



CAMDEN CITY COUNCIL MEETING

Tuesday, February 27, 2024

5:30 P.M.

Council Chambers-City Hall

PRESENT

Mayor Alfred Mae Drakeford
Mayor Pro Tem Joanna B. Craig
Councilmember Jeffrey R. Graham (absent)
Councilmember Stephen R. Smoak
Councilmember Hamilton Boykin
City Clerk Brenda Davis

City Manager Jonathan Rorie
Assistant City Manager Caitlin Young
Attorney Lawrence Flynn (absent)
Chronicle-Independent Martin Cahn
and interested citizens

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Alfred Mae Drakeford called the Camden City Council Meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

INVOCATION

Mayor Pro Tem Joanna Craig opened the council meeting with the invocation.

APPROVAL OF PROPOSED AGENDA

Council, on motion by Mayor Pro Tem Craig, seconded by Councilmember Smoak, voted unanimously to approve the proposed agenda as presented for February 27, 2024.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Council, on motion by Mayor Pro Tem Craig, seconded by Councilmember Smoak, voted unanimously to adopt the regular meeting minutes of February 13, 2024.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, AWARDS, SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Council, on motion by Mayor Pro Tem Craig, seconded by Councilmember Boykin, voted unanimously to proclaim the month of March 2024 as Women's History Month. Members of the Kershaw County Democratic Women, NAACP Women and concern women of Kershaw County were in attendance to receive the proclamation. In recognition of Black History Month and Women's History Month the organizations made a special presentation to Mayor Alfred Mae Drakeford in appreciation of her being the first Black Woman as Mayor of Camden and the work she has done throughout her career for the city of Camden.

CONSENT AGENDA

Council, on motion by Mayor Pro Tem Craig, seconded by Councilmember Boykin, voted unanimously to approve Resolution #2024-004 to provide a work environment free of recognized hazards.



PUBLIC COMMENT

No public comments.

ORDINANCE 2024-004 2nd Reading

Council, on motion by Mayor Pro Tem Craig, seconded by Councilmember Smoak, followed by comments from council, voted unanimously to approve an ordinance amending Title IX, Chapter 94 of the City of Camden Code of Ordinances pertaining to garbage and reuse; and other matters related thereto.

ORDINANCE 2024-005 1st Reading

Council, on motion by Mayor Pro Tem Craig, seconded by Councilmember Boykin, followed by comments from council, voted unanimously to approve an ordinance amending certain provision of Title III, Chapter 32 of the City of Camden Code of Ordinance pertaining to the Kershaw County Clean Community Commission; and other matters related thereto.

Council/Staff Topics

None.

ADJOURN

There being no further business, Council voted unanimously to adjourn the Council Meeting at 6:00pm.

Mayor Alfred Mae Drakeford

Attest:

Brenda Davis, City Clerk