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WEEKLY UPDATE
AUGUST 26-30, 2019

PUBLIC MEETINGS

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28
2 p.m.-Horry County Council Special Meeting, Horry County Government & Justice Center, 1301 Second Avenue, Council Chambers, Conway.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 29
1 p.m.-Horry County Sign Committee, Horry County Government & Justice Center, 1301 Second Avenue, Multipurpose Rooms, Conway.

3 p.m.-Horry County Planning Commission Workshop, Horry County Government & Justice Center, 1301 Second Avenue, Multipurpose Rooms, Conway.

AGENDAS

SPECIAL MEETING
HORRY COUNTY COUNCIL
August 28 – 2:00 p.m.
County Council Chambers
1301 Second Ave, Conway, SC

AGENDA

I. Call to Order
   Chairman Gardner

II. Invocation

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Horry County
Sign Committee

AGENDA
August 29, 2019 – 1:00 p.m.

I. Call to Order – 1:00 p.m.

II. Overview of Sign Ordinance

III. Discussion

Review proposed changes to the Horry County Sign Ordinance

IV. Adjourn

Horry County
Planning Commission Workshop

AGENDA
August 29, 2019 – 3:00 p.m.

I. Call to Order – 3:00 p.m.

II. Developments - Street Names - No Public Hearing Required

III. New Business

IV. Design Modification

a. 269-00-00-0006 – Dwight Sanders: To allow the creation of a flag lot.

b. 45000000007 & 45600000032 – Appeal of Staff Enforcement: Island Green

V. Rezoning Requests
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VI. Text Amendments

a. An Ordinance to amend the Index Map of the Official Map Ordinance, Ordinance 153-99 for Horry County adding the Conway Perimeter Road to the Horry County Official Index Map.

b. An Ordinance to amend Zoning Appendix B of the Horry County Code of Ordinances pertaining to Value Added Processing.

c. An Ordinance to amend Zoning Appendix B of the Horry County Code of Ordinances pertaining to Building Height and Setback Compliance Regarding the Elevation of Structures within Special Flood Hazard Areas.

VII. Adjourn
NEWS RELEASES

Horry County Offices To Close For Labor Day

Conway, South Carolina – All Horry County offices, other than public safety operations, will be closed on Monday, September 2, 2019, in observance of Labor 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.

In addition to the above dates:
- The Horry County Museum and the L.W. Paul Living History Farm will be closed Saturday, August 31, 2019.
- All branches of the Horry County Memorial Library will be closed Saturday, Saturday, August 31, 2019.

Horry County Animal Care Center To Hold Pet Vaccination Clinic

Conway, South Carolina – The Horry County Animal Care Center (HCACC) will hold a vaccination clinic, September 10, 2019, from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. at the shelter located at 1923 Industrial Park Road in Conway. The following services will be offered:

- 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 4-months old (canine & feline)
- Microchip $15--must be at least 8-weeks old (canine & feline)
- Rhinotracheitis/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 also holds low-cost spay/neuter clinics, which are open to all residents of Horry County. The cost for cats is $50 and dogs are $80 (discounted fees are available for residents receiving government assistance). Contact the HCACC for more information or to make an appointment.

To help homeless animals find loving homes, the HCACC offers discounted adoptions the first Friday and Saturday of each month. The discounted fee typically includes 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 animals currently available for adoption, stray intakes or for more information on the monthly 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**

**Bay Road Construction**

*Conway, South Carolina*- A section of Bay Road in Horry County will be closed, August 26-August 30, 2019, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., weather permitting. Bay Road will be closed between Grand Oak Boulevard and Copper Leaf Drive. Residents in the surrounding neighborhoods, near this section of the road, should plan to reenter their neighborhoods using the same route they take when they exit the neighborhood. Residents and businesses located within the closure limits will be provided access. We ask that folks traveling in the area please be patient as they may experience some travel delays.

We encourage everyone to be mindful of the work zones affecting the roadways. The traffic control devices are there for the safety of the residents, visitors, and road crews.

The project will improve drainage infrastructure in the area. The completion date on the project is to be determined. Residents in the area can expect some road closures throughout the duration of the project and are encouraged to stay tuned to local broadcasts or visit horrycounty.org for the latest updates on the project.

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