



**JASPER COUNTY COUNCIL**

**VIRTUAL MEETING**

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

**February 23, 2021**

**OFFICIAL MINUTES**

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

**Staff Present:** County Administrator Andrew Fulghum, Clerk to Council Wanda H. Simmons, County Attorney David Tedder, Administrative Services Director Kimberly Burgess, and Jonathan Dunham.

**Call to Order:** Chairwoman Clark called the meeting to order at approximately 4:08 PM.

Clerk of County Council, Wanda Simmons read the report of compliance with the Freedom of Information Act for the record.

Chairwoman Clark read the information below for the executive session and asked for a motion to go into executive session.

**Executive Session**

**SECTION 30-4-70. Meetings which may be closed; procedure; circumvention of chapter; disruption of meeting; executive sessions of General Assembly.**

**(a) A public body may hold a meeting closed to the public for one or more of the following reasons:**

- (2) Discussion of negotiations incident to proposed contract arrangements and proposed purchase or sale of property, the receipt of legal advice where the legal advice related to a pending, threatened, or potential claim or other matters covered by the attorney-client privilege, settlement of legal claims, or the position of the public agency in other adversary situations involving the assertion against the agency of a claim – Sections 30-4-70(a)(2) – Jasper Ocean Terminal (JOT)**

**ANY EXECUTIVE SESSION MATTER ON WHICH DISCUSSION HAS NOT BEEN COMPLETED MAY HAVE DISCUSSION SUSPENDED FOR PURPOSES OF BEGINNING THE OPEN SESSION AT ITS SCHEDULED TIME, AND COUNCIL MAY RETURN TO EXECUTIVE SESSION DISCUSSION AFTER THE CONCLUSION OF THE OPEN SESSION AGENDA ITEMS**

**Motion to go into executive session:** Councilman Sauls

**Second:** Councilman Adkins

**Vote:** Unanimous

The motion passed and the meeting went into executive session.

Councilman Sauls had to leave prior to the return to open session.

**Return to Open Session:**

**Motion to return to open session:** Councilman Adkins

**Second:** Councilman Dr. Brantley

**Vote:** Unanimous

The motion passed.

**Adjourn:**

**Motion to adjourn:** Councilman Kemp

**Second:** Councilman Adkins

**Vote:** Unanimous

The motion passed.

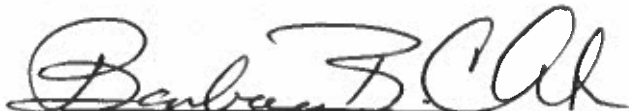
The meeting adjourned at 4:48pm.

Respectfully submitted:

Approved:



Wanda H. Simmons  
Clerk to Council



Barbara B. Clark  
Chairwoman