

## JASPER COUNTY COUNCIL EMERGENCY

# VIRTUAL MEETING

Jasper County Clementa C. Pinckney Government Bldg 358 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue Ridgeland, SC 29936

> Wednesday, September 28, 2022 Minutes

**Officials Present:** Chairwoman Barbara B. Clark, Councilman L. Martin Sauls, and Councilman John Kemp. Absent: Vice Chairman Dr. Curtis Brantley and Councilman Alvin Adkins

**Staff Present:** County Administrator Andrew Fulghum, Clerk to Council Wanda H. Simmons, County Attorney David Tedder, Russell Wells, and Videographer Jonathan Dunham.

#### **Also Present:**

Chairwoman Clark called the meeting to order at 7:30PM. Chairwoman Clark asked the Clerk to Council to read the Report of Compliance to the Freedom of Information Act. Ms. Simmons, Clerk to Council read the Clerk's Report of Compliance with the Freedom of Information Act as follows: In compliance with the Freedom of Information Act, notice of meetings and agendas were posted and furnished to all news media and persons requesting notification.

Councilman Kemp led the Pledge to the Flag and the Invocation was led by Councilman Sauls.

#### Approval of the Agenda:

Motion to approve: Councilman Sauls

Second: Councilman Kemp

Vote: Unanimous

#### Resolution:

A: David Tedder - Resolution/Proclamation #R-2022-24 Declaring State of Emergency In Jasper County Due to Hurricane Ian.

Mr. Tedder was present to review and discuss this item with Council. He discussed the highlight of details relating to the Resolution/Proclamation for Council. He noted that the need for the Emergency Meeting of Council is allowed to have an Emergency Meeting on less than 24 hours' notice, which we did after the Governor announced a State of Emergency this afternoon. The purpose is to allow for an Emergency Operation Plan and provide for extraordinary measures as they may be needed. This Resolution/Proclamation is Declaring State of Emergency in Jasper County Due to Hurricane Ian.

Motion to approve to accept the Emergency Declaration of Jasper County: Councilman Kemp

**Second:** Councilman Sauls

**Vote:** Unanimous The motion passed.

Chairwoman Clark mentioned that on Monday night at the next Council Meeting, that the meeting should be virtual and Councilmembers Sauls and Kemp said that would be fine with them.

### Adjourn:

Motion to adjourn: Councilman

**Second:** Councilman **Vote:** Unanimous

The motion passed. The meeting adjourned at 7:41pm.

**Respectfully submitted:** 

Wanda H. Simmons

Clerk to Council

Barbara B. Clark Chairwoman