Session and Councilmember Shaw made the second. The vote to enter Executive Session at 7:27 PM was unanimous.

Mayor Atkinson called the meeting back to regular session at 7.45 and asked if there were any motions.

Councilman Beckman made a motion to accept the resignation of Tim Brown from the Planning Commission effective immediately. Councilman Proffitt made the second and the vote was unanimous.


Councilman Beckman then made a motion to appoint Jack Hall to the Planning Commission effective immediately. Councilman Proffitt made the second and the vote was unanimous.

Mayor Atkinson adjourned the meeting at 8:00 PM.

Respectfully Submitted:

  
Rita Martin/Clerk

Approved:

By:   
Date: Aug. 6, 2024