



Richland County Council
Special Called Meeting
MINUTES
October 15, 2024 – 3:30 PM
Council Chambers
2020 Hampton Street, Columbia, SC 29204

COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT: Jesica Mackey, Chair; Derrek Pugh, Vice-Chair; Jason Branham, Paul Livingston, Allison Terracio, Don Weaver, Gretchen Barron, and Chakisse Newton

NOT PRESENT: Yvonne McBride, Overture Walker, and Cheryl English

OTHERS PRESENT: Michelle Onley, Aric Jensen, Leonardo Brown, Anette Kirylo, Susan O’Cain, Kyle Holsclaw, Angela Weathersby, Michael Maloney, Jackie Hancock, and Patrick Wright.

1. **CALL TO ORDER** – Chairwoman Jesica Mackey called the meeting to order at approximately 3:30 PM.
2. **ADOPTION OF AGENDA** – Mr. Pugh moved to adopt the agenda as published, seconded by Mr. Weaver.

In Favor: Branham, Pugh, Livingston, Terracio, Weaver, Barron, Mackey, and Newton

Not Present: McBride, Walker, and English

The vote in favor was unanimous.

3. **PUBLIC HEARING**
 - a. A joint public hearing pursuant to SC Code Ann § 4-37-30(a)(2) relating to the referendum to be held at the general election on November 5, 2024 on the question of the imposition of a special sales and use tax to fund certain transportation needs of Richland County, South Carolina
 1. Betty Gregory, 1211 Adger Road, Columbia, SC 29205 – In Favor
 2. Heyward Bannister, 2206 Lincoln Street, Columbia, SC 29201 – In Favor

The floor to the public hearing was closed.

4. **ADJOURNMENT** – Ms. Barron moved to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Mr. Pugh.
In Favor: Branham, Pugh, Livingston, Terracio, Weaver, Barron, Mackey, and Newton
Not Present: McBride, Walker, and English

The vote in favor was unanimous.

The meeting adjourned at approximately 3:35 PM.