



# City Council Special Worksession Meeting Minutes – Planning Conference Room – 1<sup>st</sup> Floor

May 18, 2021

## I. CALL TO ORDER

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5:03PM

Mayor, Stephen D. Murray III

Members of Council in attendance (Neil Lipsitz, Mike McFee, Mitch Mitchell, and Mayor Murray)

Absent - Phil Cromer

## II. PRESENTATIONS

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### A. City Manager's recommended Fiscal Year 2022 Budget

**Bill Prokop, City Manager and Kathy Todd, Finance Director**, presented the recommended Fiscal Year 2022 Budget of \$23,769,178. This is an increase of \$746,937 from last year, however, the millage rate will reduce from 79.3 to 78.2. Ms. Todd also showed a comparison between Fiscal Year 2020's actual budget and Fiscal Year 2021's amended budget.

**Ms. Todd** stated that the public hearing and first reading of the budget will be on June 8, 2021 during the Regular Meeting. The second and final reading will be held during the June 22, 2021 Regular Meeting.

**Mayor Murray** thanked the City Manager and staff for a reasonable and conservative budget.

The proposed recommended budget can be found in the Council Special Worksession May 18, 2021 agenda packet on the City's website.

## III. EXECUTIVE SESSION

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Mayor Pro Tem, McFee made a motion to go into Executive Session and seconded by Councilman Lipsitz.

A. Pursuant to Title 30, Chapter 4, Section (70) (a) (2) of the South Carolina Code of Law:  
Receipt of Legal Advice - regarding pending litigation.

No actions from Executive Session.

## IV. ADJOURN

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7:58 PM

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