

A special meeting of the Georgetown County Council was held on Tuesday, June 22, 2004 at 5:30 PM in County Council Chambers.

Present: Ron Charlton Sel Hemingway
 Thomas Earl Drayton Johnny Morant

Staff: Beth Goodale

Other staff members, members of the public, and representatives of the media were also present.

In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act, a copy of the agenda was sent to newspapers, television and radio stations, citizens of the County, Department Heads, and posted on the bulletin board located in the lobby of the Courthouse.

Chairman Hemingway called the meeting to order. Councilman Drayton gave the invocation and all joined in the pledge of allegiance.

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA:

The following item was added to the agenda: Ordinance #2004-59, first reading by Title Only.

Councilman Charlton made a motion to approve the meeting agenda as amended, including approval of those items listed on the Consent Agenda. Councilman Morant seconded the motion. Chairman Hemingway asked for discussion. There was none.

In Favor: Ron Charlton Sel Hemingway
 Thomas Earl Drayton Johnny Morant

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

There were no public comments.

CONSENT AGENDA:

The following items were on the Consent Agenda and previously approved in the meeting:

Ordinance #2004-34 – An Ordinance to amend the Official Zoning Map of Georgetown County to Amend the Master Conceptual Plan for Belle Vue Planned Development to revise the footprint for a single family unit in Phase A-2 and revise the location of Common Area 2 – Third reading approval.

Ordinance #2004-35 – An Ordinance to amend the Official Zoning Map of Georgetown County to amend the Master Conceptual Plan for the Hawks Nest Planned Development to transfer five residential lot uses to amenity and maintained areas - Third reading approval.

Ordinance #2004-36 – An Ordinance to amend the Official Zoning Map of Georgetown County to amend the Master Conceptual Plan for Woodside Development to add .58 acres of property contiguous to the development and fronting on Causey Road - Third reading approval.

Ordinance #2004-40 – An Ordinance to prohibit unauthorized persons from trespassing on school property in Georgetown County, and prescribe the penalties thereof - Third reading approval.

Ordinance #2004-41 – An Ordinance to prohibit the unlawful possession of a concealed weapon, provide for forfeiture of the weapon, and prescribe penalties thereof - Third reading approval.

Ordinance #2004-42 – An Ordinance to create the offense of simple assault, making it unlawful for any person to commit assault and battery upon a person within Georgetown County, and providing for penalties thereof. - Third reading approval.

Ordinance #2004-43 – An Ordinance to amend Ordinance #95-17 related to careless operation of a motor vehicle. - Third reading approval.

Ordinance #2004-47 – An Ordinance making it unlawful for any individual to block or obstruct traffic on any highway, road, or street in Georgetown County, South Carolina, and provide the penalties thereof. - Third reading approval.

Ordinance #2004-48 – An Ordinance to create the offense of hindering and obstructing any law enforcement officer from the execution of his duties, and provide for the penalties thereof. - Third reading approval.

Ordinance #2004-50 – An Ordinance to amend Chapter 6 of the Georgetown County Code of Ordinances pertaining to boats, public docks, and waterways, specifically addressing watercraft regulations. - Third reading approval.

Ordinance #2004-52 – An Ordinance to amend Chapter 6, Section 6-3 of the Georgetown County Code of Ordinances pertaining to boats, public docks, and waterways, specifically addressing public boat landing regulations. - Third reading approval.

Ordinance #2004-55 – An Ordinance to govern and prohibit indecent exposure within the County of Georgetown, and to provide for penalties for violation thereof. - Third reading approval.

Ordinance #2004-56 – An Ordinance to create the offence of disorderly conduct within Georgetown County, South Carolina, and provide for penalties for violation thereof. - Third reading approval.

ORDINANCES – THIRD READING

Ordinance #2004-29

Councilman Morant made a motion to grant third reading approval of Ordinance #2004-29, to make appropriations for Law Enforcement for Georgetown County for fiscal year beginning July 1, 2004, and ending June 30, 2005. Councilman Drayton seconded the motion. Chairman Hemingway asked for discussion. There was none.

In Favor:	Ron Charlton	Sel Hemingway
	Thomas Earl Drayton	Johnny Morant

Ordinance #2004-33

Ordinance #2004-33, an Ordinance to amend the Georgetown County Code of Ordinances, Appendix B – Subdivisions, Article VIII, to stabilize and maintain the arterials and collector streets on the Waccamaw Neck, was deferred pending a public hearing scheduled for July 13, 2004.

Ordinance #2004-37

Councilman Morant moved to grant third reading approval of Ordinance #2004-37, an Ordinance to amend the Official Zoning Map of Georgetown County to amend the Master Conceptual Plan for Prince Creek Planned Development to include the Master Sign Plan for the portion of the

Development located in Georgetown County. Councilman Charlton seconded the motion. Chairman Hemingway asked for discussion.

In Favor: Ron Charlton Sel Hemingway
 Thomas Earl Drayton Johnny Morant

Ordinance #2004-39

Councilman Charlton moved to grant third reading approval of Ordinance #2004-39, an Ordinance to amend Ordinance #2004-08, in order to revise user fees for the purpose of solid waste disposal. The motion was seconded by Councilman Morant. Chairman Hemingway asked for discussion. There was none.

In Favor: Ron Charlton Sel Hemingway
 Thomas Earl Drayton Johnny Morant

ORDINANCES – SECOND READING

Ordinance #2003-50

Second reading of Ordinance #2003-50, which has been revised to incorporate the recommendations of various community groups, was previously referred back to the Georgetown County Planning Commission for further consideration. County Council deferred the issue pending a report from the Planning Commission.

Ordinance #2004-16

Ordinance #2004-16 adopting revised Purchasing Procedures for Georgetown County, South Carolina, was deferred.

Ordinance #2004-38

Councilman Drayton made a motion to grant second reading approval of Ordinance #2004-38, an Ordinance to amend the FY 2004 Operating Budget for Georgetown County, South Carolina. The motion was seconded by Councilman Morant. Chairman Hemingway asked for discussion. There was none.

In Favor: Ron Charlton Sel Hemingway
 Thomas Earl Drayton Johnny Morant

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES – By Title Only

Ordinance #2004-57 – An Ordinance to amend Article VI, Section 6.11.211 and all subsequent subsections of the said section of the Georgetown County Zoning Ordinance.

Ordinance #2004-58 – An Ordinance to amend Article VI, Section 613 of the Georgetown County Zoning Ordinance.

Ordinance #2004-59 – An Ordinance to amend Article VI Section 614.209 of the Georgetown County Zoning Ordinance.

Councilman Charlton made a motion to invoke pending ordinance doctrine on Ordinance #2004,57, #2004-58, and #2004-59. Councilman Morant seconded the motion. Chairman Hemingway asked for discussion. There was none.

