WEEKLY UPDATE
MAY 16, 2016 – MAY 20, 2016

PUBLIC MEETINGS
MAY 16 – MAY 20, 2016

TUESDAY, MAY 17

2:30 p.m.-Horry County Board of Architectural Review Awards Ceremony, Horry County Government & Justice Center, Multipurpose Rooms, 1301 Second Avenue, Conway. (No agenda-See release below)

5 p.m.-Horry County Board of Assessment Appeals, Horry County Government & Justice Center, Assessor’s Conference Room, 1301 Second Avenue, Conway.

6 p.m.-Horry County Council, Horry County Government & Justice Center, Council Chambers, 1301 Second Avenue, Conway.

AGENDAS

HORRY COUNTY
BOARD OF ASSESSMENT APPEALS
AGENDA
May 17, 2016
Horry County Government & Justice Center
1301 Second Avenue, Conway

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Regular Council Meeting
May 17, 2016 – 6:00 p.m.
Council Chambers, 1301 Second Ave., Conway, SC

A. Call to Order
B. Invocation
C. Pledge of Allegiance
D. Public Input (30-Minute Time Limit)
E. Approval of Agenda Contents
F. Approval of Minutes: Regular Meeting, May 3, 2016

G. CONSENT AGENDA

1. Third Reading -- **Ordinance 20-16** to approve the request of Jeffrey Solan to amend the official zoning maps. (Mr. Crawford)

2. First Reading of Ordinances approving the request to amend the official zoning maps: **Ord 32-16**, DDC Engineers, agent for Bear Lakes Estates PDD (Mr. Howard)

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Ord 33-16 Debi & Buddy Mew, agents for Maude Adams (Mr. Crawford)
Ord 34-16 Jeffrey Solon, agent for Condor Group LLC (Mr. Crawford)
Ord 35-16 Latrevia Richard, agent for Frankie Vereen (Mr. P. Prince)
Ord 36-16 Randy Beverly, agent for Castlewood Development Co., (Mr. Vaught)

3. First Reading – Ordinance 37-16 amending the County Code pertaining to lawful business operating hours. (Favorable, Public Safety Comm)

4. Resolutions adopting budget revisions for CDBG funds regarding the City of Myrtle Beach projects: (Favorable, Administration Comm)
   R-32-16 Revision #1 – Year 8 projects
   R-33-16 Revision #2 – Year 7 projects
   R-34-16 Revision #3 – Year 6 projects

5. Resolution R-36-16 establishing the Horry County Public Safety Communications System Executive & User Committee Policy. (Favorable, Public Safety Comm)

6. Resolution R-37-16 authorizing & directing the transfer of funds to replace the existing mobile command vehicle. (Favorable, Public Safety Comm)

7. Recreation Resolution R-04-16 approving allocations of council recreation funds of $2000 for the Horry County Police Golf Classic. (Favorable, Administration Comm)

8. Approval of the League of Cities’ nominations for appointments to the Solid Waste Authority Board of Directors – Mike Campbell and Lesley Harris.


H. PRESENTATIONS / RESOLUTIONS

10. Resolution R-35-16 congratulating Sydnee Atkinson as the Pee Dee regional winner of the PalmettoPride Annual Art Contest. (Planning staff)

I. READING OF ORDINANCES


12. Second Reading – Ordinance 21-16 to approve the request of Wendy Evon Jordan to amend the official zoning maps. (Mr. P. Prince)

13. Second Reading - Ordinance 23-16 to amend the County Code pertaining to finance and fiscal procedures to update sections on cash management, debt management, and risk management.


15. Second Reading - Ordinance 25-16 approving and authorizing the administrator to execute a lease agreement with Project Crown Of Hangar #358 at MYR.

16. Second Reading and Public Hearing – Ordinance 26-16 to approve the request of Amie Fesperman to amend the official zoning maps. (Mr. J. Prince)

17. Second Reading and Public Hearing – Ordinance 27-16 to amend the zoning ordinance pertaining aggregate processing facilities. (Favorable, I&R Comm)
18. Second Reading and Public Hearing – Ordinance 28-16 to amend the zoning ordinance pertaining to animals & livestock. (Favorable, I&R Comm)

19. Second Reading and Public Hearing – Ordinance 29-16 to amend the zoning ordinance pertaining to the Restaurant Row Overlay Zone. (Favorable, I&R Comm)

20. Second Reading and Public Hearing – Ordinance 30-16 to amend the zoning ordinance pertaining to wineries, breweries, & distilleries. (Favorable, I&R Comm)

21. Second Reading and Public Hearing – Ordinance 31-16 to:
   (1) impose a 1% sales and use tax within Horry County, subject to a referendum, specifying the specific purposes in priority order for which the proceeds of the tax will be used, the maximum time that the tax will be imposed, and the maximum cost of the projects to be funded from the proceeds of the tax; and
   
   (2) provide for a county-wide referendum with respect to the tax to be conducted by the Horry County Election Commission, prescribing the ballot question for the referendum; and
   
   (3) provide for the administration of the tax; and
   
   (4) provide for bonds to be issued in connection with the tax, including all information required to be contained in that regard, and providing that the proceeds of the tax may be used to defray debt service on the bonds issued in connection with the tax.

J. OLD / NEW BUSINESS

22. Approval of the disbursement from District 9 Voluntary Developer Fund of $1000 to Cedar Branch Empowerment Center for park improvements and maintenance. (Mr. Prince)

K. ANNOUNCEMENTS

23. Memorial Dedications: John Roberts Lester

24. Upcoming Meetings – Dates/times subject to change:

   Regular Council Meetings       Public Safety Committee       I & R Committee
   June 7 & 21, 6:00 p.m.          May 23, 10:00 a.m.            May 24, 9:00 a.m.

