

CITY OF SUMPTER  
COUNCIL MEETING  
FEBRUARY 11, 2025

CCR ANNUAL WATER REPORT-The annual report CCR needs to be completed. This report is very number and verbiage specific and has been prepared by Box R in the past. There is a fee for the preparation. **MSP: To have Box R complete the CCR Annual Water Report. Councilor Smith/Councilor Briscoe. All members voted to approve.**

**OLD BUSINESS**

ADA SIDEWALK-Council discussed and decided to table for more information.

BLUE MTN EAGLE ADVERTISEMENT-Tabled for more information.

FLEA MARKET-Mayor Wise reported that Baker Chamber has set up online vendor applications at visitbaker.com. Council discussed getting new signs to let people know there are vendors at The Grounds. **MSP: To move forward with Memorial Day Flea Market using Travel Baker Services. Councilor Demaris/Councilor Briscoe. All members approved.**

**COUNCIL COMMENTS**

Councilor Demaris requested the Flea Market information be put on the City's webpage and put on the City Hall voice mail.

Councilor Brandt discussed way finding signs, and The Grounds could qualify for a sign.

Mayor Wise stated there is legislation that would possibility allow a larger portion of the Transient Lodging tax income to be used for broader tourism related items, such as impact on infrastructure.

Councilor Smith said at the training he went to, the City isn't allowed to pull people out of the snow. If the City does it for one, the City has to do it for all.

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

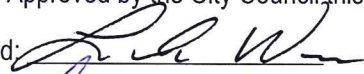
Matt Armstrong advised that the donation boxes around town for the Cemetery have raised approximately two hundred dollars. He asked if next spring, would the City be willing to pay for food if a youth group comes in to help clean up the cemetery. John Young said the Sumpter Valley Community Volunteers would be willing to provide food also.

**ADJOURNMENT-4:43**

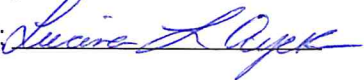
**MSP: To adjourn. Councilor Briscoe/Councilor Demaris. All members voted to adjourn.**

Approved by the City Council this 11<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2025.

Approved:



Attested:



CITY OF SUMPTER  
WORKSHOP  
JANUARY 14, 2025

CALL TO ORDER – 11:00am

MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE

Mayor Linda Wise, Councilors Charlie Briscoe, Marsha Demaris, Sherry Brandt, and Darold Smith.

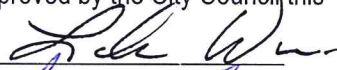
VISITORS - None

CITY UTILITY HOOKUP POLICY

Iron Horse Subdivision Development. Discussion about responsibility to install a meter and setter box on lot 13. Mayor Wise and Councilor Demaris conducted research and found the contractor of the subdivision was supposed to install all lines and hookups per ordinance. However, the documents reviewed showed the mainline was paid for; but no service line or setter box going to Lot 13. City employees could not locate a service line or setter box going off mainline to Lot 13. This is a one-time situation. Councilor Briscoe made some suggestions regarding cost and timeframe of the hookup. Councilor Smith stated his concerns and setting precedence. Council further discussed the burden of proof. This will be discussed further as old business at the next regular Council Meeting.

ADJOURNMENT – 11:18am

Approved by the City Council this 11<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2025.

Approved: 

Attested: 

CITY OF SUMPTER  
WORKSHOP  
FEBRUARY 12, 2025

CALL TO ORDER – 9.00am

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE

Mayor Linda Wise, Councilors Charlie Briscoe, Marsha Demaris, Sherry Brandt, and Darold Smith.

VISITORS

Kurt Clarke

VOLUNTEER PARK PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT

Matt Armstrong made a presentation of available playground equipment, possible expansion of use in Volunteer Park, and possible grants available. Councilors discussed various playground options and expenses.

ADJOURNMENT – 10:05am

Approved by the City Council this 11<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2025.

Approved: 

Attested: 

CITY OF SUMPTER  
WORKSHOP  
FEBRUARY 19, 2025

CALL TO ORDER – 2:01pm

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE

Mayor Linda Wise, Councilors Charlie Briscoe, Marsha Demaris, Sherry Brandt, and Darold Smith.

VISITORS

John Young/Flea Market

REVIEW OF CLERK APPLICATION

There were two applicants. Council discussed the applications.

RESOLUTION 396-21


City fee schedule. Discussion regarding the need to increase fees due to rising material, equipment, and man power costs. Each fee was reviewed and discussed.

FLEA MARKET

Council discussed how much area is needed at the landing zone at the grounds. Council discussed the request of Travel Baker to place some more food vendors in other areas of the grounds & allowing emptying cargo trailers to be parked along the fence line.

ADJOURNMENT – 3:20pm

Approved by the City Council this 11<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2025.

Approved: 

Attested: 

CITY OF SUMPTER  
SPECIAL SESSION  
FEBRUARY 19, 2025

CALL TO ORDER – 3:30pm

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE

Mayor Linda Wise, Councilor Charlie Briscoe, Marsha Demaris, Sherry Brandt, and Darold Smith.

VISITORS

John Young

CLERK INTERVIEWS

Applications were reviewed in prior workshop. **MSP: To proceed with the interview session for applicant B for the clerk position. Councilor Brandt/Councilor Briscoe. All members voted to approve.**

Resolution 396-21

Amendment of City Fees. **MSP: To approve Resolution 396-21 for new fees as discussed during the prior workshop. Councilor Smith/Councilor Demaris. All members voted to approve.**

ADJOURNMENT- 3:35pm

Approved by the City Council this 11<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2025.

Approved: 

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