

City Council Meeting Agenda

CPW TRAINING CENTER

214 CHURCH ST, LAURENS SC 29360 Thursday January 19, 2023, 5:30pm

I. Ordering the Business of Council

Call to Order
Invocation*
Mayor Nathan Senn
Councilor Marian Miller

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 <u>24 hours prior to the</u> meeting being 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 January 19, 2023.
- 2. Approval of Minutes from the Regular Council Meeting of December 16, 2022.
- 3. Approval of Minutes from the Special Called Council Meeting of January 10, 2023.

IV. Executive Session

1. Discussion regarding the nomination of an employee to the municipal court.

V. New Business

- 1. Approval of nominee for appointment to employment in the municipal court.
- 2. Lease Purchase: A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A LEASE PURCHASE AGREEMENT IN AN AMOUNT NOT EXCEEDING \$550,000 RELATING TO THE LEASING AND PURCHASING OF CERTAIN VEHICLES, EQUIPMENT, AND PERSONAL PROPERTY; THE EXECUTION OF NECESSARY DOCUMENTS AND CLOSING PAPERS; AND OTHER MATTERS RELATING THERETO.

^{*}Please stand if you are able.

3. **GO Bond**: AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF A NOT EXCEEDING ONE MILLION DOLLAR (\$1,000,000) GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND, SERIES 2023 OF THE CITY OF LAURENS, SOUTH CAROLINA, TO PRESCRIBE THE PURPOSES FOR WHICH THE PROCEEDS SHALL BE EXPENDED, TO PROVIDE FOR THE PAYMENT THEREOF, AND OTHER MATTERS RELATING THERETO.

VI. Adjournment

Motion to Adjourn

Mayor Pro Tempore

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A link to this channel will be posted on the City of Laurens' website and Facebook page prior to 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 prior to each meeting, which are 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.

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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 web site within 30 days of approval.