City Council Meeting Agenda

CPW TRAINING CENTER
214 CHURCH ST, LAURENS SC 29360
Tuesday, June 20, 2023, 5:30 pm

I. Ordering the Business of Council
   1. Call to Order          Mayor Nathan Senn
   2. Invocation*          Councilor Martin Lowry
   3. Pledge of Allegiance
   4. Opening Remarks       Mayor Nathan Senn

II. Public Participation & Hearing
   1. Public Comment.
      Those requesting to address City Council during the public comment period must sign up to speak 24 hours before the meeting is called to order, and all must limit their remarks to items on this agenda. Speakers will be limited to no more than three (3) minutes, subject to the discretion of the Chair.

III. Consent Agenda
     All items under the Consent Agenda are considered to be routine in nature and will be enacted by a single motion and subsequent omnibus vote. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a City Council member so requests, in which event the item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered as the first item after approval of the Consent Agenda.

   1. Approval of the Council Agenda for June 20, 2023.

IV. Old Business
   1. Redistricting: AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF LAURENS, SOUTH CAROLINA REVISING CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT LINES.
   2. Budget: AN ORDINANCE FOR THE CITY OF LAURENS, SOUTH CAROLINA, BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2024.

V. New Business
   1. Resolution 23-06-01: A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF LAURENS APPOINTING INDIVIDUALS TO VARIOUS BOARDS.
   2. Resolution 23-06-02: A RESOLUTION PROVIDING A LOCAL MATCH FOR A MASC HOMETOWN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT GRANT.

*Please stand if you are able.
3. **Business Licenses**: AMENDING AND RESTATING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF LAURENS, SOUTH CAROLINA AS IT RELATES TO THE REVOCATION OF BUSINESS LICENSES; AND OTHER MATTERS RELATING THERETO.

4. **Care of Animals**: AMENDING AND RESTATING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF LAURENS, SOUTH CAROLINA AS IT RELATES TO THE CARE OF DOGS AND OTHER ANIMALS; AND OTHER MATTERS RELATING THERETO.

5. **Miscellaneous Offenses**: AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF LAURENS, SOUTH CAROLINA AS IT RELATES TO OFFENSES AND MISCELLANEOUS OFFENSES; AND OTHER MATTERS RELATING THERETO.

VI. **Adjournment**

   Motion to Adjourn  
   Mayor Pro Tempore

**PUBLIC NOTICES**

**Public Viewing of City Council Meetings**: All meetings of the Laurens City Council are available to be viewed by the public and are streamed live on the City’s YouTube channel, which may be accessed at the following address: https://www.youtube.com/c/CityofLaurensSouthCarolina

A link to this channel will be posted on the City of Laurens’ website and Facebook page before each meeting.

**Addressing City Council**: Those wishing to be included on the Council’s Agenda during the Public Participation & Hearing portion of regular city council meetings must submit a written request to the City Administrator no less than 24 hours before each meeting, which is usually held on the third Tuesday of each month. Forms for requesting to address City Council are available at City Hall and will gladly be provided upon request. Those who are included on the Council’s agenda will limit their remark to items on the agenda/presentation to no more than three (3) minutes, subject to the discretion of the Chair.

**Statement Regarding Compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)**: The City of Laurens wishes to ensure that its programs, services, and activities are accessible to individuals with disabilities. All City Council meetings are wheelchair accessible. Persons who require an auxiliary aid or service for effective communication or a modification of policies or procedures to participate in a program, service, or activity of the City of Laurens should contact the City Administrator at (864) 984-3933.

We would appreciate advance notice of at least 48 hours for any requests to receive an agenda in an alternate format or other types of auxiliary aids and services.

**Note**: All minutes are drafts until approved at the subsequent meeting of the City Council. The City of Laurens will post the approved minutes on its website within 30 days of approval.