

MINUTES OF CALLED MEETING  
SALUDA COUNTY COUNCIL  
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2023 at 5:00 P.M.  
COUNCIL CHAMBERS, SALUDA COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING  
400 WEST HIGHLAND STREET, SALUDA, SOUTH CAROLINA

A. CALL TO ORDER

The Called Meeting of Saluda County Council was called to order by Chairman Moore at 5:00 P.M.

Present were: Chairman Jim Moore  
Councilman Frank Daniel  
Vice-Chairman Jack Atkinson  
Councilman Carey Bedenbaugh  
Councilman Justin Anderson

Also present were: Sandra G. Padget, County Administrator  
Heather Griffin, Finance & Purchasing Coord.  
Angie Saxon, PIO

Absent was: Regina Turner, Clerk to Council

B. INVOCATION Councilman Bedenbaugh delivered the invocation.

C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE Chairman Moore led the Pledge of Allegiance.

D. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

On motion Councilman Bedenbaugh, seconded by of Vice-Chairman Atkinson, the agenda was unanimously approved as presented.

E. PUBLIC INFORMATION

It is noted that in compliance with the Freedom of Information Act, notice of the called meeting and agenda were given to the local news media and properly posted, to include the county website. The following notice was placed at the beginning of the agenda: **Please note the council meetings are currently open to the public. Access to the live video is available when the meeting begins by going to the County’s Facebook page (Saluda County, SC Government)**

F. OLD BUSINESS

On motion of Councilman Bedenbaugh, seconded by Vice-Chairman Atkinson, Second Reading was unanimously given to Ordinance No. 10-23, “AN ORDINANCE APPROVING SALE OF REAL PROPERTY LOCATED AT THE SOUTHEAST INTERSECTION OF HIGHWAY 378

AND NORTH BOUKNIGHT FERRY ROAD IN SALUDA COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA TO PROJECT COMMERCE.”

G. NEW BUSINESS

On motion of Councilman Bedenbaugh, seconded by Vice-Chairman Atkinson, the County Operating Millage for FY 2023-2024 was unanimously approved as follows: County Operating Millage at 147.3 Mills, Economic Development at 3 Mills, Law Enforcement/Detention at 12 Mills, Piedmont Technical College at 3.5 Mills, Public Buildings Maintenance at 3 Mills and the Fire Board at 4 Mills.

On motion of Councilman Bedenbaugh, seconded by Vice-Chairman Atkinson the millage for Saluda School District One was unanimously approved as follows: Operating millage at 166.9 mills and Saluda School District One Bond Mills: a total of 34.6 Mills.

On motion of Councilman Daniel, seconded by Councilman Anderson it was unanimously approved to award a bid to Kenrick Construction to build restrooms at Brooks Royston Park in the amount of \$66,435 to be paid from the Capital Project Sales Tax Account.

H. On motion of Councilman Bedenbaugh and unanimously approved the meeting adjourned at 5:08 P.M.

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James L. Moore, Saluda County Council  
Chairman

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Sandra G. Padget  
County Administrator  
Date Approved: October 9, 2023