

INMAN CITY COUNCIL  
REGULAR MEETING  
MONDAY, JANUARY 13, 2020  
6:00 PM  
COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL

MAYOR CORNELIUS HUFF CALLED THE MEETING TO ORDER.

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION STATEMENT WAS READ BY MAYOR HUFF CONCERNING NOTIFICATION OF THIS MEETING.

INVOCATION WAS GIVEN BY ELDER WILLIE HINES AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE WAS GIVEN BY FORMER COUNCILMEMBER RAY ROGERS, JR.

COUNCILMEMBERS MELVIN FOWLER, KEVIN NEWMAN, GINGER MORROW-MCGUIRE AND HEATHER MOORE WERE PRESENT.

COUNCILMEMBER NEWMAN MADE A MOTION TO ELIMINATE ITEM 12 a UNDER NEW BUSINESS FROM THE AGENDA, SECOND TO THE MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMEMBER MOORE, MOTION CARRIED WITH ALL VOTING.

MAYOR'S YOUTH COUNCIL REPORTED THAT THEY WILL BE TRAVELING TO COLUMBIA ON FEBRUARY 4, 2020 TO THE MAYOR'S CONVENTION AND THERE THEY WILL MAKE A PRESENTATION OF WHAT THEY DO, HOW THEY COME TO COUNCIL MEETINGS AND PRESENT, TALK ABOUT MOVIE NIGHT AND THE REQUIREMENTS TO BE ON THE MAYOR'S YOUTH COUNCIL. AFTER THE MAYOR'S CONVENTION THEY WILL TOUR THE STATE HOUSE AND MEET LEGISLATURES AND THEN THEY WILL TRAVEL TO THE CITY OF CAYCE TO THEIR CITY COUNCIL MEETING THAT EVENING AND MAKE THE SAME PRESENTATION THERE. THE NEXT DAY THEY WILL TOUR THE CITY OF CAYCE WITH MAYOR HUFF AND THEN HEAD BACK TO CHAPMAN HIGH SCHOOL.

COUNCILMEMBER MORROW-MCGUIRE MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE DECEMBER 9, 2019 REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING, SECOND TO THE MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMEMBER FOWLER, MOTION CARRIED WITH ALL VOTING.

POLICE CHIEF KEITH TUCKER REPORTED 9 CRIMINAL, 29 TRAFFIC AND 11 ACCIDENTS TOTALLING \$27,700 IN DAMAGES FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 2019. KEITH ALSO REPORTED THAT THEY HELPED 150 KIDS FOR CHRISTMAS AND THANKED THE SUPPORT OF IRON POWER SPORTS.

FIRE CHIEF CHRIS COTHRAN REPORTED 36 CALLS FOR THE PERIOD OF 12/09/19 THRU 01/13/2020 WITH LOCKOUTS WITH THE MOST CALLS. CHRIS ALSO REPORTED THAT THE ANNUAL SANTA RIDE WENT GREAT AND THE ANNUAL TESTS ON THE AIR PACKS, LADDERS, AND PUMPS ARE COMPLETE.

SEWER SUPERINTENDENT JEFF BAILEY REPORTED THE TOP TEN WORK HISTORY SUMMARY REPORT FOR THE PERIOD OF 12/02/19 THRU 01/13/2020 WITH BELT PRESS AND SAMPLING

WITH THE MOST HOURS. JEFF ALSO REPORTED THAT THEY WILL BE STARTING BIDS ON THE EASTSIDE SEWER PROJECT.

STREET SUPERVISOR HEATH FOWLER REPORTED CLEANING UP THE NATIONAL GUARD ARMORY, TAKING DOWN CHRISTMAS LIGHTS AND TRIMMING THE CREPE MYRTLES ON EAST MAIN STREET.

MR. JAMES TAPP, PLANNING COMMISSION MEMBER STATED THAT THE PLANNING COMMISSION DID NOT MEET DURING THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 2019.

