

RICHLAND COUNTY COUNCIL

SOUTH CAROLINA



Council Members Present

Paul Livingston, Chair
District Four

Jim Manning
District Eight

Seth Rose
District Five

Bill Malinowski
District One

Others Present:

Rob Perry
Shawn Salley
Tony Edwards
Michelle Onley
Brenda Parnell
Tangela Nichols
Janelle Ellis

TRANSPORTATION AD HOC COMMITTEE

December 6, 2016
4:00 PM
Admin Conference Room

In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act, a copy of the agenda was sent to radio and TV stations, newspapers, persons requesting notification, and was posted on the bulletin board located in the lobby of the County Administration Building

CALL TO ORDER

Mr. Livingston called the meeting to order at approximately 5:02 PM

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

September 13, 2016 – Mr. Manning moved, seconded by Mr. Malinowski, to approve the minutes as distributed. The vote in favor was unanimous.

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

Mr. Malinowski moved, seconded by Mr. Manning, to adopt the agenda as published. The vote in favor was unanimous.

FOR ACTION

Shop Road Widening Project: OET Service Agreement – Mr. Perry stated the service agreement is for the design of the Shop Road Widening Project. The public information meetings have been held.

The recommendation is to award the service agreement to Mead and Hunt in the amount of \$1,697,021.07 with a contingency of \$141,398.50 for a total of \$1,838,419.57. The contract includes 13.5% SLBE and DBE participation.

Mr. Rose moved, seconded by Mr. Malinowski, to approve this item. The vote in favor was unanimous.

Blythewood Road Widening Project: Concept Report – Mr. Perry stated the executive summary based on public input is recommending Alternate A typical section for the Blythewood Road Widening Project and move forward with the roundabout in front of Cobblestone.

Mr. Malinowski inquired if there will be a traffic light at the Locklier Road intersection.

Mr. Malinowski also requested the costs of Alternate A, B and C.

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Mr. Malinowski moved, seconded by Mr. Manning, to move forward and direct staff to research alternatives for the Locklier Road intersection. The vote in favor was unanimous.

Bluff Road Phase II Widening: Utility Undergrounding – Mr. Perry stated included in the agenda packet are estimates for the undergrounding of utilities on the widening projects.

Mr. Perry has reached out to the University of South Carolina to inquire if they would be willing to assist with covering the costs of undergrounding of the utilities.

Mr. Rose moved, seconded by Mr. Manning, to approve this item.

Mr. Perry stated the next step would be to submit the plans to SCE&G and have them provide an updated estimate.

Mr. Rose moved, seconded by Mr. Livingston, to move forward with the design of Bluff Road Phase II Widening and direct staff to bring back cost estimates in the future.

Mr. Malinowski requested a friendly amendment to contact USC regarding assistance with costs.

Mr. Perry stated SCE&G will likely give the County an estimate in the form of an agreement and they will then hire a contractor to do the work on their behalf.

The vote in favor was unanimous.

TPAC Request: SLBE Contracting Reports – Mr. Livingston the request before the committee is whether to honor the TPAC Committee's request for information that was contained in a report that is no longer generated by the OSBO Office.

Mr. Jackson inquired about the significance of the committee receiving the report.

Mr. Perry stated they have asserted they are the watchdog group for the program.

Mr. Livingston stated that if members of the committee have specific questions they are welcome to request information from staff.

Mr. Manning moved, seconded by Mr. Malinowski, to call for the question. The vote in favor was unanimous.

FOR INFORMATION

Broad River Road Widening Project: Draft Concept Report – Mr. Perry stated there is a public information meeting on December 15th for the project. The concept report was provided to the committee members on a thumb drive.

FOR INFORMATION

Candlewood Neighborhood Master Plan Community Meeting – Mr. Manning stated there is a public meeting scheduled for December 12th.

Greater Woodfield Neighborhood Improvement Plan Community Meeting – Mr. Manning stated there is a public meeting scheduled for February 9th.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at approximately 5:49 PM

The Minutes were transcribed by Michelle M. Onley, Deputy Clerk of Council