

**CITY OF ABBEVILLE, SC  
SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES  
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2020**

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**Members Present:** Mayor S. Delano Freeman, Councilmembers Louise Aikens, Christopher Crawford, Jason Edwards, James R. Grant, Benjamin P. Greeson, Jr., A. Faye Thomas.

**Members Via Phone:** Trey Edwards

**Members Absent:** James Jackson

**Staff Present:** R. Blake Stone – City Manager, Fran Strickland – Assistant City Manager, Ashley Suttles – City Clerk, Laura Snelling – CFO, Mike Clary – Community Development Director, Thomas E. Hite, III – City Attorney.

**Media Present:** None

The meeting was called to order at 6:30p.m. by Mayor Freeman.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Mayor Freeman led the Pledge of Allegiance.

**OPENING PRAYER**

The opening prayer was given by Councilmember Thomas.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

A motion was made by Councilmember Greeson and seconded by Councilmember Thomas to approve the minutes from the regular City Council Meeting held on Tuesday, September 8, 2020. With no objections the **Motion Passed** unanimously.

**PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD – None**

**FORMAL REPORTS TO COUNCIL**

1. **Report No. 36 -2020: Approval Requested**  
Hogs & Hens Festival

A motion was made by Councilmember T. Edwards and seconded by Councilmember Greeson to approve Report No. 36-2020 approving the Hogs & Hens Festival. With no objections the **Motion Passed** unanimously.

**NEW BUSINESS**

- 1. Residential Garbage Collection.**  
(Councilman Greeson)

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

A motion was made by Councilmember Thomas and seconded by Councilmember Grant to go into Executive Session. With no objections the **Motion Passed** unanimously.

- 1. Receipt of Legal Advice from City Attorney Regarding a Potential Claim.**

**EXECUTIVE SESSION – POSSIBLE ACTIONS AND FOLLOW UPS**

No actions were taken following the Executive Session.

**ADJOURNMENT**

With no other business to discuss a motion was made by Councilmember Crawford and seconded by Councilmember Thomas to adjourn the City Council meeting at 8:04 p.m. The **motion passed** unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Ashley K. Suttles  
City Clerk