# MINUTES OF CALLED MEETING SALUDA COUNTY COUNCIL TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2020 at 6:00 P.M. COUNCIL CHAMBERS OF SALUDA COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING 400 WEST HIGHLAND STREET, SALUDA, SOUTH CAROLINA 29138

### A. CALL TO ORDER

The Called Meeting of Saluda County Council was called to order by Chairman Jerry Strawbridge at 6:00 P.M.

Present were:

Chm. Jerry Strawbridge

Coun. J. Frank Daniel, Sr. Coun. Wayne Grice

Also present were:

County Director, Sandra G. Padget

Clerk to Council, Karen T. Whittle

Absent was:

Coun. Jones P. Butler

# **B. INVOCATION**

Coun. Daniel delivered the invocation.

# C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Chm. Strawbridge led the Pledge of Allegiance.

# D. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

On motion of Coun. Grice the agenda was unanimously approved as presented.

# E. PUBLIC INFORMATION

It is noted by the Clerk herein 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.

Due to COVID-19, the following notice was placed at the beginning of the agenda:

Please note the council meetings are open to the public, but seating will be limited for social distancing in response to COVID-19. You may also access the live stream of the meeting by going to the county's website at <a href="https://www.saludacounty.sc.gov">www.saludacounty.sc.gov</a>, click on the you tube box in the top right hand corner and click on the December 1, 2020 video.

### F. OLD BUSINESS

1. On motion of Coun. Anderson, seconded by Coun. Grice, Second Reading was given on Ordinance No. 11-20, "AN ORDINANCE TO REPEAL SECTION 22-2 COUNTY ROADS; UNIFORM SERVICE CHARGE, IN CHAPTER 22 ROADS AND BRIDGES, ARTICLE I, IN THE CODE OF ORDINANCES SALUDA COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA." (Voting in Favor: Chm. Strawbridge, Coun. Anderson, Grice). (Opposed: Coun. Daniel). During discussion Chm. Strawbridge stated this ordinance was to repeal the \$25.00 road maintenance fee to be effective beginning with January 2021 vehicle property tax renewals, and every wheeled and titled vehicle required to be registered and licensed in Saluda County by the South Carolina Department of Transportation, purchased after December 31, 2020.

# G. ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Coun. Daniel, it was unanimously approved to adjourn the meeting at 6:03 P.M.

Chairman.

Kareh T. Whittle

Clerk to Council

December 9, 2020
Date Approved