## **Forest Acres City Council Meeting**

August 13, 2024 6:00 p.m. City Council Chambers 5205 N Trenholm Rd Columbia, SC 29206

## **Agenda**

Call to Order: (Mayor Thomas Andrews)

**Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance-** Mayor Thomas Andrews

- 1. Approval of Minutes:
  - a. City Council Meeting July 9, 2024
  - b. Special City Council Meeting July 24, 2024
- 2. Mayor's Issues & City Projects
  - a. Follow up from Community Forum Discussion:
- 3. Public Comment Related to Items on the Agenda:
  - a. Citizens that wish to speak about an item specifically listed on the agenda must call 803-782-9475 by 5pm the day before the meeting to be added to the list of speakers.
- 4. New Business:
  - a. Presentation of a Proclamation recognizing the life and service of Leigh Ann Poston
  - b. FAPD introduction of new officers and promotions
  - c. Discussion of a potential event featuring wellness and fitness
  - d. Discussion of operating hours for businesses and drive-thru restaurants
  - e. Hospitality Tax Committee recommendations:
    - a. The Therapy Place: \$15,000 Therapalooza
    - b. Satchel Ford: \$2,500 Freaky Friday
  - f. Appointment and Reappointments
    - a. Planning Commission
      - i. Vacant Seat
        - 1. Andrew Epting
        - 2. Kristin Hudson
        - 3. John Suber
- 5. Old Business:
  - a. Discussion of an ordinance related to the clustering of smoke and vape shops
- **6. City Administrator Report:** Richland Mall Update, Zoning Ordinance Update, Citadel and Idalia Park Water Fountains, Administrative Positions
- 7. Finance Director Report: Monthly Financial Report
- 8. Police Chief's Report:
- 9. Community Forum
- 10. Council Items

## 11. Executive Session:

- a. Receipt of legal advice and discussion of contractual matters related to:
  - i. Potential purchase of vacant property and acceptance of same
  - ii. Reciprocal easement agreement and special contract stipulations regarding mall/park site
  - iii. Executive session procedural update (Matter covered by attorney-client privilege)

NOTE: Items discussed in Executive Session may result in action by City Council upon its return to general session

## 12. Adjourn

Topic: City Council Meeting
Time: Aug 13, 2024 06:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

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