

MINUTES OF



RICHLAND COUNTY COUNCIL DEVELOPMENT AND SERVICES COMMITTEE TUESDAY, MAY 24, 2011 6:00 P.M.

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MEMBERS PRESENT

Chair: Valerie Hutchinson
Member: Norman Jackson
Member: Bill Malinowski
Member: Kelvin E. Washington, Sr.

Absent: Joyce Dickerson

ALSO PRESENT: Paul Livingston, L. Gregory Pearce, Jr., Damon Jeter, Milton Pope, Tony McDonald, Sparty Hammett, Randy Cherry, Larry Smith, Stephany Snowden, Tamara King, Melinda Edwards, Anna Fonseca, Amelia Linder, Pam Davis, Sara Salley, David Hoops, Dale Welch, Monique Walters, Michelle Onley

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting started at approximately 5:02 p.m.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

April 26, 2011 (Regular Session) – Mr. Jackson moved, seconded by Mr. Malinowski, to approve the minutes as amended. The vote in favor was unanimous.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Mr. Jackson moved, seconded by Mr. Malinowski, to adopt the agenda as distributed. The vote in favor of adopting the amended agenda was unanimous.

ITEMS FOR ACTION

Animal Care Ordinance Revisions – Mr. Jackson moved, seconded by Mr. Malinowski, to defer this item until Ms. Hutchinson and Ms. Kennedy are able to meet and discuss the details. The vote in favor was unanimous.

Right of Way Abandonment for Old Clarkson Road – Mr. Washington moved, seconded by Mr. Jackson, to forward this item to Council with a recommendation to approve Alternative #1: “Approve the request to abandon a portion of Old Clarkson Road and Right of Way.” The vote was in favor.

Smoking Ban Ordinance Amendment “Reasonable Distance” – Mr. Washington moved, seconded by Mr. Malinowski, to defer this item to the June committee meeting. The vote in favor was unanimous.

Summit Parkway Sidewalk Project – Mr. Malinowski moved to forward this item to Council with a recommendation for approval and to require the Summit Homeowners Association to pay their 50% when bills are submitted for payment. The motion died for lack of a second.

Mr. Washington moved, seconded by Mr. Jackson, to forward this item to Council without a recommendation. The vote was in favor.

To adopt an ordinance banning texting while operating a motor vehicle – Mr. Jackson moved, seconded by Mr. Washington, to forward this item to Council without a recommendation. The vote in favor was unanimous.

Change in Procedures for Collection of Yard Waste – Mr. Malinowski moved, seconded by Ms. Hutchinson, to forward this item to Council with a recommendation to approve Alternative #2: “Direct the staff to explore a higher level of service for each solid waste collection area as the existing contract for each area comes up for renewal, renegotiation or rebid.” The vote in favor was unanimous.

Amending the “Heir’s Subdivision of Property Ordinance” – Mr. Jackson moved, seconded by Mr. Washington, to forward this item to Council with a recommendation to forward the item to the Planning Commission. The vote was in favor.

Proposed Commission for the Aging – This item was deferred to the June committee meeting.

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION/INFORMATION

Weekend Directional Signs – This item was deferred to the June committee meeting.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at approximately 6:01 p.m.

Submitted by,

Valerie Hutchinson, Chair

The minutes were transcribed by Michelle M. Onley