CITY ADMINISTRATOR MISSY HOUSE REPORTED THAT A CONTRACT WITH CC&I WAS SIGNED ON NOVEMBER 21, 2019 AND WENT INTO EFFECT ON DECEMBER 5, 2020, EASTSIDE SEWER PROJECT IS MOVING FORWARD AND SUMMIT ENGINEERING IS IN THE PROCESS OF PULLING PERMITS, THE RFQ FOR THE FARMERS MARKET PAVILION WAS COMPLETED, LEAF AND LIMB PICKUP BY WASTE INDUSTRIES/GREEN FOR LIFE ON DECEMBER 14, 2019 WENT WELL, NEW BUSINESS LICENSE SOFTWARE WAS INSTALLED ON DECEMBER 11, 2019, LIBRARY IS MOVING FORWARD WITH THEIR PLAN TO UPDATE THE INMAN BRANCH, HAS RESUMED HER RESEARCH TO UPDATE THE CITY'S PERSONNEL POLICY, RESEARCHING COSTS FOR TWO NEW COMPUTERS IN THE ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT DUE TO THE FACT THAT THE PRESENT COMPUTERS ARE RUNNING ON WINDOWS 7 AND ON JANUARY 14, 2020 THAT OPERATING SYSTEM WILL NO LONGER EXIST, AND A LOT OF STORMWATER ISSUES HAVE BEEN BROUGHT TO HER ATTENTION SO SHE HAS SENT A LETTER TO OUR LEGISLATORS TO SEE IF THE STATE BUDGET HAS FUNDS THAT COULD BE ALLOCATED TO HELPING WITH THESE ISSUES AND SHE WILL ADVISE COUNCIL WHEN SHE HEARS BACK FROM THEM.

SPARTANBURG COUNTY COUNCILMEMBER BOB WALKER STATED THAT THE COUNTY COUNCIL WILL BE RECOGNIZING THE CHAPMAN HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL TEAM FOR THEIR 3A STATE CHAMPIONSHIP WIN THE FOURTH MONDAY OF THIS MONTH.

COUNCILMEMBER NEWMAN MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE SECOND READING ON ORDINANCE NO. 2019-31, AN ORDINANCE TO APPROVE A 100 PERCENT ANNEXATION PETITION AND TO APPLY A ZONING DESIGNATION TO THE ANNEXED PROPERTY FOR TAX ,MAP #2-48-00-001.01; SOUTHFIELD STREET, INMAN, SECOND TO THE MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMEMBER FOWLER, MOTION CARRIED WITH ALL VOTING.

COUNCILMEMBER NEWMAN MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE A HOSPITALITY TAX GRANT APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY THE CHAPMAN HIGH SCHOOL AND LANDRUM HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS FOR A SPONSORSHIP OF \$1,000 FOR THE "2020 MAY DAY FEST", SECOND TO THE MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMEMBER MOORE, MOTION CARRIED WITH ALL VOTING.

COUNCILMEMBER NEWMAN MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE ORDINANCE NO. 2019-32, AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ARTICLE II SECTION 6-18 "CODES ADOPTED" OF CHAPTER 6 "BUILDING AND BUILDING REGULATIONS", SECOND TO THE MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMEMBER MOORE, MOTION CARRIED WITH ALL VOTING.

COUNCILMEMBER NEWMAN MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE \$500 FOR ADVERTISING FOR THE MISS INMAN PAGEANT TO BE PAID OUT OF HOSPITALITY TAX FUND, SECOND TO THE MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMEMBER FOWLER, MOTION CARRIED WITH ALL VOTING.

UNDER COUNCIL TIME:

COUNCILMEMBER NEWMAN STATED THAT THEY ARE TAKING APPS FOR THE BANDS FOR THIS YEARS MUSIC ON MILL TO GET THE LINE UP READY TO GO.

COUNCILMEMBER MOORE STATED THAT THIS IS HER ONE MONTH AND IT HAS BEEN GOOD AND SHE'S LOOKING FORWARD TO GOING TO COLUMBIA IN FEBRUARY FOR THE FIRST CLASS INSTITUTE TRAINING AND SHE WAS ABLE TO REPRESENT INMAN AT THE SPARTANBURG COUNTY MUNICIPAL CHRISTMAS PARTY.

WITH NO OTHER BUSINESS MAYOR HUFF ADJOURNED THE MEETING AT 6:28 PM.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,  
ROBIN HENDERSON, CITY CLERK