

**CITY OF SIMPSONVILLE  
REGULAR CITY MEETING MINUTES  
CITY COMMISSION ROOM  
JUNE 17, 2009 8:30 AM**

Present: Mayor Eden, Commissioners Cummins, McDowell, Vowels, and Wise. City Attorney Hays was in attendance as legal council, City Administrator Eaton, Police Chief Chappell, Public Works Director Romine, and City Clerk Batliner. Guests: Steve Doyle/Sentinel News.

Mayor Eden called the meeting to order at 8:30 am.

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Mayor Eden presented the minutes from June 2, 2009 regular meeting for approval and everyone was furnished a copy. **Commissioner Wise made the motion to accept the minutes as presented. Commissioner Cummins seconded.** Motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Eden presented Ordinance #2009-007 pertaining to the Moratorium for first reading and everyone was furnished a copy. City Administrator Eaton read Ordinance #2009-007. **Commissioner Wise made the motion to accept the first reading of Ordinance #2009-007. Commissioner McDowell seconded.** Ordinance #2009-007 will be place on the July 7, 2009 regular meeting agenda for second reading and possible adoption.

Mayor Eden presented Ordinance # 2009-006 pertaining to Sewer Comprehensive Plan for second reading and possible adoption. **Commissioner McDowell made the motion to waive the reading of the entire text due to the length and everyone was furnished a copy. Commissioner Cummins seconded.** Motion carried unanimously. City Administrator Eaton read the summary description of Ordinance #2009-006. **Commissioner Vowels made the motion to accept Ordinance #2009-006 for second reading and adoption. Commissioner Wise seconded.** A roll call is as follows:

**Commissioner Cummins -Yes**

**Commissioner McDowell-Yes**

**Commissioner Vowels-Yes**

**Commissioner Wise-Yes**

**Mayor Eden-Yes**

Ordinance #2009-006 will become effective upon publication in the Sentinel News.

Mayor Eden recognized City Administrator Eaton: City Administrator Eaton presented a brochure pertaining to the downtown project for approval and submitted a price of \$570.00 to print the brochures. **Commissioner Wise made the motion to accept the brochure as presented. Commissioner Cummins seconded.** Motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Eden recognized the Commissioners Report:

**Commissioner McDowell** had nothing at this time.

**Commissioner Cummins** had nothing at this time.

**Commissioner Vowels** presented the financial report for approval and everyone was furnished a copy. **Commissioner Cummins made the motion to accept the financial report as presented.**

**Commissioner McDowell seconded.** Motion carried unanimously.

**Commissioner Vowels** advised softball and T-ball games have begun. He also advised the Parks Board will put registration forms on the website. Commissioner Vowels requested an additional \$95.00 to allow the Web Guys to make improvements on the website. **Commissioner Wise made the motion to pay the additional \$95.00 for the website improvements. Commissioner Cummins seconded.** Motion carried unanimously.

**Commissioner Wise** had nothing at this time.

Mayor Eden recognized the City Attorney's Report: City Attorney Hays advised he was working on the Human Rights Ordinance. He advised the ordinance should be ready for the first reading at the July 7, 2009 meeting.

Mayor Eden recognized the City Administrator's Report: City Administrator Eaton advised:

- Presented information to the Commission regarding Article 19 of the Comprehensive Plan.
- Triple S is working on updating goals and objectives.
- Shared an invitation with all to a reception at Blooms.

Mayor Eden recognized the Police Department's Report: Police Chief Chappell had nothing at this time.

Mayor Eden recognized the Public Works Department's Report: Public Works Director Romine had nothing at this time.

Mayor Eden recognized the Parks Department's Report: Absent.

Mayor Eden recognized the City Clerk's Report: City Clerk Batliner advised she is working on Budget Amendment.

**Commissioner McDowell made the motion to adjourn. Commissioner Wise seconded. Motion carried unanimously.** The meeting concluded approximately 8:53 am.

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Debbie Batliner/City Clerk

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Steve Eden/Mayor