

**Minutes
City Council Meeting
Tuesday, June 11, 2019**

The regular monthly meeting of the Mullins City Council was held Tuesday, June 11, 2019 at 6:00 P.M. in the Raymond Pridgen Auditorium. The following were notified of the time, date, and place of the meeting: Mayor William L. "Bo" McMillan and Members of City Council, the City Staff, and the press. Present at the meeting were the following: Mayor William L. "Bo" McMillan, Mayor Pro Tem Patricia Phillips, Council Members: Eddie Kitchen, Jo Sanders, Carolyn Wilson, Terry Davis, Robert Woodbury, City Attorney Robert Corley, Interim City Administrator Holly Jackson, Lois Williams, Thomas Hughes, Claudia Hughes, Street Supervisor Tarus Gilchrist, Jerry Jacobs, Captain Phil Mostowski, Fire Chief Robert Stetson, Public Access TV, and many others.

1. Call Meeting To Order & Welcome: Mayor McMillan called the meeting to order and welcomed all present.

Claudia Hughes led everyone in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Invocation: The invocation was given by Council Member / Chaplain Robert Woodbury.

2. Disclosure that local media has been informed of meeting pursuant to South Carolina Freedom of Information Act: Mayor McMillan stated the local media had been contacted regarding the time, date, and place of the regular scheduled meeting for June 11, 2019.

3. Approval of Agenda: Council Member Sanders made a motion for the Approval of Agenda as presented. Council Member Kitchen seconded the motion.

4. Consent Agenda:

- (a) Approval of Minutes – May 14, 2019 – City Council Meeting
- (b) Approval of Minutes – May 29, 2019 – Special City Council Meeting
- (c) Approval of Monthly Bills

Mayor Pro Tem Phillips made a motion to accept the Consent Agenda. Council Member Woodbury seconded the motion.

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5. New Business:

- (a) FY 2017-2018 Audit – Smith Brooks, Kenneth Cobb & Co.

FY 2017-2018 Audit will be presented to the Finance Committee at a later date.

- (b) Ordinance #2019-05, Final Reading of Ordinance #2019-05, AN ORDINANCE TO RAISE REVENUE AND ADOPT A BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2020

Council Member Woodbury made a motion to accept Ordinance #2019-05, Final Reading of Ordinance #2019-05, AN ORDINANCE TO RAISE REVENUE AND ADOPT A BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2020. Mayor Pro Tem Phillips seconded the motion.

6. Committee Reports:

Mayor McMillan recognized Street Supervisor Tarus Gilchrist. Gilchrist explained the need for a new lawnmower. The department only has 2 and one of the mowers is beyond repair.

Council Member Davis made a motion to purchase a new lawnmower under State Contract and not to exceed \$15,000.00. Mayor Pro Tem Phillips seconded the motion.

Gilchrist also stated a tractor for weeds/vegetation would cost around \$45,000.00 plus an additional employee.

7. Comments:

- (a) **Claudia Hughes**

Mayor McMillan recognized Mrs. Claudia Hughes. Hughes expressed her concerns for the drainage issues in her neighborhood. Attached is a copy of her letter to Council.

- (b) **Laticia Brunson**

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Mayor McMillan recognized Ms. Brunson. Ms. Brunson wanted Council to let the public know the plans for the Park Street Gym. Ms. Brunson also addressed the parking lot at K&M Shopping Center.

8. Adjournment:

Council Member Wilson made a motion to adjourn. Council Member Sanders seconded the motion.

William L. McMillan
Mayor

ATTEST:

Felicia J. Sawyer, City Clerk