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PICKENS COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING

Monday, May 3, 2021

6:30 PM

**Auditorium, County Administration Facility
222 McDaniel Avenue, Pickens SC 29671**

This agenda is not inclusive to everything the council may discuss

***Please note that in response to the increased cases of COVID-19 in Pickens County,
Council Chambers will have limited seating.***

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1. WELCOME AND CALL TO ORDER: Chairman Chris Bowers
INVOCATION: Chairman Chris Bowers
PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Veteran George Petersen
2. PUBLIC FORUM
3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:
 - April 5, 2021 – Regular Meeting
 - April 13, 2021 – Special-Called Meeting
 - April 13, 2021 – Budget Work Session
4. ADMINISTRATOR’S REPORT:
5. COMMITTEE REPORTS:
 - a. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE (April 19, 2021):
 - Policy for County Property
 - b. SOLID WASTE ADHOC COMMITTEE REPORT (April 13, 2021):
 - Motion to approve moving allocation funds from Fund Balance to purchase one tractor and one trailer for Solid Waste.

6. COUNCIL CORRESPONDENCE:
7. MOTION PERIOD AND NEW BUSINESS:
8. PICKENS COUNTY PINNACLE PERFORMER OF THE YEAR AWARD
9. CONSIDERATION OF A RESOLUTION 2021-09 SUPPORTING THE KEEP AMERICA BEAUTIFUL ORGANIZATION IN PICKENS COUNTY AND ESTABLISHING A KEEP PICKENS COUNTY BEAUTIFUL COMMITTEE.
10. CONSIDERATION OF A RESOLUTION 2021-10 TO RECOGNIZE PAUL WEST FOR HIS YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE PICKENS COUNTY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.
11. FIRST READING IN TITLE ONLY OF AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION AND ACCEPTANCE OF A LEASE FOR LONG SHOALS ROADSIDE PARK.
12. FIRST READING IN TITLE ONLY OF AN ORDINANCE TO DEVELOP A JOINTLY OWNED AND OPERATED INDUSTRIAL/BUSINESS PARK IN CONJUNCTION WITH OCONEE COUNTY, SUCH INDUSTRIAL/BUSINESS PARK TO BE GEOGRAPHICALLY LOCATED IN OCONEE COUNTY AND ESTABLISHED PURSUANT TO SECTION 4- 1-170 OF THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, AS AMENDED; TO PROVIDE FOR A WRITTEN AGREEMENT WITH OCONEE COUNTY TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXPENSES OF THE PARK, THE PERCENTAGE OF REVENUE APPLICATION, AND THE DISTRIBUTION OF FEES IN LIEU OF AD VALOREM TAXATION; AND OTHER MATTERS RELATED THERETO (PROJECT RISE).
13. PUBLIC HEARING AND SECOND READING OF AN ORDINANCE NO. 598 TO PROVIDE FOR ADOPTION OF A BUDGET AMENDMENT CONTAINING ESTIMATES OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE CHANGES FOR PICKENS COUNTY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 2020 AND ENDING JUNE 30, 2021.
14. PUBLIC HEARING AND SECOND READING OF AN ORDINANCE NO. 599 TO PROVIDE FOR THE LEVY OF TAXES IN PICKENS COUNTY FOR ORDINARY COUNTY PURPOSES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 2021, AND ENDING JUNE 30, 2022, AND TO DIRECT EXPENDITURE THEREOF.
15. CONSIDERATION OF A RESOLUTION 2021-11 ESTABLISHING GUIDANCE AND PROCEDURES FOR THE USE OF THE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT FUNDS; AND MATTERS RELATED THERETO.
16. UPDATE FROM UPSTATE ALLIANCE
17. CONSENT AGENDA:
 - Committee of the Whole:*
 - Results of Employee Survey
 - Overriding Parks and Recreation Plan
 - CONSIDERATION OF A RESOLUTION 2021-12 PROCLAIMING THE WEEK OF MAY 16-22, 2021, AS EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES WEEK.
 - CONSIDERATION OF A RESOLUTION 2021-13 PROCLAIMING PEACE OFFICERS MEMORIAL DAY.

- CONSIDERATION OF A RESOLUTION 2021-14 TO RECOGNIZE MAY 16-23, 2021 AS NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK.
- CONSIDERATION OF A RESOLUTION 2021-15 RECOGNIZING MAY 2021 AS MENTAL HEALTH MONTH IN PICKENS COUNTY.
- CONSIDERATION OF A RESOLUTION 2021-16 PROCLAIMING THE WEEK OF MAY 22-28, 2021 AS SAFE BOATING WEEK.
- CONSIDERATION OF A RESOLUTION 2021-17 RECOGNIZING MAY 2021 AS NURSES MONTH IN PICKENS COUNTY.
- CONSIDERATION OF A RESOLUTION 2021-18 RECOGNIZING MAY 3-7, 2021 AS TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK.

18. ADJOURN: