

**CITY OF LAURENS
SPECIAL CALLED COUNCIL MEETING
126 EAST PUBLIC SQUARE
NOVEMBER 2, 2021
5:30PM**

PRESENT

Mayor Nathan Senn, Councilor Johnnie Bolt, Councilor Cassandra Campbell, Councilor Sara Latimore, Councilor Martin Lowry, Councilor Alicia Sullivan, City Attorney Tom Thompson, IT Director Colby Rice, City Administrator Gary Coleman, and City Clerk Leslie Mattison

ABSENT

Councilor Marian Miller

PRESS IN ATTENDANCE

None

THE MEDIA WAS NOTIFIED BY AN EMAILED AGENDA.

CALL TO ORDER AND INVOCATION

Mayor Senn called the meeting to order with Councilor Lowry giving the invocation and was followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

APPROVAL OF THE NOVEMBER 2, 2021 AGENDA

A motion was made by Councilor Sullivan and seconded by Councilor Bolt to approve the agenda. The motion was approved unanimously.

EXECUTIVE SESSION – DISCUSS PROPERTY MATTERS

A motion was made by Councilor Latimore and seconded by Councilor Campbell to approve going into Executive Session. The motion was approved unanimously.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

A motion was made by Councilor Lowry and seconded by Councilor Latimore to come out of Executive Session.

A motion was made by Councilor Bolt and seconded by Councilor Campbell for the City to enter into an economic investment loan with The Tailored Oak in an amount not to exceed \$150,000.00, subject to mutually agreeable security instruments that reasonably protect the City's investment. The motion was approved 4 to 1, with Councilor Sullivan voting no.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Councilor Lowry and seconded by Councilor Bolt to adjourn the meeting. The motion was approved unanimously.

APPROVED:



NATHAN SENN, MAYOR

ATTEST:



LESLIE MATTISON, CITY CLERK AND TREASURER