   Transportation Committee      Administration Committee
   June 13, 10:00 A.M.             June 14, 4:00 p.m.

L. EXECUTIVE SESSION: Discussion of employment, appointment, compensation, promotion, demotion, discipline, or release of an employee.

M. ADJOURN

NEWS RELEASES

HORRY COUNTY OFFICES TO CLOSE FOR MEMORIAL DAY

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Conway, South Carolina – All Horry County offices, other than public safety operations, will be closed on Monday, May 30, 2016, in observance of Memorial Day. Regular courts may be in operation in the Horry County Government & Justice Center and all jurors, witnesses, etc. will be required to be present.

RECOMMENDATIONS TO BE MADE FOR FINANCIAL ADVISOR SERVICES

Conway, South Carolina – Recommendations will be made to County Administrator Chris Eldridge by the Evaluation Committee regarding Request for Proposals (RFP) #2015-16-042 Financial Advisor Services for Horry County. The recommendation will be made on Friday, May 20, 2016, at 8:30 a.m. in the Administrator’s Conference Room at the Horry County Government and Justice Center, 1301 Second Avenue in Conway.

HORRY COUNTY HISTORIC PRESERVATION AWARDS

Conway, South Carolina – The Horry County Board of Architectural Review and Historic Preservation will hold their annual Historic Preservation Awards May 17, 2016, at 2:30 p.m. at the McCown Auditorium at the Horry County Museum, 805 Main Street, in Conway.

The awards ceremony will showcase historic preservation efforts throughout Horry County during the last year. A presentation will be given on the Ark Plantation archaeology dig, as well as the Rosenwald Schools of Horry County. All properties that were designated as historic between May 2015 and April 2016 will receive a certificate acknowledging the honor. Also being recognized at the event:

- Ben Burroughs for years of historic preservation activities in Horry County.
- Herbert Riley for telling the story of Charlie’s Place in Myrtle Beach.
- Jack Thompson for historic photographic coverage of Horry County.
- Nye’s Pharmacy for preserving an icon in the community.
- Students for their participation in the annual High School Historic Sites & Structures Video Contest.
- Businesses that have been honored by the Legacy Business Recognition Program.

For more information, contact Mary Catherine Hyman, Senior Planner, in the Horry County Planning & Zoning Department at 843-915-5340.
HORRY COUNTY ANIMAL CARE CENTER TO HOLD PET VACCINATION CLINIC

Conway, South Carolina – The Horry County Animal Care Center will hold a vaccination clinic, 17 May 2016, from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. at the animal shelter located at 1923 Industrial Park Road in Conway. The Clinic will offer the following services:

- Distemper/Parvo $10--must be at least 8-weeks old (canine)
- Bordatella $10--must be at least 8-weeks old (canine)
- Rabies $10--must be at least 8-weeks old (canine & feline)
- Microchip $15--must be at least 8-weeks old (canine & feline)
- Rhinotraceitis/Calici $10--must be at least 8-weeks old (feline)

Dogs and cats are both welcome; dogs must be on a hand-held leash and cats must be in a pet carrier.

The Animal Care Center holds these clinics monthly.

To help homeless animals in Horry County find loving homes, the Animal Care Center will offer discounted adoptions the first Friday and Saturday of each month. Potential adopters are encouraged to visit and spend time with the animal they are interested in. All of the animals are already spayed or neutered and have their shots up to date, however younger animals may need to be returned later to have shots and/or spay/neutering done. The paperwork is easy and only takes a few minutes to fill out. Adoption fees are discounted and typically include spaying/neutering, vaccines, heartworm or leukemia testing, heartworm and flea preventative, intestinal parasite treatment and microchipping. Qualifying new pet parents also get 30-days free pet health insurance and coupons from local pet businesses.

To view the animals currently available for adoption or for more information on the monthly vaccination clinics, contact the Horry County Animal Care Center at 843-915-5172, follow us on Facebook, or visit our website at http://www.horrycounty.org/depts/pubsafety/AdoptAnimals.asp.
ROAD CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

GLENN’S BAY ROAD WIDENING & INTERCHANGE PROJECT

Traffic impacts are as follows:

- The eastbound lane of Glenn’s Bay Road from Caropines Drive to US 17 Business will be closed Sunday, May 15, 2016, through Thursday, May 19, 2016, between 7 p.m. and 6 a.m. for storm drain installation.
- The outside westbound lane of Holmestown Road from US 17 Bypass to Blue Jay Drive will be closed Monday, May 16, 2016, through Thursday, May 19, 2016, between 7 a.m. and 6 p.m. for equipment mobilization.
- The east and westbound shoulders of Glenn’s Bay Road from US 17 Bypass to Ashton Glenn will be closed Friday, May 13, 2016, through Friday, May 20, 2016, for utility relocation work. Due to the tight right-of-way and the amount of equipment, this shoulder closure will need to stay in place 24-hours a day. The shoulder closure is staying in place for the safety of the public and no traffic will be inconvenienced, only the shoulder will not be accessible.

HIGHWAY 707 WIDENING PROJECT

Traffic impacts are as follows:

- The northbound lane of Highway 707 at the Highway 707 and Elm Road interchange will be closed Monday, May 16, 2016, from 8 p.m. until 6 a.m. for utility work.

To get updates on all SCDOT projects in Horry County, visit SCDOT’s website at http://www.scdot.org choose Quick Links. From the drop down menu select SC Road Conditions. Just click on Horry County on the map for the current listing.

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