



Community Services and Public Safety Committee Beaufort County, SC

This meeting was held both in person at Executive Conference Room, 100 Ribaut Road, Beaufort, and also virtually through Zoom.

Monday, June 7, 2021
2:00 PM

MINUTES

1. **CALL TO ORDER**

Committee Chairman McElynn called the meeting to order at 2:00PM.

PRESENT

Committee Chairman Lawrence McElynn
Committee Vice Chairman Logan Cunningham
Council Member Gerald Dawson
Council Member York Glover
Council Member Alice Howard
Council Member Chris Hervochon
Council Member Mark Lawson
Council Chairman Joseph Passiment
Council Vice Chairman Paul Sommerville

2. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Committee Chairman McElynn led the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. **FOIA**

Committee Chairman McElynn stated public notice of this meeting had been published, posted, and distributed in compliance with the SC FOIA Act.

4. **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

Motion: It was moved by Committee Vice-Chairman Cunningham, Seconded by Council Member Howard to approve the agenda. Motion approved without objection.

5. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Motion: It was moved by Council Member Dawson, Seconded by Committee Vice Chairman Cunningham to approve the minutes of April 5, 2021. Motion approved without objection.

6. **CITIZEN COMMENTS**

No Citizen Comments

AGENDA ITEMS

7. A DISCUSSION TO PROVIDE STATUS OF LIBRARY RENOVATION AND CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

To view discussion and presentation: <https://beaufortcountysc.new.swagit.com/videos/122478>

8. MOSQUITO CONTROL DEPARTMENT UPDATE- INTRODUCTION OF ONCOMING MOSQUITO CONTROL PILOT

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- Mosquito app for android phone is located

9. DETENTION CENTER DEPARTMENT UPDATE

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10. DISCUSSION OF STIPENDS FOR EMS/DETENTION CENTER STAFF

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- Increase pay differential to \$250 for EMS/\$125 for Detention Center
- 120 hours a pay period is average for EMS because of the shortage
- 2-3 additional shifts over normal for Detention Center
- Concerned with the employee's lack of family time
- Would like to have more staff versus paying the stipend for overtime/extra shift work
- This is a temporary solution until comp and class kicks in and more staff is hired
- Staff will provide an update in 3 months (September)

Motion: It was moved by Council Member Dawson, Seconded by Council Member Cunningham to approve the County Administrator's implementation of stipends for EMS and Detention Center staff. Motion approved without objection.

11. THE RECOMMENDATION TO THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF MARY ANN RADKE TO THE DISABILITIES AND SPECIAL NEEDS BOARD

Motion: It was moved by Council Member Dawson, Seconded by Council Member Howard to approve the recommendation to the Governor's Office for the appointment of Mary Ann Radke to the Disabilities and Special Needs Board. Motion approved without objection.

12. THE RECOMMENDATION TO THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF EMILY MAYER TO THE DISABILITIES AND SPECIAL NEEDS BOARD

Motion: It was moved by Council Member Dawson, Seconded by Council Member Howard to approve the recommendation to the Governor's Office for the appointment of Emily Mayer to the Disabilities and Special Needs Board. Motion approved without objection.

13. THE RECOMMENDATION TO COUNTY COUNCIL FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF SHERI PHILIPS TO THE SHELDON FIRE DISTRICT BOARD

Motion: It was moved by Council Member Dawson, Seconded by Council Member Howard to approve the recommendation to County Council for the appointment of Sheri Philips to the Sheldon Fire District Board. Motion approved without objection.

14. UPDATE ON BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS- VACANIES

Not discussed due to time constraints.

15. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 3:07 PM.

Ratified: