

Finance Committee Meeting

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Finance Committee Agenda

Monday, October 19, 2020 at 2:00 PM

[This meeting is being held virtually in accordance with Beaufort County Resolution 2020-05]

CITIZEN COMMENTS AND PUBLIC HEARING COMMENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED IN WRITING AT PO DRAWER 1228, BEAUFORT SC 29901 OR BY WAY OF OUR PUBLIC COMMENT FORM AVAILABLE ONLINE AT BEAUFORTCOUNTYSC.GOV.

- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- 3. PUBLIC NOTIFICATION OF THIS MEETING HAS BEEN PUBLISHED, POSTED, AND DISTRIBUTED IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE SOUTH CAROLINA FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT
- 4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA
- APPROVAL OF MINUTES SEPTEMBER 21, 2020
- 6. INTRODUCTION OF WHITNEY RICHLAND AS THE NEW CFO

ACTION ITEMS

- 7. PROVIDING BASE FEE-IN-LIEU OF TAX AGREEMENTS TO PROJECT BURGER, PROJECT GARDEN, AND PROJECT GLASS. THIS WILL BRING PROPERTY TAX RATE FROM 10% INDUSTRIAL RATE DOWN TO 6% RATE FOR A 20 YEAR PERIOD.
- 8. PROVIDING A SPECIAL SOURCE REVENUE CREDIT TO PROJECT STONE THIS SSRC WILL ACT AS A BASE FILOT EQUIVALENT ALLOWING THE COMPANY TO PAY THE EQUIVALENT OF A 6% TAX RATE OVER A 20 YEAR PERIOD.
- 9. PLACING PROJECT BURGER, PROJECT GARDEN, PROJECT GLASS, AND PROJECT STONE INTO EXISTING MULTI COUNTY INDUSTRIAL PARK.
- 10. CONSIDERATION OF AN ORDINANCE REGARDING A MULTI COUNTY INDUSTRIAL PARK BURGER, GARDEN, GLASS, STONE
- 11. CONSIDERATION OF AN ORDINANCE REGARDING A SPECIAL SOURCE REVENUE CREDIT PROJECT STONE
- 12. CONDIDERATION OF MULTIPLE ORDINANCES AND INDUCEMENT RESOLUTIONS REGARDING A FEE-IN-LIEU OF PROPERTY TAXES (FILOT) PROJECT BURGER, PROJECT GARDEN, PROJECT GLASS
- 13. CONSIDERATION OF AN ORDINANCE BEAUFORT COUNTY BUSINESS LICENSE TAX STANDARDIZATION

DISCUSSION ITEMS

14. UPDATE ON THE INTERNAL AUDITOR

- 15. UPDATE ON STATE ACCOMMODATIONS TAX AWARDS
- 16. DISCUSSION ON THE RFP FOR STATE ACCOMMODATIONS TAX AND LOCAL ACCOMMODATIONS TAX TO THE DMO'S AND CHAMBERS
- 17. CAFR AUDIT DISCUSSION
- 18. UPDATE ON CARRYOVER BUDGET 2021 EXPENDITURES
- 19. DISCUSSION ON REAL LIFE SAVINGS DUE TO PANDEMIC

BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS

20. CONSIDERATION OF THE REAPPOINTMENT OF DAN AHERN AND THE APPOINTMENT OF THOMAS SHEAHAN TO THE AIRPORTS BOARD

EXECUTIVE SESSION

21. LAND ACQUISITION PROPOSAL THROUGH RURAL AND CRITICAL LAND PROGRAM - PROJECT 2020A

MATTERS ARISING OUT OF

CITIZEN COMMENTS

- 22. CITIZEN COMMENTS (EVERY MEMBER OF THE PUBLIC WHO IS RECOGNIZED TO SPEAK SHALL LIMIT COMMENTS TO THREE MINUTES) CITIZEN COMMENTS AND PUBLIC HEARING COMMENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED IN WRITING AT PO DRAWER 1228, BEAUFORT SC 29901 OR BY WAY OF OUR PUBLIC COMMENT FORM AVAILABLE ONLINE AT BEAUFORTCOUNTYSC.GOV.
- 23. ADJOURNMENT